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Chronicle & Comment

MAHATMA GANDHI

We extend a most respectful welcome to Mahatma Gandhi on his arrival in Calcutta. Calcutta is honoured again after five years by his presence. May it inspire us and guide us to purer motives and nobler deeds, and may his guidance of the deliberations of the leaders of the Congress—to whom also we accord a most cordial welcome—pave the way to the attainment of the goal that the country has set before it.

THE SHOOTINGS

We cannot too strongly condemn the shooting that the Police indulged in in Calcutta last week at Dhurrumtollah Street. Ebullient students shouting slogans and processions of young men and women carrying banners and insisting on proceeding to a place arbitrarily described as "protected" could hardly endanger the peace of the city or the safety of the citizens,—yet they were shot at, often at close quarters, with deliberate aim and fatal results. The reason given in the Official Note is that the Police had to direct fire for "they believed themselves in danger of being overwhelmed." This is all nonsense. We have it on unimpeachable authority that the student-demonstrators were perfectly peaceful and such brickbats as were thrown at the police were in no way to be attributed to them. These missiles came from the side streets, from the disorderly elements in which the Chandney Chowk and the surrounding locality abounds. These the Police could not reach, and they vented their spleen on those close by. We cannot think of more atrocious conduct. And we ask once again: must brickbats be always answered by bullets?—as we asked on a similar occasion three years ago. Must fire-arms be used on unarmed crowds—not one among whom carried even a *lathi*, not to speak of a lethal weapon? One and only one question suggests itself to us: was or was not more force than it was necessary to use resorted to? This question must be answered, and the insistent demand for an enquiry into the firings voiced forth from all sides—even the *Statesman* and the *Times of India* joining in it—cannot be ignored. Sanctity of human life, yes, even of the lives of those who barricaded some of the streets and burnt some military and government lorries, cannot be allowed to be callously disregarded. While every right-thinking and decent-minded citizen, anxious to see the maintenance of law and order and normal civic life, will condemn these instances of mob-violence in no uncertain terms, they have to be partly looked upon as outbursts of popular resentment at the shooting of the innocent students and, perhaps, also as the heavy toll of human lives that the unprovoked and needless firing

ponsible driving of these vehicles have, for months now, exacted in the streets of Calcutta. Crowd psychology has always been a queer phenomenon and does not certainly run along exactly logical lines.

THE STUDENTS

Our heart goes out in deep sympathy to the families of the students and others who lost their lives last week in Calcutta. Our youngmen and women have given, on all accounts, an excellent account of themselves. They exercised great self-restraint under very grave provocation. They were charged with *lathis*, their comrades were shot at and killed in their presence but not for a moment they resorted to violence. They stuck to their post, they held to their objective and, to quote the official version of the disturbances, "ultimately . . . police resistance was overcome" and they "streamed into the prohibited area shouting slogans and stopping traffic." Yes, they did, and heavens didn't fall, nor the British Empire dissolve itself into its atomic elements. Only a good few bright young brave lives were lost—lost to their families and their country—because the myrmidons of law and order had lost their nerves, because some Anglo-Indian Sergeants of the Police force of Calcutta were too eager to teach the "young rowdies" a lesson!

JYOTIRMOYEE GANGULI

The tragic death of Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli removes a most valiant and vivid personality from the ranks of our public life, which is all the poorer to-day because she is no more. A daughter of the late Dwarkanath Ganguli and Dr. Kadambini Ganguli, two pioneers in the field of women's uplift and women's progress in Bengal, she inherited in full every ounce of their courage, strength and spirit of self-sacrifice. Early in life, at the close of a distinguished academic career, she took to teaching but soon gave it up to enter the lists in her Motherland's fight for freedom. And she led a dedicated life henceforward. There was no struggle, no fight into which she did not throw herself, instilling courage when hearts failed, rendering succour wherever help was needed. She was ever in the forefront of the many movements that had swept over this land from 1919 onwards and she paid for it by repeated imprisonments which shattered her health but never her spirits. Steadfast in her ideals, she never sought the limelight of leadership. She chose to work without fuss, giving of her best to every department of our national life. The Corporation of Calcutta saw her as one of the first two elected woman Councillors. She sat on its Council with distinction to herself and the body itself. The *Calcutta Municipal Gazette* knew her as one of its valued contributors who had enlivened its pages on many an occasion. We have lost in her a most loving elder sister if we are permitted to make a personal reference. To the Editor of this journal the death of Jyotirmoyee Ganguli is almost a personal bereavement and he can only share the sorrow of her no less brave brother Pravat Chandra Ganguli, a well-known journalist and Congress worker of Calcutta, and other members of the family. Jyotirmoyee Ganguli has died a martyr to the cause she had made her own,—having met with her violent death while on her way to attend the cremation ceremony of a young student shot and killed by the Police on his refusal to part with the Congress flag. Jyotirmoyee is dead but she will live in the memory of every patriotic Indian. May her soul rest in peace!

THE STRIKE

Thanks mainly to the intervention of the Mayor and the good sense that prevailed all around, the general strike among Corporation employees which had paralysed the civic administration of Calcutta for four days, came finally to an end on Wednesday last. The terms of settlement are, we believe, generous and fair, and Calcutta, let us hope, will not see a repetition of the incidents in future. One thing, however, we cannot but refer to in this connection. The strikers, or rather those who initiated, led and guided the strike, excluded, very sensibly and appropriately, the maternity homes, hospitals and dispensaries conducted by the Corporation from the ambit of the strike. But they stopped working the pumping stations supplying water to the city. Did they intend the maternity homes to wash a new-born citizen of Calcutta in wine—almost as rare to-day as water was in Calcutta during the last few days—and quench the thirst of patients in hospitals with bottled distilled water? Cussedness should have some limits?

The Week In The Corporation

Wednesday: *28th November*

CONDOLENCES

The Corporation observed one minute's silence in memory of the young men who were drowned in tanks in the city while taking their bath during the period of water famine.

The Mayor said that it was very painful to everyone that as a result of stoppage of the supply of filtered water three or four (but five) young men while taking their bath in the tanks were drowned.

Expressing their deep sense of sorrow at the loss of these precious lives, the Mayor extended Corporation's heartfelt sympathy to the members of the bereaved families.

ROADSIDE TUBE-WELLS

Rising to mention a matter of urgent public importance Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury said that he had heard a rumour that the roadside tube-wells, which proved a blessing to the citizens during the period of water famine, were being removed by the Government of India. He declined to disclose the source of his information.

The Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, said that he did not think that the tube-wells which had been sunk at a cost of Rs. 20 lakhs would be destroyed. He would, however, formally write to the Government asking whether there was any truth behind this rumour.

Wednesday: *21st November*

ACQUISITION OF THE CALCUTTA TRAMWAYS

The recommendation of the Public Utilities and Markets Standing Committee with regard to the acquisition of the Calcutta Tramways Undertaking

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CALCUTTA IN TURMOIL

Sequel To Police Firing On Students

Deaths Number 38, Several Hundreds Injured

FROM the afternoon of the 21st November last till the afternoon of the 23rd, Calcutta witnessed a very unusual scene. The trouble began when a procession of students in observance of an "I. N. A. Day" was stopped by Police at the crossing of Dhurrumtolla and Madan Streets, and afterwards at one stage fire was opened by a small Police party.

The next day all public transport services in the city had ceased to function. Rickshaws and private vehicles were stopped and the occupants requested to go on foot. *Hartal* was observed throughout the city, particularly in the Indian section. During the mid-day a huge human glacier of students and public formed at Wellington Square meeting, attempted to break through the police cordon. The crowd was peaceful and the situation became tense and menacing as Police resorted to firing. However, before much time lapsed the police blockade was withdrawn. The crowd gradually entered Dalhousie Square, the forbidden area, and passed round it without an incident. In the city as a whole a great commotion had been stirred up by police firing on the day before. This spread from the students to other sections of people. There were cases of setting fire to several military lorries, some of which happened to have run over and killed the pedestrians. Several firings and *lathi* charges took place at various places causing deaths of 13 persons and injuries to more than a hundred

On the third day, no police could be seen in the Indian quarters and the city was left to the civil people. There were demonstrations, setting fire to militatry and police lorries, barricading of streets, etc. Police opened fire and made *lathi* charges at several places taking the lives of five people and injuring some scores. The total number of casualties during the three days, as stated on the 24th November last, mounted up to 34 killed and several hundreds injured. British military police were on patrol all over the city on the night of the 23rd.

From the afternoon of the 23rd November the city began to return to the normal conditions. Appeals, threats, and other messages had in the meantime poured out from the national leaders, His Excellency the Governor of Bengal and the distinguished citizens. On the 24th Calcutta's transport services were working as usual.

Sympathetic demonstrations in protest against police firing in the city were being held all over the country and the leaders of the people, the University of Calcutta, the Bar Association and the newspapers voiced a demand for public enquiry into the causes of police firing.

The Bengal Government issued a statement (on the 29th November) on the recent "disturbances" in Calcutta. The following were main features of the same:

> Under severe pressure of very large crowds, converging from several directions police resistance was overcome and the cordon broken. Very large crowds streamed into the prohibited area shouting slogans and stopping traffic.
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> Not less than 6 important highways were barricaded, and the barricades were "continuously manned, and resolute efforts by the police to clear them were unsuccessful, owing to the severity of the stone-throwing to which they were subjected."

Outside Calcutta there were "stopping of trains on the E. I. Ry. by demonstrations in Howrah town and at several places along the main line, stopping of traffic of all kinds in Howrah town" and strike by workers of about 200 factories.

The police opened fire on 14 occasions. Circumstances of each of the firing are being enquired into.

The number of vehicles—Bengal Government and military (British and U. S.)—is—destroyed 49, damaged 97 and missing 4.

According to a *press note* issued by the military authorities the following army personnel and vehicles were among the casualties during the disturbances:—

Detained in Hospital.—British forces 14; U. S. forces 5.

Treated in M. I. Rooms:—Army 43, R. I. N. nil. R. A. F. 12, U. S. forces 32 (figure supplied by P. R. Officer).

Killed:—U. S. forces 1 (burnt to death in ambulance).

Vehicles burnt out:—Army 32, R. I. N. 3, R. A. F. 2, U. S forces 9.

Vehicles stolen or missing:—Army 4.

Vehicles damaged:—Army 28, R. I. N. nil, R. A. F. 1, U. S. forces 50. Both personnel and vehicle casualties would not have been so great had it not been for the fact that army lorries were employed for delivery of food supplied to ration shops.

The American Press on the 24th November last prominently displayed dispatches on the Calcutta riots, and radio stations sent streams of news into American homes.

Till the time of our going to press the number of deaths of civil persons in the last disturbances were known to have gone up to 38.

THE SITUATION DAY BY DAY

November 21

Bullets were shot and repeated *lathi* charges were made by Police on the 21st November last on a crowd of student demonstrators, who, having assembled earlier in the day at Wellington Square in connection with a protest meeting against the present I. N. A. trial, had been stopped on Dhurrumtolla Street, at the junction of Madan Street, Mati Seal Street and Dhurrumtolla Street, while moving in a procession towards Dalhousie Square.

At about 3-30 p.m. Police blocked the procession at the above spot and the students apart from shouting slogans did nothing which could infuriate Police to make *lathi* charges or open fire.

Police And The Crowd

Gradually the crowd of the students was greatly enlarged by the public, and at dusk the processionists made peaceful attempt to pass through the Police barricade. At that time brickbats were thrown from behind the demonstrators. The *Statesman* describes: "In the melee, a police lorry and two private cars were set on fire by the crowd. Eventually, the police had to resort to repeated *lathi* charges which were followed by fusillades of brickbats. Pressure on the police cordon was maintained and a possee of mounted police arrived to scatter the crowd which, on withdrawing down Dhurrumtolla Street and Madan Street, increased its barrage of brickbats. At this stage the police opened fire.

"The crowd, however, did not leave the area altogether and collected at several points in Dhurrumtolla Street and Madan Street. The police again made several *lathi* charges."

His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey visited the spot at about 10 p.m. when the demonstration was still going on, and made inquiries of police officials about the incident.

Dr. Syamaprasad Mookerjee, President of the All-India Hindu Mahasabha and Dr. Radhabinode Pal, Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University, Mr. Kiron Sankar Roy and others came on the spot after police firing and *lathi* charges.

The processionists remained on the spot, where the firing had taken place, throughout the night and at day-break people representing all communities and sections, and all shades of opinion gathered.

November 22

The commotion which had been created by the police firing on the students' procession in the evening of the 21st November last assumed a more serious proportion the following day. It spread from the students to other sections of people and there were clashes all over the city. Several firings and *lathi* charges took place resulting in the deaths of 13 persons and injuries to over 131 persons who were admitted in different hospitals.

There was complete hartal throughout the Indian section of the city, all communities joining in it. The tram and bus service was suspended throughout the city and Howrah. Private vehicles and military lorries were obstructed in different parts of the city, particularly along the principal thoroughfares. In some cases military lorries were stoned and set fire to and mobs were fired upon by the police and military. Road blocks were placed at places making it difficult for the wheeled vehicles to move.

A Military lorry driven by an American Negro driver, it is reported, ran over a pedestrian near Jogu Babu's Bazar. The driver was caught hold of and roughly handled. His lorry was set on fire. Two more lorries met the same fate.

During mid-day all processions formed in the different parts of the city glided towards Wellington Square. By 12-30 the Square became a solid mass of human beings. An all-parties platform automatically was formed. The tricolour of the Congress, the shimmering blue of Islam, the deep red of the Communists, the Swastika-bearing of the Hindu Mahasabha flags began flattering in the clear and soft air of Mid-November. The batch of Muslim students who came from Islamia College direction received a rousing ovation.

Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli and Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose addressed the gathering.

It was huge human-glacier, described the *Amrita Bazar Patrika*, and on its onward move received additional weight and momentum as it progressed. The whole Dharamtala Street was a seething mass of humanity.

When the front part of this huge procession reached the Grant Street and persisted in breaking through the police-built blockade the clash came. The old process was repeated again. There was at first *lathi*-charge but it was soon followed by heavy *lathi*-charge and ended in shooting by police. There was again pelting of stones and brickbats from the side of the crowd.

Every way to get out of the situation was apparently closed. The total strength of the crowd must have gone to lakhs. But nevertheless it was

peaceful except the part against which police resorted to firing. It was a menacing and tense situation.

At this time the police blockade was withdrawn and the impatient crowd made a forward move without receiving any obstruction. It moved on and on and entered what was called the prohibited zone. It was as it looked the Ganges in floods. The crowd reached the corner of the Government House and turned to the right and entered Old Court House Street. There was even a malicious joy and a delight which caught hold of both the vanguard and the rearguard of the procession which looked unending.

The appearance of the huge crowd in the Dalhousie Square area which had been so definitely declared "out of bounds" by even the highest executive of the province was most unexpected. Those who were either in the street or on the foot-paths retired and made room for the processionists to pass on. They went forward and reached at last Dalhousie Square, the target. After making a round of the Square they took the road that led them back to non-prohibited area.

There was no police arrangement to guard Dalhousie Square nor any interference from the police. At Lalbazar Headquarters the police force were silent spectators of the scene.

After parading through Bentinck Street, Harrison Road they came in front of Calcutta Medical College Hospital to take charge of the body of the late Mr. Rameswar Banerjee, the first student victim of the previous day's firing.

The procession led by Dr. Syama Prosad Mookerjee, Dr. B. C. Roy and other leaders passed through Wellington Street, Wellesley Street, Wood Street and Lower Circular Road. It reached Keoratolla Burning Ghat at 8-30. Flowers were showered on the body from houses lining the route along which the procession passed.

Calcutta schools and colleges affiliated to Calcutta University were closed for two days, 22nd and 23rd November by order of the Vice-Chancellor.

The formation of an All-Party Council of Action to implement public demands for the release of all those arrested in connection with the Calcutta firing incidents, and a public inquiry and punishment of all those responsible for the firing, was urged at a workers' protest rally towards the evening of the 22nd November at Mohammad Ali Park.

Industrial workers from various parts of Calcutta and suburbs struck work and rallied to the meeting.

Police opened fire and made *lathi* charges on unruly crowds at seven places in the city on the 23rd November last. Five persons were killed and 27 injured. Thirteen of the injured admitted to hospital on the two previous days had died. This brought the total number of casualties during the last three days to 31 dead and 192 injured.

Demonstrations setting military and police lorries on fire, stoning of private vehicles, barricading of streets with dustbins and logs of wood, bonfires of European clothes, etc., started early in the morning and continued till midday.

Following appeals issued to the crowds by Congress and Hindu Mahasabha leaders to remain peaceful and not to organize demonstrations, the situation appeared to have improved, no incident being reported after 4 p.m.

The disturbances also affected railway communications to and from Howrah Station. Thousands of demonstrators blocked the railway line near Lalloolah Station on the E.I.R. by sitting or lying on the permanent way.

Police took a holiday on the 23rd and the whole Indian quarters of the city were left to be policed by its civil population.

The early morning situation was gloomy and acts of incendiarism were committed as on the day before. An isolated military lorry moving towards Shambazar through Cornwallis Street was set on fire near Cornwallis Square. Throughout Chittaranjan Avenue from Beadon Street to Bowbazar Street a number of military lorries were set on fire and were burning till midday. Another solitary military lorry near Burrabazar Post Office was also

GOVERNOR'S BROADCAST

H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey in the course of a broadcast speech from the Calcutta Station of the All-India Radio on the 22nd November night in connection with the happenings in the city said :—

"A regrettable disturbance happened last night in Calcutta. An uncontrolled and leaderless body of young men sought to disobey well-known regulations which are framed for the maintenance of law and order in the public interest. As a result, traffic was held up for 12 hours and great inconvenience caused to a great many people. Worse still, some casualties were suffered

"Today there have been further scenes of lawlessness, further casualties and great inconvenience to the public through interference with traffic.

"Such activities prove nothing, influence nobody and are not in the interest of any section of the people. There are many legitimate ways of expressing views or feelings which are much more effective.

"I ask leaders of thought and opinion to use their influence to ensure that such incidents do not happen again."

CORPORATION CONDEMNS POLICE ACTION

Speeches condemning police action in connection with the students' demonstrations and demanding the appointment of a non-official Committee of inquiry were made by several members at the meeting of the Calcutta Corporation on the 22nd November last.

The Mayor while deprecating the "conduct" of the authorities offered to lead a procession of the citizens of Calcutta to Government House demanding the release of the I. N. A men on trial.

set on fire. In South Calcutta also near Jagu Babu's Bazar two lorries were set on fire and two more near Monohorpukur Road.

The American military lorries and Jeeps took the cue from the prevailing custom and attached to each one of them the American National Flags which were respected by the crowd. British military lorries depended upon equiping their lorries with guns and other weapons for security. Nevertheless towards the afternoon any lorry, whether American or British, scarcely plied through the city.

The students isolated themselves from these acts of incendiarism. They addressed themselves to the task of organising protests against the previous days' police firings. The dead bodies of two victims of police firings, Mr. Animesh Chowdhury and Mr. Samir Guha, were taken in a procession to the Keoratola Burning Ghat and cremated there. Mrs. Labanyaprabha Dutta was present at the cremation ghat.

British military police began patrolling the streets of Calcutta on the night of the 23rd November last as representatives of the major political parties demanded the appointment of a non-official committee to investigate the violence in the city during the last three days, according to a report of the "Associated Press of America."

GOVERNOR'S SECOND BROADCAST

H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, broadcasting on the 23rd November last from the Calcutta Station of All-India Radio, said :—

"I am very sorry to have to record that, in spite of advice and appeals from many quarters, Calcutta continues to be in a very disturbed state and the trouble has to-day spread to Howrah."

He also said :—

"Further, we are determined to restore Calcutta to normal conditions as quickly as possible and all steps will be taken to this end even if it becomes necessary to call in the assistance of the Army in aid of our hard-pressed and not very numerous police.

"I have postponed calling upon the Army as long as I could; it is no longer possible to postpone bringing them in support of the police. As some of you may have seen, troops are to-night taking up positions from which they will be able to operate immediately in support of the civil power if it becomes necessary to invoke their aid. All those citizens of Calcutta, who want law and order and not anarchy will avoid interference with the Army in the performance of their essential and unwelcome task."

DR. MOOKERJEE'S STATEMENT

Dr Syama Prosad Mookerjee on the 23rd November last issued the following statement to the Press :—

"The unprecedently large procession comprising more than one lakh of persons accompanying the funeral procession was remarkably peaceful, organized and disciplined I am not prepared to believe that student community as such had anything to do with acts of incendiarism occurred in some parts of Calcutta yesterday. I hope all sections of the people, irrespective of parties and communities will fully co-operate in maintaining a peaceful atmosphere. Government also must realize that wanton shooting or repression will not in any way help to ease the situation. It will further embitter the situation and worsen it beyond recovery."

MR. SARAT C. BOSE'S APPEAL

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose issued an appeal to the citizens of Calcutta to co-operate with one another in putting down "all attempts at goondaism, arson and lawlessness in any shape or form"

He also appealed to the different political organizations to see that the following demands are accepted by the authorities :

(1) That the lathi charges and firing resorted to by the police were entirely unjustified, (2) that a demand should be put forward for the appointment of an unofficial Enquiry Committee to enquire into all the matters that led to the disturbances during the last few days and to bring the persons who resorted to unjustified lathi charge and firing to book, and (3) that the persons arrested during the last few days including students and others should be forthwith released.

A similar appeal was made by Mr. Surendra Mohan Ghose, President, Bengal Provincial Congress Committee and four other Congress leaders.

MAULANA AZAD'S MESSAGE

Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Congress President, in a letter dated the 24th November addressed to Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, says :—

"The tragedy of Calcutta is very deplorable. I clearly see the hand of such elements in it who want to put obstacles in the way of the Congress, and want to defame it.

"Please try to get all these irresponsible demonstrations ended, so that normal atmosphere of peace may be created as soon as possible."

The city assumed a quiet atmosphere in all sections on the 23rd November night for the first time since shooting began during a student demonstration in observance of Indian National Army Day.

A *communique* issued by the military authorities stated :—

"The public are warned that all Allied military forces are carrying out purely military duties, and that such measures will be taken as are considered necessary to ensure that military and Government property is not damaged or interfered with and force will be used to ensure that the lives of personnel driving these vehicles are not endangered.

"No military action, other than the above stated, will be taken except at the request of the Bengal Government in aid of civil power."

Demands that the *lathi* charges and firing by police were entirely unjustified and that an unofficial enquiry committee be set up to enquire into all the matters that led to the disturbances during the last few days and the persons responsible for firing and *lathi* charges be brought to book, were made at an informal conference of leaders held at Mr. Sarat Bose's house on the 23rd November last.

Calcutta's tram, bus, taxi and rickshaw services plied from the 24th November last. A joint statement issued by the secretaries of the Calcutta Tram Workers' Union, Bus Workers' Union, Motor Transport Workers' Union and Rickshaw Mazdoor Union, stated :—

> "In view of the great inconvenience to which the public have been put due to stoppage of transport, the Unions have decided to resume work from to-day (November 24). The Unions expect the co-operation of the public and hope that the demands, that is, the release of arrested students, public inquiry into firing, etc., will be realized through a united movement of all sections of the public."

A joint appeal to the citizens of Calcutta was issued on the 24th November by the leading citizens. It stated :—

> The students of Calcutta won their right to take out a procession to Dalhousie Square by displaying admirable self-control in the face of the gravest provocations. They showed firm determination and rare courage but were perfectly non-violent in their methods. The sporadic acts of violence which are reported from the different parts of the city have nothing to do with the students' cause which stands vindicated to-day.
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> We sincerely deplore such isolated acts of violence and strongly condemn them since they damage the national cause.
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> We fervently appeal to all citizens of Calcutta to attempt individually and collectively to put a stop to such acts of violence which do good to none.

A Government announcement said that on account of the abnormal conditions prevailing in Calcutta, it was not possible for Food Rationing lorries to function and that unless conditions improved it would not be possible to ensure that supplies were available at local ration shops.

No sooner the news of Police firing on the students' procession in Calcutta was received countrywide than the students of the various cities and towns set up demonstrations in protest. In Bombay there were on the 24th November *lathi* charges by Police at various places on the students moving in processions. The Karachi Municipal Corporation adjourned its meeting on the 23rd without transacting any business. *Lathi* charges were made twice on a large number of student demonstrators, composed mostly of school boys by the Cantonment Police, on the 23rd November last culminating in minor injuries on a number of students. All local colleges and schools of the city were deserted as a protest against firing on students of Calcutta.

The Nagpur University Convocation, which was to have been held on the 24th November last was postponed. Students in some educational institutions abstained from attending classes.

Hundreds of Delhi students cut classes on Monday, the 26th November, in favour of a mass meeting, to protest against the Calcutta Police shootings.

MR SANTOSH K. BASU

Mr. Santosh Kumar Basu ex-Mayor, Calcutta Corporation, in the course of a statement to the Press (November 26) says :—

"The students of Calcutta have made the supreme offering in vindication of the elementary civil liberties of their fellow citizens. Repeated onslaughts with lathis and bullets could not deter them."

MR. KIRAN SANKAR ROY

Mr. Kiran Sankar Roy in the course of a Press statement (November 27) says :—

"I emphatically state that the students were non-violent. The entire responsibility for the bloodshed must be on the shoulder of those, who in the name of law and order always break law and order at their sweet will without little or no provocation."

—THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

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by the Corporation came up for consideration at a meeting of the Corporation on the 21st November last.

Councillor A. K. M. Baquer, Chairman, Public Utilities and Markets Standing Committee moved the following :—

> "That with a view to implement the decision of the Corporation dated 12th September, 1945, to acquire the Calcutta Tramways undertaking and to run it through their own agency on and from the 1st January, 1946, the general terms and conditions for the appointment of an Agent for the said purpose, prepared by the Chief Engineer in consultation with the Chief Law Officer be approved, and that an advertisement be issued as early as possible."

Raising a point of order Councillor D. J. Cohen submitted that whether security deposit could be utilized in the way as proposed by the Public Utilities and Markets Standing Committee.

The Chief Executive Officer said that the Corporation had sent the whole question to Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose for his opinion which had not yet been received. But so far as the terms and conditions were concerned Mr. Bose had formally approved those terms in writing.

Councillor Anandi Lal Poddar, who was in the chair in the absence of the Mayor, said that he was not willing to give his ruling until Mr. Bose's opinion was received as about six crores of rupees were involved in the matter.

With the consent of the House Councillor Poddar adjourned the meeting.

Ex-Councillor Jyotirmoyee Ganguli

End Of A Distinguished Career Under Tragic Circumstances

MISS Jyotirmoyee Ganguli an *ex*-Councillor of the Corporation of Calcutta, a noted educationist and a national worker was killed as a result of her car colliding with a military lorry on the 22nd November last. Miss Ganguli was proceeding along Rashbehari Avenue in a car to attend the cremation of Rameswar Banerjee, a victim of police firing in Dhurrumtolla Street.

Her car collided with a military lorry at the crossing of Rashbehari Avenue and Russa Road. As a result of the collision her car was badly damaged and Miss Ganguli received severe injuries on her person and was removed to Sambhunath Pandit Hospital where she succumbed to her injuries after her removal.

On receipt of the news many of her relations and friends called at the hospital to pay their respect to the deceased.

Miss Ganguli had earlier attended the students' meeting in Wellington Square where an emphatic protest had been recorded against police firing on the crowd in Dharamtolla Street.

The last rites of Miss Ganguli were performed at Nimtolla burning ghat the next day, the 23rd November last. A large number of Congress leaders and workers accompanied the huge funeral procession and attended the cremation.

The body had been removed from Sambhunath Pandit Hospital in Bhowanipore to her residence at 6, Goorooprasad Chowdhury Lane in north Calcutta on the previous night. Wreaths were offered on behalf of numerous organizations and individuals. The bier was bedecked with National Flags.

The funeral procession started from her residence at about 10 o'clock in the morning and stopped at the Sadharan Brahmo Samaj Hall in Cornwallis Street for about an hour, where a service was held. The procession passed in solemn silence along Simla Street, Beadon Street and Nimtolla Ghat Street.

Her brother, Mr. Pravat Chandra Ganguli performed the last rites.

Miss Ganguli, was aged about 57 at the time of her death. She was also a noted educationist and her life was dedicated to the service of her country.

Her father, the late Mr. Dwarka Nath Ganguli, was an eminent educationist and social reformer. Her mother, the late Dr. Mrs. Kadambini Ganguli, was the first Indian woman medical graduate.

Miss Ganguli was a distinguished graduate of the Calcutta University and took her M.A. degree in Philosophy in 1908. After her University career she joined Bethune College as a professor of History. Thereafter she joined Ravenshaw College, Cuttack. Several years later she became the Principal of Buddhist Girls' College in Ceylon.

In 1920, when Mahatma Gandhi launched the non-co-operation movement she came back to Calcutta and took part in the special session of the Congress of that year, and was captain of the volunteers of that session.

She suffered imprisonment on several occasions for taking part in the Civil Disobedience movements.

In 1933 she was elected Councillor of Calcutta Corporation.

She took an active part in the industrial development of the country and organized various industrial exhibitions.

ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY

POST-WAR RECONSTRUCTION DISCUSSION MEETINGS

The following meetings have been arranged to be held in December, 1945, at the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal :—

Thursday, 6th December, at 6 p.m.

Opener : James Buchanan, Esq., M.A., Dip. in Ed. (Glas.), Dip in Phy. Edn. (Dunfermline), Physical Director to the Government of Bengal, Calcutta.

Subject : Youth Welfare.

Thursday, 13th December, at 6 p.m.

Opener : Capt. W. R. Burges, Special Officer, Fisheries Department, Government of Bengal, Calcutta.

Subject : Possibilities of Fishing in the Bay of Bengal.

Thursday, 20th December, at 6 p.m.

Opener : Miss P. Bankart, Special Officer, Work Centres, Relief and Rehabilitation, Bengal, Calcutta.

Subject : Some Aspects of Relief and Rehabilitation in Bengal.

DEATH OF MR. SURENDRA MOHAN ROY

LOSS TO FOOD SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

The sad and unexpected demise of Mr. Surendra Mohan Roy, Distributor, Food Supply Department, Calcutta Corporation, was condoled at a meeting of the officers and staff of the Department held on the 28th November last. Mr. S. C Ghose, Food Supply Officer, took the chair.

Mr. Kishanlal Ghosh, of the Education Department, one of the intimate and life-long friends of the late Mr. Surendra Mohan Roy, first addressed the meeting. Mr. F. Rahman, Actg. Asstt. Food Supply Officer and Mr. H. Roy, Asstt. Food Supply Officer also spoke on the many qualities of head and heart of the deceased

The late Mr. Surendra Mohan Roy first took service in the Education Department of the Calcutta Corporation as a teacher. When the Food Supply Department was established, he was deputed to work there. He was a very sincere and honest worker. He was loved and respected by all who came in contact with him. Mr. Roy has left behind him his wife, one son, one brother and many relations to mourn his loss.

NEW MAYOR OF MADRAS

Rao Bahadur N. Sivaraj, President of the Madras Provincial Branch, All-India Scheduled Castes Federation was unanimously elected Mayor of Madras at a meeting of the Corporation Council held on the 20th November last.

Mr. Satrasala Venkataram was elected Deputy Mayor.

General Article

War Against Deadly Malaria

[By John D. Hillaby]

TUCKED away in a corner of the vast grounds of Horton Emergency Hospital in Surrey, not far from the Epsom Race Course, is a block of low-lying buildings which has attained peculiar significance during the war years. It is a research department, the Combined Operations Room in the worldwide battle against the "King of Death" disease—malaria transmitted by the anopheline mosquito.

In war, with our troops spread along the equatorial fever line of the earth, the threat of malaria has increased enormously. In fact, Dr. John E. Baker, former director of the Burma Road, stated that if nobody checked the spread of malaria in China, the Japanese would be able to let the mosquitoes do all their fighting.

"King Of Death"

But even in peace time large areas of the world were ravaged by this disease. It is estimated that there are some 800,000,000 sufferers from malaria in the world, to-day, more than 100,000,000 of whom are in India alone accounting for 1,000,000, of the 3,000,000 deaths annually. In 1937, there were 4,000,000 cases in the United States. Rightly has it been called the "King of Death."

Britain, fortunately, has had only 500 locally contracted cases in the last twenty-five years. To-day, however, here is a growing plague threat in the large numbers of troops returning from malarial countries with the germs still in their bloodstream. The Government is taking every precaution; hence the research department at Horton.

In charge of this up-to-date laboratory is Mr. P. G. Shute, Assistant Malaria Officer to the Ministry of Health, who has devoted the greater part of his life to the little gauze-winged fever-spreading flies.

Malaria is, literarlly, in his veins. Every year before the war he made long trips out in the countries of Eastern Europe, where the disease was rife. He caught it himself so often that, to-day, even when he knifes his wrist and forces in the microscopic spindle-shaped germs of malaria, it seldom "takes" sufficiently well for his scientific tests.

His chief concern during the war years has been the careful maintenance of a super-heated mosquito farm down at Horton. He breeds the small, wriggling larvae which turn into blood-thirsty flies in hundreds of thousands. Five hundred related generations in the last twenty years have laid eggs, turned into wrigglers, pupated and emerged as mosquitoes much in the same way as a a caterpillar turns into a chrysalis and eventually a moth. This absorbing research constantly goes on. The enemy has been checked, but the battle is not yet over.

Larvae A Principal Weapon

Mr. Shute's larvae are his principal weapons. These little olive-coloured creatures live in rows of earthware bowls kept in a humid outhouse. They need little attention. A small electric compressor engine whirrs away in a corner of the room keeping the bowls well aerated, and occasionally one of Mr. Shute's assistants comes in and feeds them with a spoonful of yeast or some of the green-coloured water-plant called algae. The wrigglers love it, especially the algae which is conveniently served up in a dehydrated form and looks like ground pepper.

The rest of the time they pass suspended upside down on the surface of the water, inhaling air through two small openings near the end portion of their abdomens. Eventually the wriggler is ready to turn into its pre-audit stage, the pupa, and then looks very much like a comma. In time the pupa splits open and out comes the adult mosquito. At Horton they breed the most dangerous of the thirty British specimens, *Anopheles maculipennis*.

All these changes are carefully noted and timed by the research staff. They even cater for the flies' first adult meal by letting them roost over a complacent old pig called Ferdie. At night the mosquitoes swoop down on his thick skin and feed. Others favour rabbits' blood. They settle on the end of the animals' noses, but neither Ferdie nor Toots the rabbit seem to have the least objections. Between "meals" they live in gauze-covered boxes about the size of a tea chest.

In this state the flies are harmless to human beings as they have not yet been allowed to suck malaria-infected blood. A thousand such "virgin" insects were flown to Italy last year when Mr. Shute urgently required samples of the peculiar malaria fever which nearly paralysed the First and Fifth Armies. He let them feed on infected volunteers, flew his unusual "guinea-pigs" back to England and helped to allay the plague with drug suppressives.

Work On G. P. I.

But probably the most important part of his work down at Horton to-day concerns quite a different branch of pathology. A famed scientist, late Wagner Von Jauregg of Vienna, discovered that a sharp bout of malaria arrested a grim syphilitic condition called G. P. I.—general paralysis of the insane—in which the sufferer loses all power of co-ordination and has wild illusion of grandeur.

Mr. Shute takes some of his infected mosquitoes out of their red-coloured danger box, lets them feed on the arm of a G. P. I. patient and thus infects the sufferer with malaria. The fever kills the G. P. I. germs; and the patient, in turn, helps to provide malarial blood for another batch of virgin mosquitoes. The brood is thus always available for research purposes, infected and ready.

Day and night the healing cycle goes on: man to insect and insect back to man. . . Modern science has tranformed the "King of Death" fly into an instrument of miracle healing.

Special Article

The Working Of A Small-Town Government In U. S. A.

IN the United States the privilege of local self-government is regarded as one of the chief merits of the political system, as one of the inalienable rights of the people and the purest form of functioning democracy.

Local government units permit the people of each locality who are most familiar with their own local conditions and needs to regulate their own affairs. Direct participation in local government stimulates, moreover, an interest in public affairs, thus serving as a training school in the political education of its citizens and giving to the nation a more active and valuable member of society.

Township Government

Villages and towns vary greatly in the United States, both in size and precise form of administration. In addition to these units there are administrative units called townships, which are sub-divisions of counties. These townships vary in size from one square mile to 40 square miles. They are often more important as governmental units than countries, and in the New England States they actually perform county functions.

In New York, Pensylvania, New Jersey, Michigan and other states, township government involves less direct participation than in New England, and boards of elected officials do the work of directing the affairs of the townships. In such states the larger administrative areas—counties—have great responsibilities. In general, all townships are subject to limitations imposed by the states, and do not have state charters of incorporation.

There are approximately 9,678 incorporated cities, towns, boroughs and villages with populations under 1,000 in the United States. The legislative powers of the incorporated village or borough are usually in the hands of a board of trustees, with a village president or mayor; and the executive power is in the hands of the village president or mayor supported by varying officials such as a treasurer, a chief of police or marshal, etc.

Charter Of Local Government

In order to become incorporated as village, town, or city, the community in most states must petition the state for the authority to set up its own local government. The grant is given in the form of a charter. This urban unit is then free to carry on its self-government and to formulate such rules and regulations as suit its local needs, in so far as these do not conflict with the rights and laws of the larger units of which it is a part, of the country, state or nation. In some states which have by their constitution or by legislative enactment, granted home rule, the municipality draws up its own charter and has the people vote on it. The municipality is always subject to the control of the state legislature.

Each of the 48 states has, under the American system, the right to rule itself in its own way, within a republican form of government, and within the limitations of the U. S. constitution. The states grant local government powers not only to incorporated urban communities, but also to their territorial subdivisions known as counties, of which there are more than 3,000 in the United States. Thus the inhabitants of the United States may express their will and find a common protection on three levels—local, state and national.

Types Of Local Government

In their government, types of local government range from the direct government by town meetings, as in New England, to the representative system of delegating authority to elect representatives.

The number and types of officials chosen under latter system must also vary greatly not only in accordance with the size of the community, but by reason of geographic conditions and of occupational and economic differences.

A small rural municipality has fewer requirements than one located on a harbour and which engages in shipping and foreign trade. A town on a main highway has need of more traffic officers than a narrow valley town with few cross-streets.

Many towns in the mid-western states which were settled by pioneers from New England have retained, to a certain degree, the town meeting system, whereas in the South and Far West, the town meeting is non-existent.

A Typical Example

In a mid-western township of some 4,000 inhabitants, the system of local government is carried on in such a manner as follows :—

An open town meeting is called annually for the election of officers and committees. Procedure requires that formal notice must be given of the time and place of the meeting, with an outline of the business to be transacted, and that this notice be posted in conspicuous places and printed in the town papers a certain number of days before the meeting.

Since this town does not possess a town hall, since schools are in session, making the high-school auditorium inaccessible, and since no one of the three denominational churches offers adequate facilities, the meeting is to be held in a hall, called the Lodge Hall which serves as the gathering place for many political and social affairs, such as dances, masonic meetings, veterans reunions, and home-coming week festivities.

It is spring, and farmers living within the township drive in with their families to spend the day. Most of them bring a lunch basket, preferring—the day being warm—to eat outdoors in the "Grove" on the river's edge at the outskirts of the town. Relatives and acquaintances gather here in groups for a visit together before attending the afternoon meeting.

Community Meeting

Almost everyone, regardless of age, attends the meeting, and all qualified voters arrive at their decisions on general problems through open discussion and open voting, either by a majority showing of hands or by the vocal response of "Aye" and "Nay." In the matter of the election of officers, written ballots are taken up.

The meeting is called to order by the town clerk who reads the warrant. A presiding officer, or moderator, is then elected and business proceeds according to parliamentary rules.

The first order of the day is the election of town officers for the ensuing year. Following that, appropriations are discussed and agreed upon for the payment of public expenses, such as the salaries of officers, the care of roads, street-paving, street lighting, appropriations for education, for the public library, for a so-called "community chest" or charity fund (though most charitable institutions, such as those for orphans, the aged, the mentally infirm, come under the control and support of county or state), and for such specific cases as the erection of a new public building or the replacement of a damaged bridge. Problems of epidemics and health laws, of water supply, and fire protection may also come up for discussion.

This town, while retaining in framework the town meeting systems, tends toward the representative form of government, vesting less authority in its town meeting and leaving more decisions to be taken by its elected officers as the need occurs throughout the year.

Officers Of A Town

The officers elected at this annual meeting are:

A town clerk whose principal duties are to keep the records of town meetings and of meetings of the councilmen; to prepare vital statistics; record deeds, mortgages and other legal documents; to issue marriage licenses and keep registers of births, marriages and deaths. He is frequently re-elected from year to year, and thus becomes an authority on the town history, on precedents and genealogy.

A tax assessor who prepares the list of taxpayers in the town; evaluates property; collects the taxes and turns the funds over to the town treasurer.

A town treasurer who receives and takes care of all taxes collected from the payers and turns over to the proper officers the portion which goes to the state and to the county; he also keeps account of all other receipts and disbursements and makes his annual report to the town meeting.

Two constables who serve as peace officers, pursuing and arresting criminals, and executing warrants issued by the justice of the peace.

A justice of the peace whose duties are to administer summary justice in minor cases and commit others to court trial.

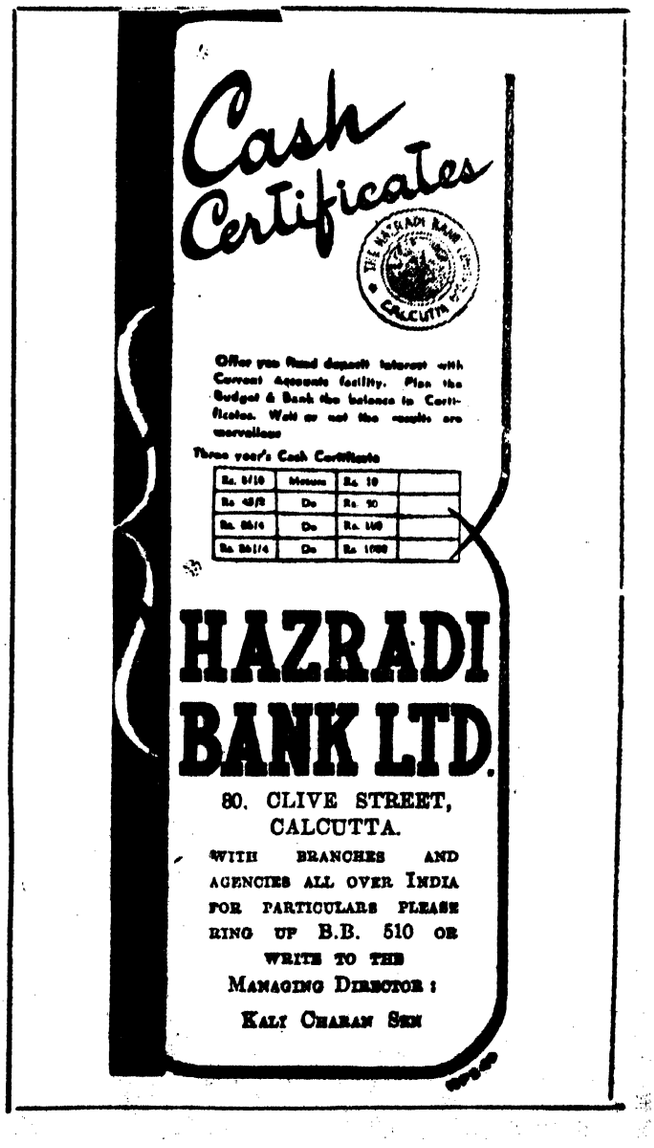
Library trustees who appoint the librarian; authorize the purchase of books and other expenditures; and who are usually re-elected from year to year.

A school board of five members, frequently re-elected, whose duty it is to establish and visit schools; to select teachers; to determine teachers' salaries and promotions; to prescribe courses of instruction; and to appoint truant officers.

A board of selectmen whose duty it is in the intervals between the annual meetings to look after all community affairs which are not specifically taken care of by the other elected officials, and appoint such minor officials as they see fit, such as an overseer of the poor, who shall care for paupers, investigate the department and needy class and determine who is entitled to receive public aid; a poundkeeper, who shall pick up and keep stray animals until they are claimed by their owners; a road-surveyor, a park commissioner, a health officer whose principal duties are to control epidemics by enforcing quarantines, by requiring water analysis, drainage and food inspection, and seeing that all health laws are enforced.

This board of selectmen, or as it is also called town council, may look after the upkeep of the town water works; may investigate fire protection and appoint firemen; may authorize contracts for street-lighting; may decide upon the granting of liquor licenses and upon the keeping and sale of fire-arms; may appoint a keeper of the cemetery; may regulate such traffic matters as bicycling on the sidewalk, and animals running at large; may take action on a great variety of matters of local interest. If important appropriations or decisions are involved, the council may call for a special town meeting and put the question to a general vote.

In addition to the management of purely local affairs of the community, the town acts as an agent of the state government for the carrying out of certain state laws and policies. It not only assess and collects state, as well as local taxes, but it enforces the health laws of the state, and acts for the state in many other ways. Thus the governmental organizations overlap and merge at many points, the common good of the greatest number being always the determining factor.—*USIS.*



Health & Hygiene

Fighting Typhus And Spotted Fever

Rocky Mountain Laboratory's Task

MORE than 100 men and women in the Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever Laboratory at Hamilton, Montana, in the north-western United States, are producing vaccines that are combating typhus and yellow fever in all parts of the world. The laboratory is a branch of the National Institute of Health, research unit of the U. S. Pacific Service, and is an outgrowth of early investigations into the disease known as Rocky Mountain spotted fever. In 1941, the laboratory developed a specific cure for the virulent fever from which it takes its name.

Under the direction of Dr. Ralph R. Parker, one of the U. S. pioneers in spotted fever research, the laboratory helped to supply the vast amounts of vaccines used by United Nations armed forces.

Probably more than any other single individual, Dr. Howard Taylor Ricketts laid the groundwork for the laboratory's valuable contribution to medicine.

Rocky Mountain spotted fever in many ways resembles typhus. Its symptoms include chills, fever, headaches, and pains in the joints and muscles. Skin eruptions, which give the disease its name, appear about the third day of the fever.

For many years the fever was a disease of mystery. Then in 1906, because of ill health, Dr. Ricketts went to Bitter Root Valley in Montana for a vacation. He became interested in the baffling ailment. Embarking upon a series of experiments with guinea pigs and monkeys, he finally discovered that Rocky Mountain spotted fever infects humans through the bite of virus-carrying ticks.

Bacilli Identified

Ricketts isolated a rodshaped microbe in infected human blood that appeared also in ticks and tick eggs—"x" of Rocky Mountain spotted fever. Then Ricketts turned his attention to typhus. He found that typhus and spotted fever have many characteristics in common, including the rodshaped bacillus, in 1910, Ricketts contracted typhus in Mexico and died. His name and that of another research victim of typhus, Poland's Stanislas von Prowazek, have been given to the rodshaped microbe of typhus, spotted fever, and related diseases—"rickettsiae-prowazeki," frequently called "rickettsia."

Two other research workers played an important part in the Montana studies: Dr. Roscoe Roy Spencer and Dr. Ralph R. Parker.

Spencer developed a method of building accumulations of the deadly virus in the ticks under laboratory conditions, and found that there was a sufficient concentration of infection in one of them to kill 3,000 guinea pigs.

Spencer and Parker decided to use these laboratory-infected ticks as the basis of a vaccine. They mashed infected ticks, covered them with a weak solution of carbolic acid, and injected them into guinea pigs, all of which thereupon became immune to spotted fever. On May 19, 1924, Spencer innoculated himself to prove the effectiveness of the vaccine on humans; later the vaccine was made available to others. Immunity in humans is not total. The vaccine is effective for approximate a season, and does not, in all cases ward off spotted fever. But where it does not completely prevent infection, it materially lessens the violence of the disease.

Laboratory Continues Search

Parker was made director of the Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever Laboratory in 1928 and in 1931 the laboratory became a part of the National Institute of Health. At present it is devoted almost entirely to research in the rickettsial diseases—those caused by the rodshaped microbes discovered by Ricketts—and to production of vaccines. Included in its studies are spotted fever, epidemic typhus, endemic typhus, tsutsugamushi fever of Japan, trench fever, deer-fly fever, and the "Q" fever of Australia.

The vaccine developed by Spencer and Parker has been produced in ever-increasing quantities. In 1925 it cost $20 to manufacture a single dose. By 1940 the laboratory was producing enough of the vaccine annually to innoculate 130,000 persons at a cost of 75 cents a dose.

Dr. Herrald Cox, one of the research workers at the laboratory, was directly responsible for the increased low-cost production. He infected fertile chicken eggs with rickettsia and found that it was possible to produce vaccines in larger quantities, faster, and at less expense than previously. The infected egg yolks were dried and the still active microbes killed with carbolic acid and formalin. A single egg yolk provided as many as 20 doses of vaccine.

In 1938 the laboratory began to develop typhus vaccines by the egg yolk method. The following year small experimental quantities were shipped to various European countries, and to-day large amounts go to the United States and its United Nations Allies.

Upto 1941 there was still no specific cure for Rocky Mountain spotted fever—though the vaccine was effective as a preventive. But in that year Dr. Norman Topping succeeded in preparing a successful serum at the laboratory from the blood of hyperimmunized rabbits. He acquired a laboratory infection of spotted fever and cured himself with his new serum. To-day it is widely used in treatment of the disease. In 1943 Topping was given the Bailey K. Ashford Award of the American Society of Tropical Medicine for his achievement.

The whole history of the Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever Laboratory has not yet been written. Day by day its workers seek answers to unsolved questions, slowly adding to the growing store of human knowledge.

Engineering & Architecture

Planning A Greater Hyderabad

THE Town Planning Department of His Exalted Highness the Nizam's Government has drawn the outlines of a tentative Master Plan for Greater Hyderabad, to prevent a straggling and haphazard development of the City. The plan includes a number of regional planning schemes besides a comprehensive scheme for the City of Hyderabad, and is engaging the attention of His Exalted Highness' Government; a Special Committee of the Executive Council has been set up to deal with the matter. The question of constituting a Central Regional Planning Board, to study the requirements of regional and local planning in the City of Hyderabad and its suburbs, is under consideration. The Board will, after study, prepare a Master Plan, complete in all details, to meet the present and future needs of the Metropolis.

The planning problem of Greater Hyderabad is essentially regional in character; the work of the Central Planning Board, therefore, by its very nature, is restricted to the determination of the details and the limits of development within which the various executive authorities are to operate and carry out their respective development schemes. This would inevitably entail administrative control by the Central Board over lands lying within Greater Hyderabad which at present are under the jurisdiction of various local authorities.

Historical Background

Three distinct stages mark the metamorphosis of the town, which originally started as an offspring of Golconda, into one of the most modern cities of India, the Hyderabad of to-day. Its foundations were laid in 1590 A. D. by Sultan Mohammad Quli Qutub Shah. He clearly saw that Golconda town was unable to cater to the growing social and civic needs of a rapidly multiplying population. But the main consideration which weighed with the Sultan was political in nature: he did not consider Golconda a fit setting for the capital of his Kingdom. With the Charminar occupying the central position and the four main roads radiating from it the new town started its career in the basin of the River Musi and gradually developed into a fine mediaeval town of 12,000 houses. It contained royal palaces, government offices, residential buildings of nobles, market places and factories. Encircling the town were beautifully laid out gardens spread over extensive areas.

Second Phase

The next phase of the growth and development of Hyderabad town may be said to coincide with the advent of the Asaf Jahi rule in the Deccan. Some selected localities of the town were girdled by fortifications which divided it into two parts, the inner and the outer. The open land or the forecourts in the vicinity of the Charminar, as also dilapidated royal palaces were auctioned to permit of the development of residential localities and the repopulation of desolate parts of the town. This led to the building of ill-assorted residential places in the heart of the town. The process continued for a hundred years or so and, in the absence of any "zonal" planning, the inner part of the town became a conglomeration of disorderly and congested localities which ultimately outgrew its limits. Similarly the outer part of the town—and even open spaces, gardens and agricultural lands lying beyond it—were gradually converted into residential localities. During this period the suburbs of the town projected into areas as far away as Secunderabad, Begumpet and Somajiguda.

Present Phase

The beginning of the third or present phase dates back to the disastrous flood of 1908, when the Musi overflowed its banks and many of the dilapidated localities of the City were almost completely wiped out. Government took up the work of reconstruction immediately after the flood. Measures were taken for slumclearance and the beautification of the city as well as the construction of dust-proof roads, the provision of parks and other open grounds for recreational purposes, the establishment of an up-to-date drainage system and the provision of other civic amenities. Imposing buildings such as the Osmania University, the High Court, the Osmania Hospital and the Unani Shafa Khana and a number of other magnificent structures, of which any modern city could be proud, have been constructed. An extensive network of cement roads of the finest type have been laid out. In addition, thousands of beautifully designed buildings in modern style have been built in recent years. But whatever developments have taken place have been on a piecemeal basis without any comprehensive planning. In the absence of any scheme of regional planning, therefore, certain undesirable features, such as the appearance of pockets of industrial areas in some of the residential localities, have come in.

Potentialities

The City of Hyderabad and its suburbs cover an area of about 80 sq. miles. On account of its uncontrolled and unsystematic growth many beauty spots have been spoiled, while the trunk roads have carried the town far into the country in long ribbons of unattractive suburban houses which stretch monotonously for miles on both sides of them. This has led not only to the rapid and progressive destruction of the countryside but has also rendered municipal administration cumbersome and sanitary arrangements and services unnecessarily expensive and less efficient.

Hyderabad City, however, still has potentialities of systematic development. It has a precious background of tradition, culture and art. Nature, too, has been bountiful. The river Musi, the large water reservoirs, the wild scenery interspersed with vegetation, and the charming hills and valleys—all these contribute towards its magnificance and grandeur and may be utilized to great advantage in the future planned development of the City.

Outlines of the Plan

The basic principle of the Master Plan for the regional development of Hyderabad is to retain, with or without modification, what has already come into existence and then to fit into the existing framework all schemes for future development. The

modern conception of a town is that it should be compact, divided into district, civic, commercial, residential and factory zones, served with a good system of roads, and provided with efficient sanitary services. Where it outgrows predetermined limits, further expansion should take the shape of satellite towns, each a complete whole in itself and a complementary element of the greater unit. The "Greater Hyderabad" plan has taken this conception into account. Factories have been placed beyond the outer Green Belt, military establishments have been concentrated in definite zones, recreation grounds will form part of residential areas, the inner and outer Green Belts will afford outing grounds, the inner and outer circular roads will provide pleasure drives besides interconnecting the various localities, and the railway lines circumscribing the city and its suburbs will provide an additional means of transport for men and materials.

Satellite Towns

The plan contemplates the creation of a number of satellite towns to thin out the population and thus relieve the pressure on the congested parts of the City. These towns will be developed at a distance of ten miles from the central point of the City which has been taken as the Moazzam Jahi Market. They will be self-sufficient and planned on what is called the "neighbourhood unit" basis.

The present system of internal communications in the City has been allowed to develop on what is known as the chessboard system of communications, which is unable to cope with the grownig volume of traffic. Improvement is suggested in the direction of having radial roads and outer-ring roads. Radial roads will serve as connecting links between the important centres of the City while the outer-ring roads will be used mainly for heavy traffic.

Open Areas

The plan stresses the desirability of paying special attention to the question of creating social centres and recreation grounds in congested localities. According to the plan, every locality will have open spaces to serve as playgrounds for children and recreation grounds. The construction of residential and other buildings will not be allowed on existing gardens and open areas within municipal limits. It is also suggested that all open spaces and gardens outside the municipal limits be converted into "green belts" to be used for vegetable gardening and fruit farming.

Other important features of the master plan are the removal of factories from residential localities and the rehousing of the poor and factory labourers.

Town And Country Planning In Bengal

Improvement Trust On Bengal Administration Report

WHILST there is no unanimity of opinion as to how a Town and Country Planning Act should function, the Calcutta Improvement Trust is unanimous in the opinion that in order to regulate

(1) location of industry;

(2) control of ordered development within each local authority's jurisdiction; and

(3) co-ordination between adjoining local authorities

it is agreed that a Provincial Town and Country Planning Act was essential and that the scope of the Bill as proposed in the Bengal Administration Enquiry Committee's Report should be wider in its application than the English Town and Country Planning Act, 1944. A powerful central authority must be established to exercise control over the location of industry and development of the land.

Limitations Of Local Authorities

It is also agreed that local authorities cannot make all the improvements that are so virtually necessary in the Province and this is where private enterprise can play an important part. Any local improvement sponsored by a company must be controlled by a planning authority and must not be allowed to become simply a localized development for profit, but it must conform to the principles of good town planning and be an integral part of the programme of the district as a whole.

The Trust is aware of the lack of initiative displayed in the planning of villages, towns and cities in the Province and the need for co-operation between adjoining local authorities and the individual citizen and that bold and vigorous steps are now required and that the need for proper planning is so great that no longer things can be left to time and the individual. The Trust is also unanimous in its opinion that regional bodies should be set up to co-ordinate the development of the local authorities within that area and that regional bodies should be comprised of representatives from the various authorities in that area and would have at their disposal any advice that may be required which could be given by experts in the subject, who were to be appointed by the central planning authority. It was generally agreed that the local authorities should have powers to develop their own areas and exercise control over the development within their jurisdiction, but that it was essential to ensure co-ordination between local authorities that there should be proper co-ordination exercised by the regional body.

Something Must Be Done

The Trust is of opinion that whether Government should first take up the improvement of towns or villages, the matter is of little importance, but something must be done. The greatest benefits that can be given to the Province as a whole will be by the improvement of the small villages in the first place and as those villages can only bear a small proportion of the cost of the development, the cost of various country schemes should definitely be on a provincial basis. It is suggested that if in accordance with the Bengal Administration Enquiry Committee's Report, the Provincial Government are to exercise not only co-ordination but supervision of the regional authorities, this should be done not only by making available

expert advice, whenever necessary; but if the regional authorities have to carry out expensive schemes formulated by the central body, it will have to be on a Provincial and not on a local financial basis.

It is agreed that the Town and Country Planning Bill will only be a machinery for laying down certain principles of correlating one authority with another and it is stressed that considerable local improvements are necessary in every local authority, but that the carrying out of this work was seriously neglected in the past owing to the fact that adequate financial provisions had not been available or that the improvements had not been tackled seriously owing to apathy on the part of Government and the local authorities. To give the local authorities definite powers and mandamus to improve, an Improvement Trust should be set up in every Municipality with a population of over one lakh.

A Long-Term Policy

It is suggested that the scope of the Bill should be based on a long-term policy for the Province of Bengal as a whole and that the King Report might form the basis of the proposed body and that the disposition of roads in the King plan formulates the different zones which could be effectively controlled by a regional planning body.

One suggestion has been put forward that Panagar which was developed by the Military authorities and where essential services have already been laid down, should be developed by Government as a factory area for Calcutta.

The proposed Bill should aim at affording means for better facilities for the movement of transport between one place and another, a better standard of health of the people, a better standard of living conditions and better housing accommodation. It is appreciated that some of these items may not come within the scope of Town and Country Planning Bill, but the authors of the Bill should bear these points in mind when framing the provisions thereof.

Provisions In Planning

A Town and Country Planning Act should contain provisions for:

(i) compulsory acquisition of land;

(ii) levy of betterment fees on improved areas;

(iii) payment of grants to regional or local bodies towards the cost of development;

(iv) control of the location of industry;

(v) control on the development of buildings and utilisation of sites;

(vi) provisions for making adequate open spaces;

(vii) adequate powers to local authorities to develop and re-develop areas, and

(viii) adequate financial provisions.

Begum Hamida Momin's Note

In the course of a note with regard to Bengal Administration Enquiry Committee's Report Begum Hamida Momin has stated that it is true that in some cases improved lands are not utilized in a proper manner and the area improved again becomes congested. The Calcutta Corporation has full powers to prevent such deterioration. So, there should not be dual-control in this matter and that the Trust should not encroach on the powers of the local body. It is, however, necessary that the Provincial authority should have power to see that the improvement effected is not allowed to be wasted. It seems to me, however, that the Improvement Trust should have powers for the acquisition and utilization of the land for the purpose of housing of the labouring and the poorer middle classes which, according to the preamble, they do not seem to possess. The Improvement Trust gives them such powers only for rehousing dehoused people but not generally.

Note By Mr. Matthews

In the course of another note, Mr. Bernard Matthews has said that there is no doubt that a Bill providing for Provincial and Country Town Planning is essential, as without this legislative control the development of the Province will become haphazard without any co-ordination in the utilisation of land for various purposes required by the community. This necessity is especially so in the case of factory sites, and there is no doubt that in post-war days a considerable number of factories will be erected in Calcutta. At the present time the number of sites is strictly limited and there is nothing to prevent a factory being erected on any piece of land which is available. It is, therefore, suggested that the policy be to provide definite regions and for each of the regions a definite plan should be formulated laying down the lines of main communication and allocating areas for residential, business and factory purposes. This fact has already been recognised in principle by the Bombay Government in developing an area at Ambernath and allocating it for factory purposes and at the same time making provision for adequate supply of water and electrical power.

As far as Calcutta itself is concerned, if a master plan is prepared, then any land sold by the Trust or development proposed by the Trust would have to be co-ordinated with this master plan.

Bengal Road Plan

Any scheme for Provincial planning should also be co-ordinated with the Bengal Road Plan, which was prepared by Mr. King just before the war, and which has been accepted by the Government of Bengal in principle. A further point which should receive consideration is the question of the control of the design of buildings erected upon a site. The necessity of this has already been recognised in the European countries and the lack of control has shown itself to be a defect in the development of Calcutta. It may be argued that this lies within the province of the Calcutta Corporation, but they only deal with the individual cases and their control is very limited and does not extend to a definite control over all the buildings in a particular area. There is evidence of this public control in Delhi where no building can be erected unless it conforms to the general architectural schemes of development. It is suggested that it is quite possible to work out a scheme on this basis without any encroachment on the powers of the Corporation, but in fact assisting them in the discharge of their work.

MR. PARK'S NOTE

The Chairman, Mr. J. A. Parks, gives the following in his own note that a study of the development that is taking place around Calcutta leaves no doubt in the mind of any person with a knowledge of orderly planning that they are being done without any co-ordination of the future requirements of the district as a whole and it is time that legislation was formed which would give the authorities power to exercise more control over this spasmodic development of isolated plots of land. It is essential that a Town and Country Planning Bill should be put on the statute book without any delay for the Province as a whole. The Bill should provide 'inter alia' for zoning, location of industries and density of population. It should also provide for setting up regional authorities which would be responsible for co-ordinating all the developments within their area, and municipalities and other local bodies within that area, whilst being given free scope to develop their area in as effective a manner as possible, must submit their plans to be scrutinised by the regional authorities who will see that they fit in with the development of their region as a whole. Similarly the regional authorities should come under the control of the central authority who will ensure that the regional authorities' proposals fit in with the master plan for the Province.

GOVT. MUST TACKLE THE PROBLEM

Much has been heard of the phrase "post-war reconstruction," and if this is not to become purely meaningless, Government must tackle this problem in a bold manner.

As far as the Trust is concerned, its activities are confined to the limits of the Municipality of Calcutta, whilst on the outskirts of the city, especially in Behala and Tollygunge, much development is taking place by speculative contractors. The whole of the development of the areas in and around Calcutta could not be undertaken by the Trust. The need for house and building sites is much too great for a planning body to undertake on their own, and there is ample room for the private individual; but it is essential that somebody should be able to have control over this spasmodic development so that when the whole of the district is an improved area, there is some resemblance to orderly town planning.

Government have set up numerous bodies for investigating different schemes, such as long term bustee policy, making of a satellite town, reclamation of the Salt Lakes, each one of which is an excellent project on its own, but the future value of which will be considerably impaired if it is not co-ordinated into an orderly planning of the district as a whole.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Howrah Bridge Paint

To THE EDITOR, "CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL GAZETTE"

Sir,—In a special article contributed by Mr. B. V. Roy, M.A. on the New Howrah Bridge in the "Municipal Gazette" dated October, 27, 1945 the following statement occurs (page 620 (b) :—

> "The cement used on the monoliths and approaches, as well as most of the paint used on the bridge, were also made in India, the former being supplied by the Associated Cement Companies, Ltd., and the latter by Jenson and Nicholson, Ltd."

The above statement is misleading in that although a certain amount of paint supplied by Messrs. Jenson & Nicholson was used on the steel work of the Bridge as a "shop coat;" that is to say, applied to prevent corrosion before erection, the paint used for painting the Bridge after construction was supplied by the Shalimar Paint, Colour & Varnish Co., Ltd. The New Howrah Bridge was given two coats of Shalimar Genuine Non-Setting Red Lead, and two coats of Shalimar Lustrol Aluminium Paint; the quantities involved being approximately 90 tons of Red Lead and 5,000 gallons of Aluminium.

You will doubtless appreciate the importance to this Company of any misunderstanding on this point, and we shall be grateful if you will publish a correction to which it is hoped you will kindly give reasonable prominence.

From the footnote to Mr. B. V. Roy's article it will be seen that certain information was obtained from Mr. G. W. Tyson of "Capital", and should you find it necessary to refer to that gentleman it might assist if you quoted our advertisement in the December, 1942 issue of "Capital" (page 8).—Yours etc.

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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

BAKR-ID CELEBRATION

Bakr-Id (the feast of sacrifice), one of the important Muslim festivals, was celebrated in Calcutta on the 16th November last.

In the morning thousands of Muslims joined in the congregational prayers, at the foot of the Ochterlony Monument on the Maidan, led by Maulana Abdul Wahid Usmani Badauni, Joint Secretary, All India Jamait-Ulema-i-Islam, who also delivered the "Khutba" (sermon).

H. H. the Aga Khan led the Id prayers which were attended by about 500 Ismaili Khojas at 25, Lansdowne Road, and delivered an address on the significance of the festival.

Prayers over, sacrifice took place at various mosques and in many private houses.

Special merit attaches to charity on an occasion such as this, and the beggars who thronged the Maidan were not turned away.

Though the Meat Control Order was relaxed by the Bengal Government permitting slaughter of animals and sale of meat on Wednesday (the 14th November) on account of Id-ul-Azha festival, meat was not available in Calcutta markets.

As that Wednesday was a holiday, the Government order was not received by the Corporation in time and, therefore, instructions could not be issued to the municipal slaughter house.

GANDHIJI ARRIVES

Mahatma Gandhi is arriving in Calcutta to-day on his Bengal tour. His tour programme will be finally settled only after his arrival here.

Mahatma Gandhi will be accompanied by a small party, which will include Mr. Peareylal and Dr. Susila Nayyar.

To avoid crowds he will alight at a wayside railway station from where he will be taken to Sodepur Khadi Pratisthan about 10 miles from Calcutta, which he will make his headquarters during his stay.

On account of the present delicate state of his health there will be no formal reception at the station. A statement to this effect has been issued by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghose, Mr. Surendra Mohan Ghose and Mr. Satish Chandra Das Gupta requesting the public not to muster at any railway station during his journey to Calcutta.

This is Mr. Gandhi's first visit to the city after his release from the Aga Khan Palace, Poona, in May, 1944. He last visited Calcutta in February, 1942, only for a day to meet Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

CONGRESS WORKING COMMITTEE TO MEET

Acharya J. B. Kripalani, General Secretary of the Indian National Congress announces that the meeting of the Working Committee and Central Parliamentary Board will take place at Calcutta on December 7th and 9th respectively.

Arrangements for the coming meeting of the Congress Working Committee are progressing.

Sardar Vallabbhai Patel, President of the Congress Parliamentary Board, is expected to arrive in Calcutta on December 3. Pandit Govind Ballabh Pant and Mr. Shankarrao Deo are expected on December 3 and 4.

The venue of the Working Committee session will be finally decided by Maulana Azad on his return to Calcutta on December 3.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Acharyya Narendra Deo and some other leaders, who are likely to attend the Congress Working Committee meeting in Calcutta will, it is learnt, will also tour some of the Bengal districts.

"BHARAT" TO APPEAR AGAIN

Mr. Rathindra Mohan Sen was declared as Printer and Publisher of *Bharat*, a Bengali daily, before Mr. W. J. Palmer, Chief Presidency Magistrate, on Wednesday, the 28th November.

The paper will be printed and published from a press in Lower Circular Road.

RICKSHAW-PULLERS' STRIKE

For the second time in three months over 12,000 Calcutta rickshaw-pullers decided to go on strike from Friday, November 30.

The decision was taken at a meeting organized by the Rickshaw Mazdoor (Pullers') Union at Wellington Square the day before. Mr. K. Missir presided.

The men's main grievance is alleged failure of owners to implement the terms of settlement relating to hiring charges agreed on at a Conference of pullers and owners before the Additional Labour Commissioner, Bengal, on September 1. A further reduction on the agreed rates is also demanded as the men claim that their daily earnings have greatly diminished.

DR. SHYAMA PRASAD MOOKHERJEE

Dr. Shyama Prasad Mookherjee, President of the All India Hindu Mahasabha, who had a heart-attack on November 23, had a set-back and recurrence of the pain on the night of November 29 last. He was ordered complete rest by the doctors.

DEATH OF MR. PANCHCOWRI DE

Mr. Panchcowri De, the famous detective fiction-writer of Bengal, passed away at 'Niralaya', his Calcutta residence, on the 20th November last at an old age of 72. He left behind him his son and daughter and a host of friends and relations to mourn his loss.

MR. MUNINDRA DEB RAI MAHASAI NO MORE

The death occurred last week in Calcutta of Mr. Munindra Deb Rai Mahasai, president of the Bengal Library Association. He belonged to the Bansbaria Raj family of Hooghly and was well known in literary and journalistic circles. He was a member of the old Bengal Council, Chairman of Bansbaria Municipality and an honorary magistrate. One of the pioneers of the Library Movement, he was actively associated with several educational and literary organizations. He was 71.

CENTRAL ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS: DATES FOR RECORDING VOTES

The dates fixed for the recording of votes in the Muslim and non-Muslim constituencies of the Central Assembly in Bengal have been announced in a *Press Note*.

These are: Urban Constituencies: Calcutta (non-Muslims)—December 10; Calcutta Suburbs (non-Muslim), December 11; and Calcutta and Suburbs (Muslim)—December 12.

Rural Constituencies: Burdwan division (non-Muslim), Presidency division (non-Muslim), Dacca division (non-Muslim), and Chittagong and Rajshahi divisions (non-Muslim)—Dec. 10; Burdwan and Presidency divisions (Muslim), Dacca-cum-Mymensingh (Muslim), Bakarganj-cum, Faridpur (Muslim) and Chittagong divisions (Muslim)—Dec 11; and Rajshahi division (Muslim)—December 12.

The polling hours will be from 8-30 a.m. to 12-30 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. (Bengal Time) in the case of urban constituencies and from 10-30 a.m. to 3-30 p.m. (Bengal Time) in the case of rural constituencies.

Instructions are being issued to all officers under the Government of Bengal both in Calcutta and in the mofussil to give all reasonable facilities to Government employees to record their votes. Government hope that all firms and other

employees will co-operate by giving similar facilities to their employees.

TEACHERS MEET GOVERNOR

An assurance of sympathetic examination of the points raised on behalf of the teachers was given by H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, when he received a deputation of the All-Bengal Teachers' Association at Government House on the 15th November last.

The deputation, which was headed by Prof. Humayun Kabir, placed before His Excellency problems relating to the pay and prospects of school teachers and the condition of school education in general as prevailing in the province.

Representation of school teachers on the Senate of Calcutta University was also urged by the deputation.

CALCUTTA-BOMBAY AIR SERVICE

The passenger service by air between Calcutta and Bombay will be resumed early next January, it is authoritatively learnt. It was feared sometime ago that it would take a long time for the resumption of the service.

It will be recalled that the air service between Bombay and Calcutta was suspended in the middle of July last, at the request of the authorities in order to provide more air facilities for transport to Karachi.

Tatas who were running a weekly service between these two stations now expect to run a bi-weekly service.

The question of fare between Bombay and Calcutta is under the consideration of the management. The rate of fare of Rs. 230 which was in operation before the suspension of the service is likely to be maintained.

Another airline is to operate across India shortly. The K. L. M. Royal Dutch Airlines are expected to resume operations from the beginning of 1946.

ENGLISH LITERATURE BETWEEN TWO WARS

Speaking at the Calcutta University, Mr. E. M. Forster, the well-known author and novelist, pointed out the main tendencies in English literature between the two World Wars.

Nobody could write anything during this period, he said, without feeling the influences of war. But there were other influences too, more powerful than either peace or war. There was the enormous economic movement taking place all over the world, including Great Britain and India—the drift to industrialism from agriculture. Since 1920 the accelerating speed of industrial development brought about vast changes in national and personal life. It destroyed feudalism and paved the way to democracy which was yet a goal for mankind to achieve. The economic process was a more important and permanent thing than peace or war.

Another important factor in English literature between the two wars was the psychological movement. This too was going on independent of war or peace. It helped and stimulated writers while they were bothered and hindered by the economic movement.

"Why writers alone? You can see something of this psychological change even in the speeches of public men. Are they not more informal now? And what about official notices and pronouncements? Surely, they are more intelligible—considering the nature of the bureaucratic mind which would never say what it wanted to say in a straight way" (*laughter*), Mr. Forster concluded.

DR. MOOKHERJEE'S CALL TO CITIZENS

"Self-determination is a dangerous proposition but the Congress has accepted it in the C. R. Formula; the Hindu Mahasabha alone has been fighting against it vehemently." Thus observed Dr. Shyama Prosad Mookerjee presiding over a meeting of labourers and citizens at the Metiaburuz Hindu Mahasabha Park on the 16th November last.

Dr. Mookerjee said that India would soon gain her independence and in a free India every community should have its rights and interests properly safeguarded "Akhand Hindusthan' meant nothing else but a united India. He hoped that the people of Bengal who had fought so valliantly against the partition of Bengal in the Swadeshi days would certainly stand by that ideal of unity.

Mr. N. C. Chatterjee also spoke.

CIVIL LIBERTIES CONFERENCE

Resolutions demanding immediate withdrawal of the Defence of India Act, release of security prisoners and pre-reform political prisoners who had already served out their sentences, freedom of speech for each and everybody and the release of the men of the Azad Hind Fouj were adopted at the Civil Liberties Conference held at the Indian Association Hall, on Sunday, the 18th November. Professor Nirmal Bhattacharjee took the chair.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

There was a drop in the number of deaths from malaria in Calcutta during the week ended November 24. *The disease accounted for* 33 *deaths against* 45 *in the preceding week. In the corresponding weeks last year there were* 141 *and* 127 *deaths.*

Cholera attacks and deaths were 15 *and* 2, *respectively, against* 18 *and* 5 *the week before. There were* 23 *and* 26 *attacks and* 18 *and* 8 *deaths from the disease in the corresponding weeks last year.*

There were two attacks and two deaths from small-pox during the week. No attack or death was recorded in the previous week. In the corresponding weeks last year there were 51 *and* 48 *attacks and* 40 *and* 37 *deaths*

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 64 *against* 108 *the week before.*

Deaths from all causes totalled 632 *against* 689 *in the preceding week. Total mortality during the corresponding weeks last year was* 1,172 *and* 1,052, *the quinquennial average being* 970.

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There were 45 *deaths from malaria in Calcutta during the week ended November* 17, *an increase of one over the previous week's figure. In the corresponding two weeks last year deaths from the disease numbered* 127 *and* 164.

Cholera accounted for 18 *attacks and* 5 *deaths against* 20 *and* 4, *respectively, the week before. There were* 26 *and* 33 *attacks and* 8 *and* 17 *deaths during the corresponding weeks last year.*

No attack or death from small-pox was recorded during the period. There was one attack and one death in the preceding week. Attacks from the disease in the corresponding weeks last year totalled 48 *and* 31 *and deaths* 37 *and* 27.

Recorded deaths of paupers were 108 *against* 100 *the previous week.*

Deaths from all causes numbered 689 *against* 717 *in the previous week. Total mortality during the corresponding weeks last year was* 1,052 *and* 1 009, *the quinquennial average being* 931.

Professor Bhattacharjee said that the future of India very much depended upon their attitude towards civil liberty. In the political arena it was denied in various ways; even to-day hundreds of political prisoners were rotting in jails.

He said that it was unfortunate that though toleration was advocated by both Hindu and Muslim faiths, intolerance was noticeable in religious practices these days.

Speaking on the civil liberty movement in India he referred to the Vernacular Press Act of 1878 and said that

thanks to the efforts of the leaders like the late Surendra Nath Banerjea it was withdrawn a few years later. In 1905, it was an offence to shout "Bande Mataram" and the Government of the day was miserly in dealing with the rights and privileges of the people.

As regards the release of prisoners he said that their release was essential far more, because of the coming elections which were going to shape the destinies of India.

EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHS AT GOVT. HOUSE

An exhibition of photographs taken in India by Cecil Beaton, the well-known photographer, is being held in the Government House since November 17th. The Exhibition will stay on to December 7th. Many aspects of Bengal life are included in the range of the exhibition—the villages, industry, the countryside and life on the rivers. The exhibition is being arranged by Mrs. Casey personally.

MR. HUQ'S EXHORTATION TO MUSLIM STUDENTS

A call to the Muslim students to take their share in the national fight for the liberation of India was sounded by Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq presiding over a crowded meeting held under the auspices of the Bengal Muslim Students' Welfare Association at the University Institute Hall on the 15th November last.

Mr. Huq exhorted the Muslim students not to lag behind in the fight for the independence of their country. They should not be misled by the slogans of the communal organisations and other interested parties, but be guided by the sole motive to make their country free. There was no reason why the Muslim students should be pervaded with a sense of inferiority complex or weakness in playing their role in the country's freedom. They should rise up equal to the occasion, shake off their slave mentality and throw themselves heart and soul in the war of liberation that was shaking the foundation of the British rule in India.

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JAWAHARLAL'S 57TH BIRTH-DAY OBSERVED

"Jawaharlal—an emblem of youth and its indomitable force and fearlessness, a relentless fighter for an ideal with an unquenchable flame of patriotism—is unprecedented in the political history of India" observed Prof. Humayun Kabir presiding over the 57th Birthday celebration of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru held at College Square on the 14th November last.

The function which commenced with the hoisting of the National Flag by Sj. Prabhat Kumar Ganguly was held under the auspices of the B. P. Chhatra Samsad and B. P. Students' Congress.

Prof. Kabir said that Pandit Jawaharlal was never hesitant in his protest against wrongs. He did not lose a moment's time nor did he falter, after his release from jail in raising his stern voice against the atrocities and oppressions perpetrated on the people during the August Movement of 1942. No Indian leader had expressed his opinion in so unmistakable terms as he did in taking up the cause of the I.N.A. men. In fact, Panditji has completely dedicated himself for the emancipation of the oppressed humanity and fighting the evils attendant on it. His 'sadhana', concluded Prof. Kabir, will come to fruition only when his ideal will pervade the life and activity of his countrymen.

LAGDEN MEMORIAL GATE

The Calcutta Cricket Club has started constructing a gate at the Eden Gardens to perpetuate the memory of late R. B. Lagden. The gate will be known as Lagden Memorial Gateway. The old gate which led to the pavilion has now been abolished and a new gate is now under construction.

GOVERNOR WATCHES JAIN PROCESSIONS

His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey and Mrs. Casey watched on Monday, the 19th November last, the annual Jain processions in Calcutta from Jorasanko Rajbati on Upper Chitpore Road. Vast crowds lined the route of the two colourful processions from Chitpore Road to Belgachia and Badreedas Temple Street.

MR. S. R. BAKSHI TRANSFERRED TO CALCUTTA

Mr. Satya Ranjan Bakshi, former Editor of *Forward* and *Liberty* of Calcutta, who was detained at the Naini Central Prison, Allahabad, has, it is reported, been transferred to Calcutta Presidency Jail. Mr. Bakshi was brought in a stretcher from the jail to the station and was taken to Calcutta by the Toofan Express.

H.H THE AGA KHAN IN CALCUTTA

H.H. the Aga Khan at a recent interview during his stay in Calcutta expressed his firm belief that there were only two political bodies in India, namely, the Congress and the League. All his hopes were that both would come out strong from the elections, and, the higher patriotism as well as advice of well-wishers like himself would bring about at least the first step of a meeting between the Congress and the League, with the deliberate intention of solving the problem of India's self-government.

His Highness added: "Once these two bodies are united we will still have the problem of the Princes and the States, which they can then approach jointly to build that Greater South Asia Confederation of which India must be the centre. For this, however, it is necessary that these bodies, namely, the Congress and the League, should be strong enough to take new and bold steps without the fear of loss of their representative character."

MAHILA ATMA RAKSHA SAMITY EXHIBITION

An exhibition organised by the Provincial Mahila Atma Raksha Samity was opened at Commercial Museum, Calcutta on the 16th November last by Mrs. Rani Mahalanobis.

In her opening speech Mrs. Mahalanobis stated that efforts made by the Samity to make the destitute women self-supporting and economitally independent were really praiseworthy. The crisis in Bengal hit the women most and they needed the public help most. But it was this Samity which was one of those associations which fought for the distressed womenfolk of the country. The exhibition itself showed how much these women had already progressed to be self-reliant and self-supporting. In the circumstances she appealed to the public in general to show their active sympathy to this social welfare work of the Samity.

The exhibition displayed educative posters, needle and handicraft articles, country-made paper, leather goods and other such things which had been manufactured by the women in their homes.

ARMISTICE DAY OBSERVED

Calcutta on Sunday last honoured the memory of those who fell in World War I and World War II. When the gun was fired from the ramparts of Fort William to mark the beginnings of the two minutes' silence, all traffic came to a standstill, and, among the silent population British Indian and Allied soldiers stood to attention while they remembered their fallen comrades.

There was no ceremonial parade as in pre-1939 years. At the foot of the Cenotaph, however, stood Army, Navy, Air Force and consular officials and representatives of various public bodies.

After the wreath-laying ceremony, many approached the foot of the Memorial and paid silent homage to the memory of friends and relatives they had lost

AUTOMATIC TELEPHONE FOR THE CITY

Planning of an automatic telephone system for Calcutta is going to start at once, according to Mr. Krishna Prasad, Director-General, Posts and Telegraphs, who is at present in Calcutta on tour.

It is learnt that to complete this automatization, a team of seven U. K. engineers, of whom six are British Post Office engineers, arrived in Calcutta on Sunday last. The team is headed by Mr. D. A. Barron, a very senior engineer of the British Post Office.

The decision to convert from the present manual to automatic system was taken by the Bengal Telephone Corporation some time ago, but they were prevented from doing so owing to the war. Now that the war is over, the Posts and Telegraphs Department, which took over the P. T. C. in April, 1943, have taken steps to carry out the conversion.

Mr. Krishna Prasad pointed out that the Posts and Telegraphs Department are very anxious to provide Calcutta with a first-rate up-to-date automatic system in place of the old manual system worked by operators.

The planning of the automatic system for a city of the size of Calcutta is a big job and will take about a year.

CANDIDATES FOR CENTRAL ASSEMBLY

Mr. W. J. Palmer, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, has issued the following final list of candidates for election to the Central Assembly in constituencies for which he is the returning officers :—

Calcutta (Non-Mohammedan) constituency : Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Mr. Sanat Kumar Roy Chowdhury and Mr. Rash Behari Sarkar.

Calcutta Suburbs (Non-Mohammedan constituency—Mr. Satish Ch. Bose, Dr. Shyama Prosad Mookherjee and Mr. Nagendra Nath Mukhopadhayay

Calcutta and Suburbs (Mohammedan) constituency : Mr. Abdur Rahman Siddiqi and Mr. S. Wajid Ali.

STAMPEDE AT PUBLIC MEETING

"If you want independence, if you want communal harmony, if you want the release of Azad Hind Fouj, if you want to secure for India her rightful place in the world, vote for Congress" said Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose addressing a mammoth gathering at Deshabandhu Park on the 9th November in launching the election campaign of the Congress.

The immediate problem before the country was the attainment of independence and Congressmen who had suffered, sacrificed and gave their lives for the cause were the only persons who could be entrusted to carry on the fight that lay ahead, Mr. Bose declared. Communal organisations like the Hindu Mahasabha and the Muslim League whose main pillars were Rajas, Rai Bahadurs, Rai Shahibs, Nawabs Khan Bahadurs and Khan Shahibs were incapable of adopting a fighting programme. The demand, he added, should be raised that the Mahasabha should withdraw their candidates.

Mr. Bose also declared that persons who indulged in black marketing, profiteering and racketeering would have no place in the Congress.

A man and a 12-year old boy were killed and eight other persons injured at the end of the meeting—the biggest in many years. They were the victims of stampedes as the crowds surged heavily towards the gates of the park.

In a 90-minute speech, Mr. Bose emphasised the electorate's duty to vote for the Congress. Communal organisations like the Hindu Mahasabha and the Muslim League, he said, had no right to claim support for their candidates. These organizations co-operated with British Imperialism while the Congress carried on a relentless fight against it, he said. To vote for the Congress was to help the national struggle for independence.

The four clear issues before the country were freedom of India, release of the I.N.A. personnel, communal harmony and raising of India's status in the eyes of the world. The Congress alone had the strength to fight for all these. It was, therefore, the duty of every patriotic Indian to give his unstinted support to the Congress.

Mr. Bose then explained how his effort to come to an understanding with Dr. Shyama Prasad Mookerjee on the question of setting up candidates for the Central Assembly election proved a failure. He said that his proposal to accommodate Mahasabha candidates in two of the six constituencies was rejected by Dr. Mookerjee.

Mr. Bose urged the audience to demand the withdrawal of Mahasabha candidates from the contest.

The meeting over, there was a heavy rush for the gates of the park. In the stampede Jyoti (12) and Rathindranath Kundu (30), were trampled to death. Among those, who were injured and admitted to Carmichael Hospital are Prasanta Roy (47), Jagneswar Saha (40), Sailen Chaudhury (21), Bhupendramohan Mandal (26), Satinath Bhattacharjee (19), Usharanjan Biswas (18), and Biswabahan Nandan (21). A boy aged about 10 was also removed to the same hospital in an unconscious state.

ALL-INDIA WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

A resolution urging Government to abandon the trial of the Indian National Army men was adopted at the annual conference of the All-India Women's Conference, Calcutta branch, held at the Mahabodhi Society Hall on the 10th November last. Begum Hamida Momin was in the chair.

In two other resolutions, the conference urged Government to revise the electoral rolls in India on the basis of adult suffrage before the provincial elections took place and demanded that the inherent rights of individuals to complete freedom of speech, press, association and movement be restored to India without further delay.

The conference hoped that members of the British Labour Party would prevail over their Government and every man

and women in India who had been confined in jail for political reasons would be set free and be able to exercise their franchise and participate in the coming elections, both for the Centre and the Provinces.

The conference viewed with alarm the present situation in the country and asked Government to take immediate steps in regard to food, cloth, education and rehabilitation programme in the province. The meeting also hoped that the revised Hindu Code would soon be passed into law.

Begum Hamida Momin who presided, expressed the hope that in work concerning the welfare of women and children, all of them would work unitedly, irrespective of their party affiliations.

At the outset, the meeting condoled the death of Mrs. Sarala Devi Chowdhurani and paid homage to her memory.

RELEASE OF I.N.A. MEN DEMANDED

Immediate release of the entire personnel of the Indian National Army who fought against British Imperialism inspired by the highest patriotic motives was demanded in a resolution adopted at a public meeting on the 12th November last at the Sraddhananda Park under the auspices of the Bengal Provincial Students' Federation. Mr. Benoy Sen Gupta presided.

Students of different schools and colleges abstained from attending their classes and marched in small groups converging at the Park in the evening.

The meeting paid high tributes to the gallantry of the I.N.A. men and resolved to continue the agitation till the entire personnel was released.

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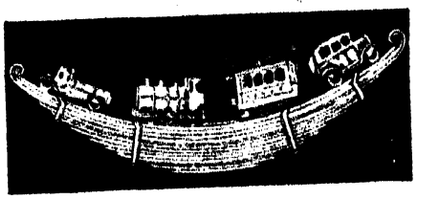
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Feeling reference of profound respect and sympathy to the families of the I.N.A. men were also made at the meeting.

SIR J. P. SRIVASTAVA IN CALCUTTA

Sir Jwala Prasad Srivastava, Food Member, Government of India, and Mr. R. H. Hutchings, Secretary to the Central Food Department, arrived in Calcutta on the 10th November last from Delhi.

Sir Jwala Prasad was to study the food situation in the province. He stayed in Calcutta for about five days and also visited the interior of the province.

THISTLE FOUNDATION DAY

H. E. the Governor of Bengal attended the Burns Club Hollowe'en Concert at the New Empire Theatre on the 9th November last and made an appeal in aid of the Thistle Foundation.

Mr. Casey said : "The object of this evening's function is to make it possible—through your generosity—to give the Calcutta Burns' Club permanent membership of the Thistle Foundation. The purpose of this Foundation is, I believe, already known to you. It is one that will rightly appeal to all Scotsmen wherever they may be, and which will specially appeal to those who honour that warm-hearted patriot and friend of the poor—Robbie Burns.

"Briefly, the Thistle Foundation intends to provide homes—not 'homes' in an institutional sense, but real homes and independent family life—for *ex*-servicemen who have been grievously injured and disabled during the war, and at the same time to provide the medical care and attention which they so essentially need. This involves a housing scheme with special provision of the best medical facilities.

"POPPY DAY" IN CALCUTTA

Disabled Bengali Service men and the families of those who lost their lives during the war will receive a large proportion of the collections that were made in the city and the province on the Poppy Day, the 10 November last.

The Servicemen's share of the collections will go to a charitable fund started exclusively for the purpose by the Provincial Sailors', Soldiers' and Airmen's Board. The fund has already received Rs. 30,000 from the Governor's War Purposes Fund and a like amount from the Calcutta branch of the *Ex*-Services Association.

H. H. THE AGA KHAN ARRIVES

His Highness the Aga Khan, accompanied by Begum Aga Khan, arrived Calcutta on the 9th November last by a seaplane from Cairo via Karachi.

Their Highnesses were received at the Willingdon air base by Khan Bahadur G. A. Dossani, Mr. I. S. Haji, Hony. Secretary to His Highness, Capt. Majid Khan, Agent of His Highness, and members of the Council of the followers of His Highness in Calcutta. The arrival was private.

Their Highnesses proceeded to Darjeeling the next day.

TRIAL OF I.N.A. : A PROTEST MEETING

Students of various educational institutions in Calcutta abstained from attending their classes on the 9th November last as a mark of protest against the holding of trial of I.N.A. men. Numerous processions from different schools and colleges after parading different streets terminated at Wellington Square in the afternoon.

Over 10,000 students participated at the meeting held there under the auspices of the Bengal Provincial Students' Federation. Sj. Biswanath Bhattacharjee was in the chair.

The meeting by a resolution condemned the action of the Punjab police in resorting to *lathi* charges on the students on the I.N.A. Day. The meeting pointed out that such acts of repression would only aggravate the situation.

By another resolution the meeting extended its greetings to the men of the I.N.A. for their campaign against the British Imperialism and the Japanese Fascism.

The meeting expressed the hope that the patriotism of Azad Hind Fouj would be emulated by members of the Indian Army in rising against imperialism.

The meeting was of opinion that the history of Azad Hind Fouj was inseparably linked up with the history of the independence movement of India. The trial of I.N.A. men which was being held was part and parcel of the policy of suppression of all movements for freedom resorted to by the Government.

THE WORLD OF BOOKS

Planning Indian Town and Country (in the industrial age), with sketches, diagrams and statistics, by B. N. Chaudhuri, B.E., A.M.I.E., M.R.S.I., (London), Chartered Engineer; with a foreward by Prof. Radha Kamal Mukerjee,, M.A., Ph.D., Head of the Department of Economics and Sociology, Lucknow University; Published by Thacker Spink and Co., (1933) Ltd., Calcutta; Price, Re. 1-8-0.

Within the scope of less than 50 pages Mr. Chaudhuri, himself a well-known engineer and planner, has presented a very clear-cut anaylsis of the subject of his study in quite a masterly way. This subject covers an extensive ground—rate of urbanization, electrification, road-making, development of satellite towns, zoning and parkways, slum clearance and housing, as also village planning.

In the preface the author points out, "India is looking forward to planned progress in all fields of national activity in the post-war age. Industry, Agriculture and Education have attracted the notice of Indian leaders and governments. The problem of country and town planning, however, has not been given the attention it deserves." For that purpose the author has nobly succeeded in his brochure. He has drawn examples from some of the recent western approaches to the solution of town-planning and has thus attached a very practical value to his discussion of the subject matter in relation to this country.

Merchantmen at War—The official story of the British Merchant Navy : 1939—1944 ; Prepared by the Ministry of War Transport by the Ministry of Information; Distributed in India by the Oxford University Press; Price Rs. 2/-.

Ocean Front—The story of the war in the Pacific, 1941-44 ; a publication by the Government of Great Britain; Distributed in India by the Oxford University Press; Price one shilling net.

Both the publications are very expressively illustrated with the photo-plates and maps. The different articles in the first come under three main headings.—The men of the Merchant Navy ; Shipping, the Plan and Achievements the grant Convoy Routes The articles are written in a story-telling way, and most of them are real stories told by the seamen themselves. There are two poems specially written for the book by the Poet Laureate, John Masefield The book provides both an interesting and appreciative reading.

The second book has three articles :—Turning Point ; Coral Sea and Midway ; the campaign in New Guinea ; the capture of the Solomons. It tells the story of the Allied war against Japan on the sea and island battle-fields of the Pacific and in the skies above it. A living memoir, the book records the Allied exploits in the Pacific for reference in the years to come.

French Stories From Alphonse Daudet—translated into English by Indra Sarkar; Published by Chuckerverty Chatterjee and Co., Ltd., 15, College Square, Calcutta; Price Re. 4/-.

Seven stories of Alphonse Daudet are there in the book with a life-sketch of the famous French author, and an introduction by Prof. Olivier Lacombe, Cultural Attachie to the Consulate-General for France at Calcutta. Some of these stories appeared in the *Hindusthan Standard*, the *Nationalist* and *Art and Culture*.

This is the first book of the authoress, and as such it will be profitable for her to know that the preface has been overburdened with her unnaturally keen sense of personal gratitude for which her readers will feel bored and also to know that the price of the book will surely fight tooth and nail against her very purpose of popularizing the famous foreign author to her countrymen.

Devadasi (Temple Dancer) by Santosh Kumar Chatterjee, M.A; Published by the author at 169, Vivekananda Road, Calcutta; Price, Re. 3/-.

On going through the little volume entitled, "Devadasi" or temple dancer, we cannot fail to be struck by the mass of material collected by the author on what is after-all a rather "out-of-the-way" subject, and this mass of material is presented in a methodical form. The inset line-drawings, or sketches, are nicely done and they add immeasurably to the attractiveness of the brochure, while the pages of illustrations showing the numerous hand-poses or "Mudras" are important and interesting.

There is no doubt that the Devadasi" cult has formed an integral part of the culture of India, in preserving the art of the Hindu Dance, and as such deserves to be studied by all art-lovers. Mr. Chatterjee's brochure will be of help to such readers. The get-up of the book is excellent.

Here And There in India Third Series—(1) *The United Provinces*, (2) *Orissa;* (3) *Bengal and* (4). *The Telegu country by C. A. Parkhurst; Published by Macmillan and Co., Ltd., Price 4½ annas each.*

Written in a lucid style the books will assuredly be quite interesting to the boys who will read them with the advantage of actually seeing some places. Illustrations, some drawn in lines and some photographs, also add to the interest of the young reader. These sorts of travel books will go a great length to help the school boys with a store of information of the land and people of the various parts of the country of their own. To them these books are highly recommended.

"Desh" (Pujah Number)—edited by Bankim Chandra Sen: Proprietred by "Ananda Bazar Patrika Limited, 1. Burman Street, Calcutta.

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Of the various reading materials the few pages from the family diary of the Tagores and the story by Mr. Subodh Ghose will leave a lasting impression on a reader. The story of Mr. Ghose has several technical defects so far as an ideal short story is concerned but nobody can easily forget the scene of self-sacrifice for winning the country's freedom a scene that is a piece of glorious rapture.

"Arthick Jagat" (Pujah Special).—Edited by Jatindra Nath Bhattacharyya, Published by him from 122, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta; Price, Re. 1.

Very attractively got up and very conscientiously priced, the bumper number contains a wealth of materials regarding the present-day problems of commerce, industry and finance as well as the post-war possibilities in those particular fields. Among the contributors are Dr. Sachin Sen Gupta, Dr. Moni Maulik, Mr. A. K. Sen, Mr. Satyendra Nath Majumdar and Mr. Phanindra Nath Mukherjee.

It is a pleasure to see a vernacular economic journal give us very good account of itself and *Arthick Jagat* has kept up its own tradition.

Amrita Bazar Patrika—(Annual Pujah Number) edited by Tushar Kanti Ghosh, Price, Re. 2.

Although covering quite a wide field of topics—contemporary affairs, social problems, art and literature, wit and humour, science, historical essays, short stories, cartoons—one will be reminded of the main drawback that the volume, except for the cartoons, miserably lacks a holiday mood. Stories are few and far between and besides the hunters' episodes the rest are somewhat cramped and cripsy.

One, who has to read the A. B. P. special, has first to prepare himself mentally and physically for a heavy and continued sitting. Otherwise, the variety of the subjects treated and the names of the great authors, scholars and journalists collected from all over the world lend enough value and dignity to a Pujah Special, which with a few others was reported to be missing from the open market within a few hours of its publication.

AN ANNOUNCEMENT

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VITAL STATISTICS

(I)

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 17th November, 1945

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN & SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 689 against 717 and 655 in two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 363. The general death-rate of the week was 14.20 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 17th November, 1945, was 586 against 618 and 543 in the two preceding weeks. There were 3 deaths from cholera against 2 and 6 in the two preceding weeks. There was nil death from small-pox during the week against 1 in the previous week. There were 2 deaths from influenza against 3 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 71 and 70 respectively against 73 and 86 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 13.83 per mille per annum.

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There were 42 deaths from tuberculosis against 42 in the previous week

Suburbs (Wards 28-32)

The number of deaths registered was 103 against 99 and 112 in the two preceding weeks Of these, 2 were from cholera nil from small pox, nil from influenza, 14 from fevers, 13 from bowel complaints and 26 from respiratory diseases. The death rate of the uburbs (or added areas) was 17 10 per mille.

There was nil imported death Excluding these, the death-rate was nil.

There were 6 deaths from tuberculosis against 9 in the previous week.

(II)

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 24th November, 1945

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN & SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 632 against 589 and 717 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 540. The general death-rate of the week was 13.32 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 24th November 1945, was 509 against 586 and 618 in the two preceding weeks There were 2 deaths from cholera against 3 and 2 in the two preceding weeks There were 2 deaths from small pox during the week against nil in the previous week There were 4 deaths from influenza against 2 in the previous week The mortality from fevers and bowel complaints amounted to 50 and 66 respectively against 71 and 70 in the preceding week The general death rate of the week was 12.01 per mille per annum

There were 10 imported deaths Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 11 77.

There were 104 deaths from respiratory diseases against 108 in the previous week.

There were 35 deaths from tuberculosis against 42 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 123 against 103 and 99 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, nil was from cholera, nil from small-pox, nil from influenza, 31 from fevers, 18 from bowel-complaints and 23 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 20.42 per mille.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
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COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

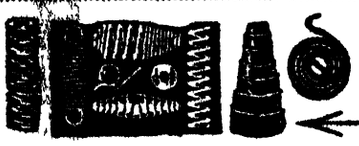
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New) ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	8 0 0	Refreshment Room
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

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Street Declaration

To all whom it may concern the Corporation of Calcutta in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 318 of the Calcutta Municipal Act (Bengal Act III of 1923) and having been satisfied that the conditions laid down therein have been fulfilled, hereby notifies and declares that the street specified hereunder is a public street within the meaning of Sections 3 (57) and 295 of the said Act

Description—

(1) The one 20 ft private road, constructed at 46, Surendra Nath Banerjee Road and 87, Taltolla Lane, connecting the 40 ft public road off Surendra Nath Banerjee Road on the North and the widened Sewered ditch on the South.

S CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer

Central Municipal Office.
The 12th November, 1945

Drainage Department

To All P I Contractors, District No III And Dhapa

Re. Repairs to the Foot Bridge on the Kutcha Channel at Chowhaga

Dear Sirs,

Please submit your tender in the prescribed tender form for the petty improvement works of the Corporation for the above work, the details of which can be obtained from the Department.

The tender in a sealed cover, endorsed as above will be received by me on the 11th December, 1945 at 12 noon.

The work is to be completed within one month from the date of order to take up the work in hand.

N. R. DAS,
Offg. Executive Engineer, Drainage.

Central Municipal Office.
The 28th November, 1945.

To All P I. Contractors District No. I and Cossipore.

Re : Reconstruction of one gate piller at Manicktolla Drainage P. S.

Dear Sirs,

Please submit your tender in the prescribed tender form for the petty improvement works of the Corporation for the above work, the details of which can be obtained from the Department.

The tender in a sealed cover, endorsed as above will be received by me on the 13th December, 1945 at 12 noon.

The work is to be completed within 15 days from the date of order to take up the work in hand

N. R. DAS,
Offg Executive Engineer, Drainage.

Central Municipal Office,
The 29th November, 1945.

Road Closed

Junction of Gurudas Dutta Garden Lane and Pandanga Main Road, Ward 29 is closed to traffic for repairs to culvert from 8th December, 1945

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II

District II Eng'g Office,
The 30th November, 1945

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received for the registration of the names of Messrs. Jagannath P Singh, Jogendra P. Singh and Jagadish P. Singh, sons of Mr. Bechu Singh, as occupiers of stall No. 26 in Block D and that of Mr. Bechu Singh as occupier of stall No 27 in Block D in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market in place of Messrs Issar Singh and Bechu Singh, the recorded occupiers of both the above stalls Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette*

P C. BHATTACHARJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S. S. Hogg Market,
The 21st November, 1945

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Mr. Rantilall Roy for registration of his name as occupier of Stall No. 39 in Block 'B' in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market in place of Mr Jogendra Nath Roy, the deceased recorded occupier of the stall. Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S S Hogg Market
The 3rd November, 1945

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received for the registration of the name of Sm Sobasona Dasi as occupier of Stalls Nos 18 21 in the Potato Range in the S. S. Hogg Market in place of her husband Mr. Nibaran Ch. Das the deceased recorded occupier of the stalls. Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the "Gazette."

P. C BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S S. Hogg Market,
The 25th October, 1945

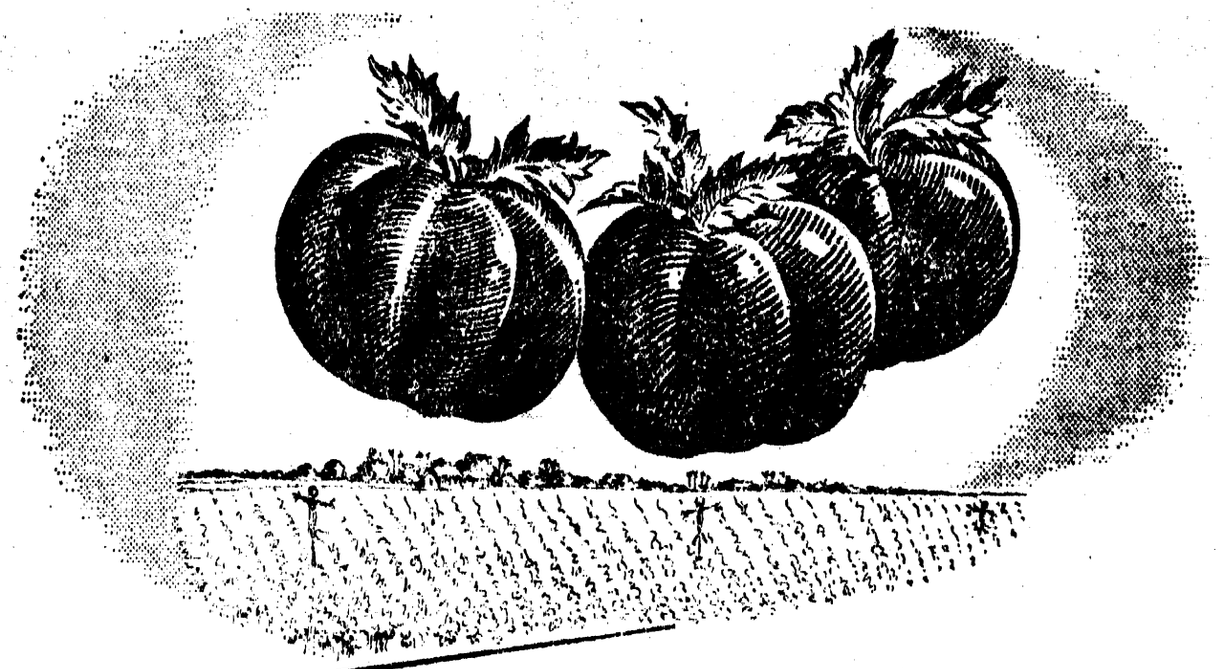
NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Mr. Ranendra Nath Ganguli, the recorded occupier, of stalls Nos. 5 and 5/1 in Block "New Building" in the S. S. Hogg Market for permission to transfer his rights and interests in the above stalls to Mr. Sanat Kumar Roy. Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S. S. Hogg Market,
The 31st October, 1945.

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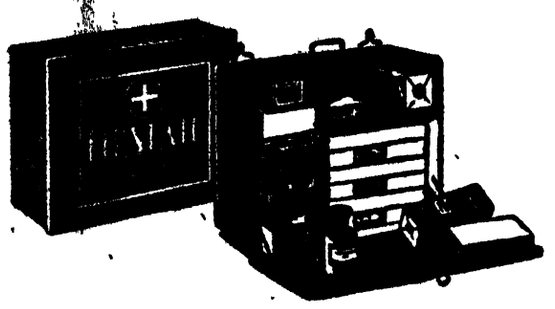
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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 'B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Offg. Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 24th October, 1945

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Baghda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor ...	2 8 0	5 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Duck's eggs per score ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl's eggs ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal „ ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) each		1 4 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 12 0
*Tomato per seer ...		1 0 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...		0 14 0
Do. (Country) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Turnip ...		0 10 0
*Carrot ...		0 12 0
*Beetroot ...		0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer ...		
„ (Darjeeling) per seer (Contd.)	0 12 0	
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each —	0 4 0	1 8 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—8 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	
Bael each —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score —	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20 —	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 12 0
Sugarcane each —	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate —	2 0 0	2 8 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras „ —		
Ghee Lakhee —		
Do. Bhadwa —	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree ...	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk „ —		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1 —		
Atta Brown per seer —	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar „ ...	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb. —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer —	0 10 0	
„ (Sugarcandy) „ —	0 12 0 (Ration	Shop)
Suji —	0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana „ ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor „ ...	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga „ „ —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree „ ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 6	
Biuli „ ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
„ (Sona) per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Mattar „ ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) ...	0 2 9	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. —	1 6 0	
Coal „ ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. ...		
Barley Pearl 1 „		
Do. 2 „		
Corn Flower 1 „		
Robinson's Barley ...		
Cobra Boot Polish —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET
Rates quoted on the 28th November, 1945.

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin „ —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted „ —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump „ —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (s)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...				
Hind-quarter „ ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Leg per seer	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb. —	4 4 0	5 0 0		
	3 12 0	4 12 0		

	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.				
Chops per seer ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast „ ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart „ ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue „ ...	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters „ ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lunchoon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee „ —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive „ ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per „ ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 8 0	4 10 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

Prices of foreign articles as well as Indian commodities are liable to fluctuate daily without notice and not controllable at present on account of War and hence approximate prices are given.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 8 0	1 12 0
Capon " ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) " ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do (roasting) " ...	3 8 0	3 14 0
Do. (special) "	4 0 0	4 8 0
Fowl (curry) . . (11 oz)	2 10 0	2 14 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ...	3 4 0	3 14 0
Do. (special) each ...	4 0 0	4 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	4 0 0
Goose " ...	24 0 0	26 0 0
Pigeons " ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock " ...	70 0 0	80 0 0
Do. Hen " ...	40 0 0	50 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) ...	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. (special) per score	4 0 0	5 0 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl " ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Portridge " ...		
Peacock " .	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen " ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Plovers each ...		
Quail " ...		
Rabbit " ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes " ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) " ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) " ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 14 0	1 8 0
Do. Country per seer ...		
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Brinjal " seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage each ...		
Do. (Simla) per seer	1 8 0	2 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling "	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) "	1 8 0	2 4 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) "	0 14 0	1 12 0
Do. (Lucknow) ...	0 14 0	1 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur "	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Lahore "	1 10 0	1 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad "	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country each	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Ginger " ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Turmaric ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Do. (Large) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Onions, (New) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Patna red (old) "	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. " white "	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Country red "	0 1 0	0 11 0
* Parsnip per seer "	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling " ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh " ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
Do. Simla " ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. Country " ...		
Snake Coil " ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) " ...	1 4 0	1 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling " ...		
Do. Country do. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)		
Do. (Old) Nainital ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (New) Small ..		
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	1 2 0	1 4 0
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbul (Patal) per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	0 10 0	0 14 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tomato per seer ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country "	0 12 0	1 4 0
Do. Ranchi "	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Shillong "	1 4 0	1 8 0
Tamarind (Green) "	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 14 0	1 2 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red " per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tarai per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kankrole per seer ...		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) " ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Country Apples ...		
Gousebery per seer ...		
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 12 0
Khurbanee " ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Lime patty per score ...	0 8 0	1 4 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon " (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie ...		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ..		
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...	6 0 0	12 0 0
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 0 0	3 8 0
Poona " " ...	2 8 0	3 10 0
Bombay " ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Oranges Sylhet ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...		
Do. Nagpur 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 16—18	1 0 0	
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 4 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 8 0	1 4 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	22 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Calasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Kulu 4—5 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 4—5 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata ...		
Sunkist (Orange) per doz	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Tamarind per seer ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...		
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ..	2 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	1 8 0	4 0 0
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...	4 0 0	
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooza per lb. ...		2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	2 0 0	
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per seer ...		0 14 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...		
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...		10 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	8 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	8 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.		
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...		
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 12 0	

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	To be approved by the Committee. Potato
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 2, 5 & 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3 „	Betel leaves.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,, ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	3 14 0	3 9 0
Bombay		3 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,, ...	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	4 8 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) ,, ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Cutla per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut pieces)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Rohi per seer	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ..	2 4 0	2 8 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Butter fish, per seer ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 4 0	2 10 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Lobster ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Mackerel ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Gajal (Entire) ...		
Shrimp per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Ladies finger ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,, ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,, ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland ,, ...		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. / Do. unmixed. ,,	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. ...	0 8 0	0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
*FLOUR	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red ,, ,, ...		
Wheat ,, ,, —		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) ,, ...		0 5 6
*RICE		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		
Rice per seer (retail) —		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer —		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,, ...		
Kamini rice ,, ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —	0 10 0	
*SUGAR		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 0
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 0
*DAL Etc.	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar ,, ...		0 12 0
Chola ,, —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor ,, —		0 13 0
Khasari ,, ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) , ...		0 13 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. ,, ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. ,, ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,, ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) ...	1 1 6	
*KEROSENE OIL		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk ...	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 2 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,, ...	0 0 6	
80 ,, ,, ...	0 0 9	
*COAL AND COKE		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — ...	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	0 13 0	0 14 0 to 1 0 0
Halud ,, —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almonded) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12,0	
Slab Chocolates per packet ... / Milk Chocolates slab ...		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins ,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ..		
Golden Puffs ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin ...		
Nice 2 lb. tin ...		
Petit Beurre tin ...		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese ...		
Gem ...		
Gem Iced ...		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. ...		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) ...		
Marie		
Milk ...		
Mixed (Household) ...		
Nice ...		

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ARTICLES.	From	To	ARTICLES.	From	To	ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.			**OILMAN'S STORES.**			**OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.**		
			LIPTON'S TEA—					
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—			Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0		Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin ...	0 15 0	
			Red do. do. „	1 12 0		Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Assorted Biscuits 1 lb. tin.			Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0		Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Nimki ...						Tart Fruits, Bott. ...		
Petit Beurre ...			**IMPERIAL TEA—**			Isinglass per pkt.		
School ...			Green Label 1 lb. pkt.			White Sugar, 5 seers per bag		
Thin Arrowroot „ ...			Red do. do. ...			Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
Water „ ...			Orange do. do. ...			C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Zoological ...			Pyramid do. do. ...			Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin.			Broken ...			Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
Cow & Gate Milk Food ...			**TOSH'S TEA—**			King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin ...		
Cow & Gate Rusks ...			Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 0 0		C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
			Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	1 14 0		Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—			Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 10 0		Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin			Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0		Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...			Broken ...	1 0 6	1 2 0	Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Skimmed Milk ...			**ISPAHANI'S TEA"—**			Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 „ Do. ...			Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet	2 2 0			Small	Large
Horlick's Malted Milk—Powder No. 1 per bot. ...			Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 8 0		*Cobra Boot Polish, ...	0 4 0	
Merton's Peppermints per lb.			Cafe Brand packets „	1 4 0		*Chamois Leather large...		1 0 0
			Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)			*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
	Controlled Price		Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 1 0		*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 12 0
			Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0		*Bisurated Magnesia, large	1 12 0	
CIGARS & CIGARETTES						*Elerman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
			LOOSE TEA			*Zam-Buk ...	1 2 0	
Decanke per packet ...	0 2 6		F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.			*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 4 0	
Selanor per pkt. ...		0 3 0	O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...			*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
Capstan Navyout per Pk.	0 3 6					*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)		2 12 0	**DUST TEA**			*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Glasgow Mixture per lb'			Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 8 0	**Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator** 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Spencer's "Doretto" ...			Red Ensign Coffee per lb....	2 6 0	2 8 0	Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. "Planters" per 50		1 14 0	Cococa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0		Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		6 0 0	Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...			Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet		0 2 6	Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...			Do. 7 lb „	21 0 0	
Black & White tin of 50	1 14 0		Macaroni (Country) 1 lb....	1 0 0	1 4 0	Do. 56 lbs. bag	100 0 0	
Craven A tin of 50 ...	1 10 0		Delmonte Fruits 2 „ ...	1 4 0				
			Chutneys 1 „ ...	1 8 0	1 12 0	**PAINTS.**		
			Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	1 12 0	Enamel Paint English per doz.		
			Mustard Colman per tin			Do. (India) per doz.		
			Do. (Country) ½ lb.	0 14 0		Do. (Japanese) „		
			Mustard (India) per bottle					
			Panama Pepper	1 0 0	0 10 0			
			Sauces, Worcester Bott. ...	1 0 0	1 8 0			
			Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0				
			Sausages Australian per tin	2 0 0				
			Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0			
			Quaker Oats 26 oz. ...					

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Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13 and 20	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Betel 7	0 12 0 each.	Betel.
			Fruits 8 & 7	2 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Betel—1	0 8 0 „	To be approved by the Committee.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 7th November, 1945.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (Ad[illegible]ntrolled price)		
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dudkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
„ (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...	0 6 0	
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Moscor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 3 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh „ ...		
Pabna „ ...		
Ghee (Biswaswar) ...		4 6 0
Do. (Buffalo) ...		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil „		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil „		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 3 0
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 6
Do. (white) „ ...		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
„ Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes (Control) ...		0 10 0
Gauhati ...		
Madras ...		

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Brinjal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas ...		
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...		
Ginger ...		0 10 0
Onion ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khasbi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other ...		
Hilsa ...		
Prawns ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Parsey ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Bagda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab per pair ...		
Koi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 30th October, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Moscor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE.		
Gawa per seer ...		
Ranchi „ ...		6 0 0
Sree (Mark) ...		
Khurja (controlled) ...		4 12 0
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)	4 0 0	4 0 0
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		
Do. (Bata) ...		0 8 0
Flour per seer (White) ...		
Atta		0 6 0
Do. B ...		0 5 0
Gur (Bheli) ...		
Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head ...		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid ...		
OIL.		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples 4—8 ...		1 0 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 10—16 ...	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...		
Pesta ...		6 8 0
Dates Arab ...	1 4 0	
Grapes per seer ...	5 0 0	
Maspati 6—8 ...	1 0 0	
Mango 2 ...	1 0 0	
„ (Langra) ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes Darjiling (Controlled.)		0 12 0
Potatoes (Gouhati & Madras) Controlled	0 10 0	
Brinjal ...		0 6 0
Ginger ...	0 3 6	
Onion ...	0 6 0	
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	1 0 0
Cabbage per seer ...	1 0 0	
FISH		
Parsey per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pabda „ }	1 12 0	
Do. (Cut pieces) „ }		
Rohita ... „ ...	1 8 0	2 4 0
Bhetki ... „ ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Hilsa ...		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...		3 0 0
Goat ...		3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		2 12 0
„ (Duck) Do. ...		2 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. ...	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. ...		
Household per tin ...		
Jacob's Cream Crackers		
Rice ...		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. ...		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats ...		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each ...		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 2 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. „ bulk ...		
Shining Star ...		
Dog „ ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET.

Rates quoted on the 26th November, 1945.

ARTICLES	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
MUTTON		
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 1 0
Do. 2nd " "	2 8 0	
Goat per seer	2 8 0	3 1 0
EGGS		
Duck's per score	2 6 0	
Fowls " "	2 10 0	
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Ginger "	0 6 0	
Patti Lemon each	0 0 6	0 1 6
Ladies finger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kagji Lemon per pair	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer		0 8 0
Do. Bombay "		0 10 0
Do. Country "		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer		
Do. (controlled)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Madrasi "		
Do. Gauhati "	1 0 0	1 4 0
Country		
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer		0 10 0
Do. Disi per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Hilly "	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cabbage "		1 4 0
Cauliflower each	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer		
Do. Darjeeling "	0 14 0	
Do. Desi "		
Beans "	0 10 0	
Squash "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato "	0 8 0	
Green Mangoes each		
Bija per seer	0 12 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 2—6	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 2—8	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari		
Do. Nainital		
Alubokhara per seer	2 8 0	
Apricot "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Batavia each	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each		
Cocoanut each (green)	0 2 0	0 4 0
Do. dry each	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza "		5 0 0
Dates Arab "	1 8 0	
Do. Bagdad "	1 4 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik		
Do. Quetta "		
Do. Chaman "	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Australia "		
Kharma per seer "	2 0 0	
Kismis Deshi "	4 0 0	
Khobani " "		
Kabool Nuts "	4 8 0	5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100		
Do. Muzafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score		
Papaya Country each	0 4 0	1 8 0
Pistas per seer 1 lb.		
Resins " "		
Tamarind "		
Pineapple		
Kismis per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khirsha-Mitha Mango per Seer		
Shaluk Alu per seer	1 0 0	
Shukta		
Mango (Local) Bandel		

ARTICLES	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Mango Sukul		
Do. Sepia		
Do. Begamfully		
Do. Bombay Pairi		
Do. Langra		
Do. Bhastara		
Do. Madras		
Do. Kalicut		
Do. Fazli		
Do. Nilambari 1—0	1 0 0	
Do. Totapuri		
Do. Sapeda		
Do. Golapkhas		
Do. Himsagar		
Do. Kissen Bhogh		
Kharbuza per seer		
Orange Ichanagore 5—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras		
Do. Darjeeling 6—10	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 8—16	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay		
Pesta Bagdad per seer		
Do. Multan		10 0 0
Do. Kabul		
Pears 4—10	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each	1 0 0	2 0 0
Peaches		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	0 12 0	1 8 0
Musket per seer	1 8 0	
Pomegranate per seer		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar	1 8 0	
Bedana (Kabul)	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer		
Do. Sultuna "	3 0 0	
Almond shelled	3 0 0	
Do. without shell	4 0 0	
Do. do. large		6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando		
Do. Deshi each	1 0 0	5 0 0
Do. Farukabad		
Do. Quetta	10 0 0	12 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each		
Sarbati Lemon		
Musembi 5—8	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer	3 8 0	
Do. Shelled "	2 0 0	
Nut Ground "		
Sharifa 6—8		1 0 0
Nona (each)		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bombay " "	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh " "	4 0 0	
Jessore " per seer	3 8 0	
Dinapur " "		2 8 0
Pabna " "		2 2 0
Darbhanga " "		
Mazafferpur		2 0 0
Cow's Ghee		
Do. Milk	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee	4 8 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Prawns "	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa "	1 4 0	2 0 0
Rohi "	1 8 0	
Rohi (cut pieces) "		2 0 0
Small fish "		1 8 0
Chetal "		
Crab per pair	0 6 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer	2 0 0	3 0 0
Magoor per seer (small)		
Do. (large)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Galda	3 0 0	

ARTICLES	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
RICE		
Rice		
Dinajpori Khasari Bhog		
Deshi (Nagra) per md.		
Do. (Medium) "		
Patnai (Atap) " md.		
Hilly (old) per md.		
Nagra (old) No. 1 per md.		
Jhingasal per md.		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni		
Balam (old) per md.		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old)		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund		
Kamini per maund		
Peshwar Rice per md.		
Dhaki Chata "		
Fine per seer		
Coarse "		
Medium "		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer		
Java " "		
Cocoanut Oil "		
Mustard Oil "		
Salt per seer		
Flour "		
Atta "		
Sujee "		
Atta fresh per seer		
Chandausi Atta per md.		
Til Oil per seer		
Fine per seer		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal "	0 10 0	
Arhar "	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari "	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) "		0 8 0
Do. (khari) "		0 10 0
Mator "	0 6 0	
Chana Dal "	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb.	2 6 0	2 8 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb.	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk "		
Owl & Swan per tin		
" " Bulk		
Monkey Brand per tin		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White)	0 8 6	Control led shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red)		
Snowflake per tin		
Soft Coke per md		1 8 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 3rd October, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bagda —	1 5 0	2 12 0
Bhangaar ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsey ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ..	...	3 0 0
Mutton „ ..	...	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	3 0 0	3 2 0
Fowl's eggs ...	3 0 0	3 2 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —	...	
Brinjal „ ..	0 6 0	
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 12 0	
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —		1 4 0
Cucumber per seer —	1 8 0	0 12 0
Ginger per seer .	...	1 4 0
Garlic „ —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Green Chilly ...		0 8 0
Onion „ ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ..	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per see ...		
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 3 0	
Pumpkin each ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —	1 0 0	
Grapes —		1 8 0
Alubokhora per seer ...		
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer .	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per seer .	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond „ ..	2 8 0	
Lime per score .	0 1 6	0 3 0
Orange 3—4 ..	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 8 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 3 0
Sugarcane each ..	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate per seer ..		
Apples .		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras „ ..		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do Sree ..		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk „		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" ...	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 3 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana „ ...	0 6 0	
Masoor „ .	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga .		
Khasaree —	0 5 0	
Kalai „ ...	0 7 0	
Biuli „ ...		
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
„ (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor „	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) „	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. —		
Coal „ (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel „ —	3 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 28th November, 1945.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaar —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton „ —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid „ —	3 0 0	
Sweet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	2 0 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —		2 12 0
Fowl's Eggs „ —		2 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled). ...	0 12 0	
Brinjal „ —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cabbage (English Country) —		1 4 0
Cauliflower „ each „ —	0 6 0	0 10 0
Carrot (Country) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Nainital) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Ginger per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer	1 0 0	
Green Chilly —	1 0	
Onion „ —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) „ ..		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi „ ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Do. Madras (controlled)	0 10 0	
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger „ —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Raddish per score „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Squash „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White „ „ —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —	1 4 0	Contd.
Do. (Country) —	1 0 0	1 4 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra „ —		
Amra (Belati) per score —		
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes „ —		
Lime per score —	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz. —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) „ —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya each —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Pomegranates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100...		
Sugarcane each —	0 1 0	0 1 6
Orange per score —	0 10 0	1 8 0
Mangoes —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee „ —		
Do. Bhadwa „ —		
Do. Sree „ —	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	
Milk (Unpasteurised) per seer —	0 12 0	

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 8 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. seer	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat „ ...	0 5 0	
RICE SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
„ „ „ "B"	0 6 0	
„ „ „ "C"	0 4 0	
Patna per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) „ —		
Do. (Atap) „ ...		
Rangoon per seer ...		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) „	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil „ (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana „ —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree „ —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai „ —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli „ —	0 7 0	0 6 0
Mug Katch „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) „ —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor „ —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) „ —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	1 4 0	1 9 0
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Meat per md. ...	1 0 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET

Rates quoted on the 25th September, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton "	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Pork "	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl "	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken "	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon "		
EGGS		
Duck's eggs per (score)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Fowl's " "	2 12 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)		3 0 0
Ilong	2 8 0	
Lobster	2 0 0	
Bagda		
Shangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Ilish	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	2 8 0	3 8 0
Pamfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi).	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	
Bean (Ranchi) "		
Brinjal "	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	
Cauliflower		
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) "		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 3 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger "	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pona (Darjeeling) "	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) "	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) "	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	1 4 0	
Do. (Desi) "	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Radish (English) per bundle		
Radish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes " "	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer		
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) " seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate "		3 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond "	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape "	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. per box		
Goosberry per seer		
Jack fruit each	0 6 0	3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza "		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote "		
Oranges 4 to 6	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple "	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple	0 2 0	
Tamarind per seer	0 1 8	2 0 0
Walnut "	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10	1 0 0	
Langra 4—8	1 0 0	
Bombay 6—8	1 0 0	
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur "		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta "		
Sujee "		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) "		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi "		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 3 0	
Khari Masoor "	0 10 0	0 11 0
Bhanga	0 10 0	
Khasaree "	0 3 0	
Mung (Hari) "		
Do. (Sona) "		
Mattor "	0 10 0	
Salt "		0 2 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 10 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
35-40 "	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authorities.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
36A	0 4 0 "		35-36 "	0 3 0 "	
36 Chandney	0 5 0 "		36 "	0 2 0 "	
35 "	0 6 0 "		Stall No. 38	0 3 0 Daily	
37 "	0 7 0 "				
38 Stall	25 0 0 (Monthly)				
39	0 5 0 Daily				

H. M. SEN-GUPTA,

Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
1—5		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
6—6		
12	3 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
" 46C	0 10 0	Do.
" 46A	1 4 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
" 53	0 6 0	Do.
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
" 57	0 6 0	Do.
Coconut Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
" 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
" 30	0 4 0	Do.
" 31	0 4 0	Do
" 39—40	1 0 0	Do
" 41—42	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	1 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	8 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range		
" 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	24 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 32	35 0 0	
" 58	43 0 0	
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-130	1 4 0	Do.
" 75-78		
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	2 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg " 4	0 8 0	Egg
" " 9	0 8 0	Do
" " 10	0 8 0	Do
" " 18	0 8 0	Do
" " 19	0 8 0	Do
" " 22	0 8 0	Do
" " 27	0 4 0	Do
" " 35	0 4 0	Do
" 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. N. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 33	0 5 6	Do.
57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72-73	0 11 0	Do.
" 38	0 5 0	Do.
Milk 3—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
" 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
"	0 8 0	Do
" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2 "	0 8 0	Betel
" 12	1 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee
" 13—14	1 0 0	Mustard Oil
" 30	1 12 0	Miscellaneous Goods.

A few area spaces are available. Apply to Market office for terms & conditions.

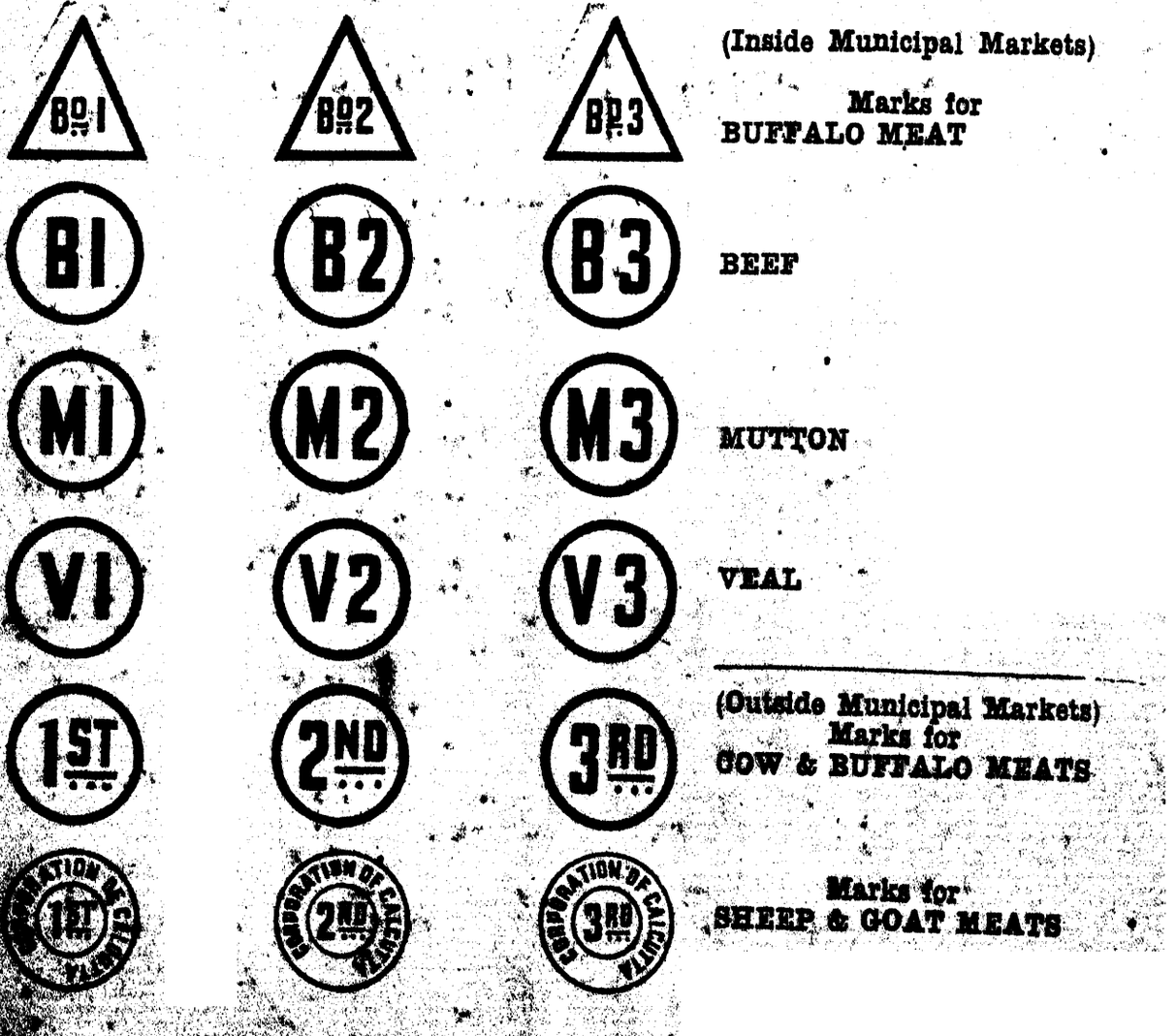
*Shops temporarily occupied.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
—1 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables.
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff.	30 „	0 3 0	„
9 S. B.	0 10 0	Do			Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 8 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	„			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	„	15 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	„	16 W. B.	1 0 0	„	50 „	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	„	64 „	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	„	65 „	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	„	21 W. B.	1 0 0	„	68 „	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	„	22 W. B.	0 15 0	„	69 „	0 4 0	„
22 S. B.	0 12 0	„	23 W. B.	0 15 0	„	75 „	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	„	24 W. B.	0 15 0	„	76 „	0 5 0	„
			25 W. B. Chandney	0 15 0	„	77 „	0 5 0	„
Pork 5	0 9 0	Pork.				78 „	0 4 0	„
„ 6	0 8 0	„	17 „	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 „	0 4 0	„
„ 6	0 8 0	„	18 „	0 7 0	„	80 „	0 7 0	Dry Fruits
„ 7	0 8 0	„						

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Chronicle & Comment

EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHS

An exhibition of photographs taken by Cecil Beaton, the renowned British photographer, on different aspects of Indian life was opened at Government House before a representative gathering of Calcutta pressmen. The Exhibition continued for three weeks from the 17th November to the 7th December last.

The exhibition was arranged by Mrs. Casey to the benefit of the Indian Red Cross Society, Bengal Civilian Branch.

The exhibits, numbering 64, were taken during the visit in 1944-45 of Cecil Beaton, who was specially deputed by the British Ministry of Information for taking typical photographs depicting Indian life with a view to presenting India to the British people. Mr. Beaton has travelled extensively with his camera throughout the Middle East, Europe, India, China and the United States of America. His photography is internationally known. Many aspects of Bengal life are included in the exhibition, some outstanding pictures being "My Son," "Bengal Tank," "Kalighat," "Bengal Fisherman," "A School Girl" and "On the Hooghly." From the pictorial point of view, mention may be made of "Jumma Musjid," "Shadow and Substance" and "Khyber Pass."

The exhibits were put in a very simple but effective way with bamboo mattings serving as background. The "alpana" on the floor was drawn [illegible] by the staff and students of Rani Mandir Industrial Home and Training Centre.

SOCIETY FOR PROTECTION OF CHILDREN

"Scarcely a week passes without some person bringing us a deserted child. Sometimes it is a policeman, sometimes a taxi-driver, a Good Samaritan, a relation, or even a parent," says a *News letter* issued by the Society for the Protection of Children in India.

The *News letter* continues: "Recently a group of soldiers asked us to take over the custody of a Gurkha boy whom they had befriended for some time and fitted out in complete uniform, down to tabs and badges.

"On another occasion a rickshaw-puller took a well-built boy of about 15 months who had been left in his vehicle in Dalhousie Square to the Police who finally handed him to us.

"The child showed no signs of neglect and his appearance indicated that he came from a good home. Though we have made exhaustive enquiries and advertised for his relatives we have not yet found his parents. In the meantime he is living happily in our Wellesley Street home.

"Another abandoned boy who was brought to us is one of the most beautiful children we have seen. He is about [illegible] years old and at first we thought he was blind. The staff approached him from different angles, waved their hands before his eyes, but received no reaction. After a while, however, he started to locate various articles, and encouraged by this [illegible] he immediately took him to a well-lighted [illegible] eye specialist. The

doctor has examined him and reports that though the sight of one eye has gone there is vision in the other which might be fully restored after an operation. The boy is accordingly under observation."

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The furniture and files of the international headquarters in Brussels were not materially damaged during the German occupation.

LEPROSY CONTROL IN INDIA

The Government of Bengal have set up a Committee to consider the "Report on Leprosy and its Control in India' as prepared by the Central Advisory Board of Health.

The Committee consists of the Director of Public Health, Bengal; Dr. G. Sen, Chief Sanitary Officer, Asansol Mines Board of Health; Dr. J. Lowe, School of Tropical Medicine, Calcutta; Dr. A. C. Ukil, All-India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health; Dr. Ramgati Banerji, Bankura; Dr. B. N. Ghosh; Leprosy Officer, Bengal Branch of the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, and Dr. Dharmendra, All-India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health. Dr. Dharmendra will act as Secretary and the Director of Public Health as President.

The Committee will furnish its recommendations to Government by March 31, 1946.

KARACHI MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

A resolution viewing with apprehension the behaviour of military personnel who forcibly enter into the residential quarters and create panic in the city was recently passed by the Karachi municipal Corporation.

The resolution which was moved by the Mayor Mr. M. Misquita urged the military authorities to take steps to prevent such occurrences.

The Week In The Corporation

CONDOLENCES

The Calcutta Corporation condoled the death, in tragic circumstances, of Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguly, an eminent Congress leader and ex-Councillor, at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 5th December last.

In paying his tribute to the memory of Miss Ganguly, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that she was a Councillor of the Corporation for three years and they all knew with what interest and devotion she did her duties as a member of the House. The Mayor recalled the very strong attitude she had taken against the amending Bill which sought to crush the long-cherished rights of the Corporation and said that her speech in the House on the subject evoked universal admiration. Her services as Deputy Chairman of the Primary Education Committee of the Corporation were worth remembering. The country had sustained a great loss in her death.

The Corporation also condoled the tragic death of *Sahid* (martyr) Rameswar Banerjee and others who died as a result of police firing in November last.

Referring to the death of Mr. Rameswar Banerjee and others, the Mayor said that he maintained even to-day that the firing was absolutely unjustified. Unless one's soul was absolutely dead, he remarked, every living man in every country must feel for his motherland. These young men were only leading a peaceful procession out of respect for the patriots of the I. N. A. "They were not to blame, they were very peaceful and we are very sorry that they lost their lives for no fault of theirs," concluded the Mayor.

The death of Mr. Wahahat Hossain, Deputy Governor of the Reserve Bank, was also condoled.

As a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased the Corporation adjourned its meeting without transacting any business.

The resolutions were moved from the chair and carried, all standing. The motion for adjournment was carried unanimously.

TIDAL-WAVE DEVASTATION IN KARACHI

The Mayor referred to the devastation caused by the tidal wave in Karachi and extended the sympathy of the Corporation to the people of Sind in their distress.

BAD FOODSTUFF IN A RATION SHOP

Shop-owner Fined By Municipal Magistrate

The owner of the Ration Shop No. AM/730 at Baitakkhana 1st Lane was convicted and fined Rs. 250 by the Municipal Magistrate on the 23rd November last, for keeping a bag of rice marked 'C' grade. The Food Inspector in charge of the area, while visiting the area, found the stuff was kept exposed for sale to the public and on a suspicion as to the wholesomeness and purity of the said stuff he took a sample and sent it to the Corporation Laboratory for analysis. The stuff was seized under section 419 of the Calcutta Municipal Act and kept in custody of the party. The sample was placed before the Magistrate's Court who convicted the shop-owner and ordered the stuff to be destroyed.

Mahatma Gandhi In Calcutta

He Comes To Offer Consolation To The Famine Victims Of Bengal

MAHATMA GANDHI arrived in Calcutta on Saturday, the 1st December last.

He was detrained at a railway level crossing near Motrigram railway station about 7 miles from Calcutta. He was received by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghose, Mr. Surendra Mohan Ghose, Mr. Kiran Sankar Roy, Mr. Satish Chandra Das Gupta and Mr. J. M. Dutt.

Mahatma Gandhi was accompanied by his Secretary, Mr. Pearylal, and Mr. Manilal Gandhi.

Throughout the journey Mahatma Gandhi made collections for the Harijan Fund and received purses for the I. N. A. Fund.

From Mourigram to Sodepur Ashram Gandhiji travelled by motor-car that had been waiting for him.

At Government House

Towards the evening of the same day Gandhiji went to Government House.

The meeting between Gandhiji and His Excellency the Governor lasted an hour and thirty-five minutes.

PANDIT NEHRU'S MESSAGE

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, who is visiting Bengal for the first time after his release from detention since August 1942, in a massage to the people of Bengal, said :—

"On coming to Bengal after three and a half years, my first feeling is to offer my salute and homage to Bengal's dead—death by famine and starvation, by man's incompetence and inhumanity, and done to death by police and military, also my salute and greetings to living Bengal, specially the youth, vibrant and full of the passion for India's freedom, Jai Hind."

It is not known what subjects were discussed at the meeting. It is presumed, however, that opportunity was taken for the Governor and Mahatma Gandhi to become acquainted with each other's views on the main aspects of the Indian problem.

It is learnt that Mahatma Gandhi will be provided by the Government with necessary facilities for travel and accommodation during his Bengal tour, if he needs them.

After his evening mass prayer at Sodepur Ashram on Saturday, Mahatma Gandhi in course of a brief speech before the gathering assembled on the occasion explained the object of his visit to Bengal, which was purely to offer whatever consolation his presence in their midst could give to the victims of the Bengal Famine and to do whatever he could to relieve their distress. He had not come to take part in the politics of the province or in the forthcoming elections.

Harijan Fund

Mahatmaji while concluding his speech appealed to the people assembled to contribute their mite to the Harijan Fund as a token of their sympathy with the cause of the abolition of untouchability as also to ameliorate the condition of Harijans. Incidentally he mentioned that in this way he had collected 2½ lakhs of rupees for the Harijans since his release. The proceeds of the autograph-fees that he charged, stated he, were earmarked for the Harijan Fund. Any one, he announced, could have his autograph by paying a fee of Rs. 5/-. There could be no exemption on the ground of poverty because according to him the autograph-hunting was essentially a rich-man's hobby.

The meeting between Mahatmaji and His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey, was resumed on Sunday, the 2nd December.

The meeting lasted ninety minutes.

Mrs. Casey, wife of the Governor, met Gandhiji at Government House during the latter's visit.

Mass Prayer At Sodepur

Gandhiji addressed a record gathering at Sodepur Asram immediately after the mass prayer in the evening. He referred to the present-day world crisis and the ineffectual efforts that were being made to find out a solution and bring about harmony and equilibrium.

Freedom from all bondages, including the political bondage of India, Gandhiji stressed, was essential for world peace. And for its final establishment man must look for guidance from God and seek enlightenment from Him.

After his address a brisk collection for the Harijan Fund was made.

Mahatma Gandhi had his day of silence on Monday, the 3rd December, and in complete silence conducted the mass prayer at Sodepur.

The congregation was comparatively smaller although much varied, including in it American, British and Chinese personnel.

"Our prayer to-day to God is to lead us from darkness to light, from untruth to truth, and let us have peace—peace not only for India but for the entire world."

I. N. A.-Men Visitors

Forty-six men of the I.N.A., who were released from the Nilganj camp, came to the Sodepur ashram to have *darshan* of Mahatma Gandhi at evening prayer. They greeted the gathering with shouts of *Jai Hind* and joined in the prayer.

Gandhiji had a third meeting with H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, at Government House on Monday evening. The meeting lasted 75 minutes.

It is learnt that the Governor did most of the talking and Gandhiji elucidated or replied to points in writing.

VICEROY-GANDHI MEETING

A meeting between the Viceroy and Mahatma Gandhi is likely to take place in Calcutta on December 10, according to well-informed political circles.

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It was suggested that in the future the Union be organized on a hemispherical basis, with hemisphere headquarters at Havana and Brussels and possibly in one other area. Each country would be invited to become a member of the respective hemispheric group and would then automatically become a member in the international organization. It was felt that individual municipal memberships should be continued.

The furniture and files of the international headquarters in Brussels were not materially damaged during the German occupation.

LEPROSY CONTROL IN INDIA

The Government of Bengal have set up a Committee to consider the "Report on Leprosy and its Control in India' as prepared by the Central Advisory Board of Health.

The Committee consists of the Director of Public Health, Bengal; Dr. G. Sen, Chief Sanitary Officer, Asansol Mines Board of Health; Dr. J. Lowe, School of Tropical Medicine, Calcutta; Dr. A. C. Ukil, All-India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health; Dr. Ramgati Banerji, Bankura; Dr. B. N. Ghosh; Leprosy Officer, Bengal Branch of the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, and Dr. Dharmendra, All-India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health. Dr. Dharmendra will act as Secretary and the Director of Public Health as President.

The Committee will furnish its recommendations to Government by March 31, 1946.

KARACHI MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

A resolution viewing with apprehension the behaviour of military personnel who forcibly enter into the residential quarters and create panic in the city was recently passed by the Karachi municipal Corporation.

The resolution which was moved by the Mayor Mr. M. Misquita urged the military authorities to take steps to prevent such occurrences.

The Week In The Corporation

CONDOLENCES

The Calcutta Corporation condoled the death, in tragic circumstances, of Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguly, an eminent Congress leader and ex-Councillor, at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 5th December last.

In paying his tribute to the memory of Miss Ganguly, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that she was a Councillor of the Corporation for three years and they all knew with what interest and devotion she did her duties as a member of the House. The Mayor recalled the very strong attitude she had taken against the amending Bill which sought to crush the long-cherished rights of the Corporation and said that her speech in the House on the subject evoked universal admiration. Her services as Deputy Chairman of the Primary Education Committee of the Corporation were worth remembering. The country had sustained a great loss in her death.

The Corporation also condoled the tragic death of *Sahid* (martyr) Rameswar Banerjee and others who died as a result of police firing in November last.

Referring to the death of Mr. Rameswar Banerjee and others, the Mayor said that he maintained even to-day that the firing was absolutely unjustified. Unless one's soul was absolutely dead, he remarked, every living man in every country must feel for his motherland. These young men were only leading a peaceful procession out of respect for the patriots of the I. N. A. "They were not to blame, they were very peaceful and we are very sorry that they lost their lives for no fault of theirs," concluded the Mayor.

The death of Mr. Wehahat Hossain, Deputy Governor of the Reserve Bank, was also condoled.

As a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased the Corporation adjourned its meeting without transacting any business.

The resolutions were moved from the chair and carried, all standing. The motion for adjournment was carried unanimously.

TIDAL-WAVE DEVASTATION IN KARACHI

The Mayor referred to the devastation caused by the tidal wave in Karachi and extended the sympathy of the Corporation to the people of Sind in their distress.

BAD FOODSTUFF IN A RATION SHOP

Shop-owner Fined By Municipal Magistrate

The owner of the Ration Shop No. AM/730 at Baitakkhana 1st Lane was convicted and fined Rs. 250 by the Municipal Magistrate on the 23rd November last, for keeping a bag of rice marked 'C' grade. The Food Inspector in charge of the area, while visiting the area, found the stuff was kept exposed for sale to the public and on a suspicion as to the wholesomeness and purity of the said stuff he took a sample and sent it to the Corporation Laboratory for analysis. The stuff was seized under section 419 of the Calcutta Municipal Act and kept in custody of the party. The sample was placed before the Magistrate's Court who convicted the shop-owner and ordered the stuff to be destroyed.

Mahatma Gandhi In Calcutta

He Comes To Offer Consolation To The Famine Victims Of Bengal

MAHATMA GANDHI arrived in Calcutta on Saturday, the 1st December last.

He was detrained at a railway level crossing near Mourigram railway station about 7 miles from Calcutta. He was received by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghose, Mr. Surendra Mohan Ghose, Mr. Kiran Sankar Roy, Mr. Satish Chandra Das Gupta and Mr. J. M. Dutt.

Mahatma Gandhi was accompanied by his Secretary, Mr. Pearylal, and Mr. Manilal Gandhi.

Throughout the journey Mahatma Gandhi made collections for the Harijan Fund and received purses for the I. N. A. Fund.

From Mourigram to Sodepur Ashram Gandhiji travelled by motor-car that had been waiting for him.

At Government House

Towards the evening of the same day Gandhiji went to Government House.

The meeting between Gandhiji and His Excellency the Governor lasted an hour and thirty-five minutes.

PANDIT NEHRU'S MESSAGE

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, who is visiting Bengal for the first time after his release from detention since August 1942, in a massage to the people of Bengal, said :—

"On coming to Bengal after three and a half years, my first feeling is to offer my salute and homage to Bengal's dead—death by famine and starvation, by man's incompetence and inhumanity, and done to death by police and military, also my salute and greetings to living Bengal, specially the youth, vibrant and full of the passion for India's freedom, Jai Hind."

It is not known what subjects were discussed at the meeting. It is presumed, however, that opportunity was taken for the Governor and Mahatma Gandhi to become acquainted with each other's views on the main aspects of the Indian problem.

It is learnt that Mahatma Gandhi will be provided by the Government with necessary facilities for travel and accommodation during his Bengal tour, if he needs them.

After his evening mass prayer at Sodepur Ashram on Saturday, Mahatma Gandhi in course of a brief speech before the gathering assembled on the occasion explained the object of his visit to Bengal, which was purely to offer whatever consolation his presence in their midst could give to the victims of the Bengal Famine and to do whatever he could to relieve their distress. He had not come to take part in the politics of the province or in the forthcoming elections.

Harijan Fund

Mahatmaji while concluding his speech appealed to the people assembled to contribute their mite to the Harijan Fund as a token of their sympathy with the cause of the abolition of untouchability as also to ameliorate the condition of Harijans. Incidentally he mentioned that in this way he had collected 2½ lakhs of rupees for the Harijans since his release. The proceeds of the autograph-fees that he charged, stated he, were earmarked for the Harijan Fund. Any one, he announced, could have his autograph by paying a fee of Rs. 5/-. There could be no exemption on the ground of poverty because according to him the autograph-hunting was essentially a rich-man's hobby.

The meeting between Mahatmaji and His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey, was resumed on Sunday, the 2nd December.

The meeting lasted ninety minutes.

Mrs. Casey, wife of the Governor, met Gandhiji at Government House during the latter's visit.

Mass Prayer At Sodepur

Gandhiji addressed a record gathering at Sodepur Asram immediately after the mass prayer in the evening. He referred to the present-day world crisis and the ineffectual efforts that were being made to find out a solution and bring about harmony and equilibrium.

Freedom from all bondages, including the political bondage of India, Gandhiji stressed, was essential for world peace. And for its final establishment man must look for guidance from God and seek enlightenment from Him.

After his address a brisk collection for the Harijan Fund was made.

Mahatma Gandhi had his day of silence on Monday, the 3rd December, and in complete silence conducted the mass prayer at Sodepur.

The congregation was comparatively smaller although much varied, including in it American, British and Chinese personnel.

"Our prayer to-day to God is to lead us from darkness to light, from untruth to truth, and let us have peace—peace not only for India but for the entire world."

I. N. A.-Men Visitors

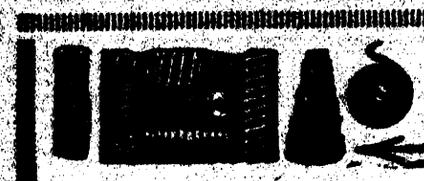
Forty-six men of the I.N.A., who were released from the Nilganj camp, came to the Sodepur ashram to have *darshan* of Mahatma Gandhi at evening prayer. They greeted the gathering with shouts of *Jai Hind* and joined in the prayer.

Gandhiji had a third meeting with H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, at Government House on Monday evening. The meeting lasted 75 minutes.

It is learnt that the Governor did most of the talking and Gandhiji elucidated or replied to points in writing.

VICEROY-GANDHI MEETING

A meeting between the Viceroy and Mahatma Gandhi is likely to take place in Calcutta on December 10, according to well-informed political circles.



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Mahatma Gandhi held his congregational prayer at Sodepur Ashram lawn on Tuesday, the 4th December.

The gathering was considerably bigger than that of Monday. Again among the participants were British, American and Chinese nationals as also a large number of lady-students.

Purpose Of The Prayer

Gandhiji explained that the real purpose of the prayer could not be filled unless the congregation became calm and quiet.

GENERAL ROUTINE OF THE MAHATMA

Mahatma Gandhi observes strict punctuality in his every-day routine in which he is guided by a watch tucked to his waist. He wears no stiched garment.

According to quarters close to him, the following is the general routine of the Mahatma—not taking into consideration his special engagements:

Mahatma Gandhi leaves his bed at quarter to 5 in the morning. As he never uses a tooth-brush, he prefers the branch of the "Babul" plant for the purpose.

Morning wash over, the Mahatma holds prayer for about 80 minutes, after which he dictates letters generally to Mr. Kanu Gandhi, his grandson.

At 7 a.m. he finishes breakfast with a glass of fruit juice and then takes an hour's walk.

After some rest, the Mahatma attends to letters and does some writing.

At 9 a.m. Gandhiji has massage from his son, Mr. Manilal Gandhi, for about two hours and at 11-80 a.m. takes the midday meal, which is of boiled vegetables, milk, fruit juice and cut fruits. He then reads paper-cuttings and has nap for half an hour.

Office work and letters are then placed before him by the Secretary.

At 4 in the afternoon, Gandhiji spins for about 40 minutes, after which the daily half-an-hour evening prayer commences at 5.

At 6 p.m. he takes fruit juice and goes out walking for about three quarter of an hour.

Mahatma Gandhi retires at 9 p.m. which is very often altered due to special and constant engagements.

Proceeding Gandhiji said that he was happy that such a big gathering attended his prayer. He was also happy that those who had unfortunately come late had imbibed the mass-feeling and stood at the edge of the congregation and listened to what he had to say very calmly and quietly. Even though they could not take part in the prayer they were very silent. That attitude, said Gandhiji, was what the prayer intended to teach the average man. It was called self-control and was a great factor of human life. For the last sixteen years he had practised it. Whenever he was late in attending any meeting or function he decided better not to go at all otherwise he was sure to disturb others.

He would strongly urge upon those who came to attend the prayer to learn the virtue of self-control and develop it in their lives.

During his stay in Calcutta, concluded Gandhiji, he would try to explain other important and social aspects of self-control and prayer.

The President Meets

Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Congress President saw Mahatma Gandhi in the afternoon of Tuesday and stayed with him for about an hour.

Mahatma Gandhi met H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey for the fourth day on Tuesday in succession at Government House. The interview lasted 180 minutes, the longest of the four-day meeting.

When Mr. Gandhi alighted from his car he was seen carrying a roll of papers.

The Director of Publicity, Bengal, issued the following statement:—

> His Excellency the Governor has met Mr. Gandhi on four occasions since Saturday. As it is some years since Mr. Gandhi has been to Bengal, there were a great many subjects that His Excellency and he wished to discuss, particularly in view of the difficult time that Bengal has been through since Mr. Gandhi was here last.
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> Mr. Gandhi's relations with His Excellency have been extremely cordial and their conversations have taken place in the most friendly atmosphere. The meeting on Monday took place on Mr. Gandhi's day of silence and on this occasion His Excellency was able to give a factual description of many of the important matters affecting Bengal today.

Mahatma Gandhi had at the Sodepur Ashram a number of callers on Wednesday, the 5th December.

Pandit Nehru Interviews

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru was closeted with Mahatma Gandhi for about an hour.

Dr. B. C. Roy examined Gandhiji, and stated that Gandhiji was keeping quite well. Gandhiji, it may be stated, was suffering from cold.

The congregational prayers held at Sodepur Ashram grounds in the afternoon, started 15 minutes behind the scheduled time in order to enable people coming by train to join the prayers.

'Prayer gives the greatest pleasure a man can have'—said Mahatma Gandhi addressing the congregation before the prayers started.

Mahatmaji said 'prayer helps a man not only throughout the day but also in sleep.'

During the prayer, the famous Bengali song of Poet Rabindranath 'You have to go alone' (*Ekla Chalo Re*) was sung by Mr. Arun Kumar Das Gupta, son of Mr. Satish Chandra Das Gupta. The song is one of Mahatmaji's most favourite songs and was rendered into Gujarati by the late Mahadev Desai.

A special train has been arranged for the public to attend the evening prayers of Mahatma Gandhi at Sodepore.

The Divisional Superintendent, B. A. Railway has so arranged that both Up and Down through passing trains stop at Sodepur from Wednesday between 8 p.m. and 7 p.m. (I. S. T.) until further advice.

A tragic accident occurred at Sodepore railway Station on Wednesday evening when a young man waiting on the platform was knocked down by a train. Death was instantaneous.

It is learnt Gandhiji proposes to continue his tour till the middle of February after which he proposes to go back to Sewagram for a week's rest.

PANDIT JAWAHARLAL NEHRU ARRIVES

A record crowd of more than two lakhs of people greeted Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru with shouts of "Jai-Hind" and "Jawaharlalji-Ki-Jai" when he arrived in Calcutta by Toofan Express on Wednesday morning.

For a distance of more than a mile and a half, all roads leading to Howrah Station were filled by a seething mass of humanity who assembled there with garlands and bouquet to offer to Panditji..

Howrah station was filled with such dense crowds that it took Pandiji 45 minutes to reach a car waiting for him outside the station precincts.

Along the road leading to Calcutta there waited vast multitudes who broke into deafening shouts of "Jais" as soon as they had a glimpse of the leader.

Due to the density of the crowds on the road, Panditji's car could not proceed more than a few yards and he walked most of the way to the other end of the Howrah Bridge through dense masses of humanity.

The train carrying Panditji arrived at Howrah station at 9-20 a.m. Long before that hour, the station precincts and the road leading out of it along the New Howrah Bridge and the Strand Road approaches to the bridge had been filled by vast crowds.

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mr. Surendra Mohan Ghosh, Mr. Basantlal Murarka, Dr. Charu Chandra Banerjee, Mr. Madan Lal Misra, Pandit Purushottam Roy and Mr. Amiya Nath Bose along with other leaders were present at the station to receive Panditji.

POLICE ASSAULTS ON STUDENTS

CONGRESS PRESIDENT'S CONDEMNATION

Maulana Azad condemned the action of the police on opening fire on students' processions at Calcutta, Bombay, Lahore and other places in the course of an address at a mass meeting at Gandhi Ashram, Mirzapur , on the 1st December last. He said, the students were justified in taking out processions as a protest against the trial of the Indian National Army officers and men.

These incidents, he said, had caused considerable concern and were agitating their minds. They showed that the Labour Party had missed the opportunity they had and had proved that the Labour Government was no better than the previous Government as far as India was concerned.

I. N. A. DAY IN PESHAWAR

FRONTIER GANDHI'S ADVICE

"Create a spivit of sacrifice if you want to be free" said Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan, speaking at a largely attended public meeting held under the presidentship of Khan Ali Gul Khan in connection with the I. N. A. Day which was observed on Sunday last in Peshawar.

He also said :—

"You could never expect from any democratic and civilised Government what has happened in Bombay, Calcutta and the Punjab. The firing and *lathi* charge on unarmed students has no justification. Some people who came to me deplored the Calcutta incident in which some students were killed, but I feel happy and encouraged that where so many Indians die as a result of mutual feuds or famine, India possesses such young men who can sacrifice their lives at the altar of their country's freedom. But if you acquire power and force neither such things could happen nor you would have so helplessly cried to save the I. N. A. men and officers."

SUBHAS CHANDRA BOSE

A PROMINENT THOROUGHFARE IN BOMBAY TO BE NAMED AFTER HIM

A proposal to name a prominent thoroughfare in the city of Bombay after the late Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose was passed at a meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation on Monday, the 3rd December.

A MEDICAL COLLEGE FOR HOWRAH

A BIG DONATION MADE TO THE MUNICIPALITY

The Chairman of the Howrah Municipality has received from Srimaty Lakshmi Devi Jaiswal, of 14, D. L. Roy Street, Calcutta, an offer of property and cash to the value of Rs. 8,00,000 and a recurring monthly grant of Rs. 1,000 for the purpose of a general hospital and medical college at Howrah. The terms agreed upon between the municipality and the donor, were ratified by the municipal commissioners at their meeting held on Wednesday last, the municipality undertaking to maintain the hospital and to raise a further contribution from the public and the Government.

COUNCILLOR S. C. RAY CHAUDHURI

RESIGNS HIS OFFICE FROM EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION

The Executive Council of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association in a meeting held on Tuesday, the 4th December, 1945, accepted with regret the resignation tendered by the President Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri.

The Executive Council expressed its fullest confidence in him and appreciated the distinguished services rendered by him during the tenure of his office as President."

"HARIJAN" TO RE-APPEAR

It is reliably understood that Mahatma Gandhi is shortly reviving the weekly journal *Harijan*.

Necessary steps are being taken to get it out by the first week of January, 1946.

Harijan, through which Gandhiji spoke to millions of his countrymen and the outside world, ceased publication just before the A. I. C. C. passed the "Quit India" resolution in August, 1942.

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

A STADIUM FOR CALCUTTA?

At a dinner-party given by the Cricket Association of Bengal to the Australian Services Cricket Team, then at Calcutta, during the last week of November, Prince Duleep Singhji expressed his hope that Calcutta would soon have a stadium. Mr. P. Gupta referring to the stadium as mentioned by Prince Duleep, said that he always got irritated when he heard or read of a stadium in Calcutta being talked of by people in Calcutta who had no business to talk of a stadium. It irritated him when he heard that the Bengal Secretariat had been planning for the construction of a stadium and even contemplated the formation of Trustees for Calcutta's stadium. In his view, it was a huge joke. The stadium should be talked of, conceived and worked out by those who know something about it, and he had his doubts whether the Writers' Buildings, which possess any number of technicians on all subjects, had anybody, who had seen stadiums in every part of the world and known how thery are being run. Mr. Gupta demanded on behalf of the sportsmen in Calcutta, a stadium either to be provided for by the Government or the Corporation. On behalf of the Cricket Association of Bengal he stated that his Association would guarantee a stadium in one year if only the Government or the Corporation could provide them with a suitable plot of land and cut out red-tapism. He mentioned also that although everything appeared to be plain sailing Calcutta had a peculiar system in the organisaion of sport, which Mr. Gupta emphatically declared could not be found in any part of the British Empire. He thought that time was near when sportsmen in Calcutta would embark on a strike to get a stadium.

LATE RAMESWAR BANERJEE

Mr. Sailendra Mohan Banerjee writes :—

"My son, Rameswar Banerjee was the first victim of the tragic firing by the police on November 21 last at Dhurrumtolla Street. In order to find out the culprit and to ascertain the truth it is necessary to obtain all information with regard to the incident so that the facts may be elicited at the Coroner's inquest or at any public enquiry that may be instituted by authorities.

"I shall be obliged if any gentleman who had personal knowledge about this shooting by the police on unarmed citizens on that day will kindly communicate by December 5 with Maj P. Bardhan, 23, Royd Street.—Phone : P. K. 189 or with Mr. B. K. Bose, Solicitor, 7, Old Post Office Street—Phone : Cal. 3473."

RICKSHAW PULLERS' STRIKE

About 6,000 Calcutta rickshaws were idle on the 30th November last as a result of the strike of rickshaw-pullers The men have decided to continue the strike until their grievances are met.

A meeting of the Rickshaw owners and the representative of Rickshaw pullers of the City and its suburbs was held on the 2nd December last at the office of the All-Bengal Rickshaw Union under the presidentship of Khan Saheb Abdul Jabbar, General Secretary of the Union and after a discussion for more than two hours it was resolved unanimously that the Rickshaw pullers would resume work from the 3rd morning at the rate of Rs. 2 and 1 per shift per Rickshaw.

In spite of the announcement of the end of the 4-day strike of the Rickshaw pullers by the All-Bengal Rickshaw Union not a single rickshaw was available in the streets in any part of the city on Monday last.

STRIKE FEVER IN CALCUTTA

The Calcutta Dockers' Union on the 30th November last sent a representation to the Labour Commissioner, Bengal urging adjudication of a year-old dispute over the question of alleged "wrongful dismissal" of 49 sirdars of a local shipping company. The Union threatened to call a strike of the entire stevedoring labour (about 9,000) if the matter was not settled immediately.

About 1,000 labourers of a cigarette factory in Bellia ghatta, Calcutta, submitted a 14-day strike notice to the management and Labour Commissioner, Bengal. Their demands included introduction of provident fund.

Four hundred drivers and fitters employed under Messrs. Premnath Motors have struck work since Sunday (the 2nd December) last, according to a press note issued by the Motor Transport Workers Union. The demands of the workers are one month's notice before discharge and one month's pay as gratuity to those whose services are no longer required by the Company, besides other grievances.

BOSE INSTITUTE ANNIVERSARY

Scientific investigations carried on in the Bose Institute, Calcutta, were reviewed on the occasion of its 28th anniversary on the 30th November last.

Some of the plant physiological investigations of the founder, the late Sir J. C. Bose, the Director (Dr. D. M. Bose) said, were being followed up with improved technical appliances. As regards investigations on the spontaneous fission of nucleus if sufficient funds were available the Institute could undertake researches on the industrial application of the uranium fission process.

On the applied side investigations had been directed to the production of new varieties of jute with desirable economic properties.

Retting of economic fibres like jute, cocoanut, hemp, flax, etc., with ensyme complexes isolated from molds and bacteria had been successfully investigated.

The process of bacterial retting had been tested, under industrial conditions in a mill, for the processing of jute root cuttings for the purpose of spinning and for weaving of jute cloth. It had elicited favourable reports both as regards the cost of the process and the tensile strength of the cloth woven from them.

Other investigations dealt with the breeding of long stapled cotton suited for cultivation in Bengal, by selection and hybridization from pure strain seeds obtained from Coimbatore and Lyallpur.

Vernalization and photoperiodic treatment of Indian cereals like rice and wheat, with a view to producing early ripening, were continued successfully.

The seventh Sir J. C. Bose Memorial Lecture was delivered by Dr. P. Parija, Vice-Chancellor, Utkal University.

CALCUTTA POLLING ON DEC. 10

Twenty polling stations will be opened for the polling of votes for the general election to the Indian Legislative Assembly in the Calcutta (Non-Muhammadan) constituency.

Fourteen of these stations will be for male electors and the rest for women electors.

The polling takes place on Dec. 10 from 8-30 a.m. to 12-30 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Places where the polling stations will be opened, with areas to be served by them are published below.

FOR MALE ELECTORS

Town School, 33, Shyampukur Street—two booths (Ward No. 1); Paikpara Rajbati, 58, Barackpore Trunk Road (Ward Nos. 30, 31 and 32); Scottish Church Collegiate School 73, Cornwallis Street—two booths (Ward Nos. 5 and 29) Rammohun Library, 257, Upper Circular Road (Ward Nos. 4

and 28); Oriental Seminary, 336, Upper Chitpore Road (Ward Nos. 4 and 5); Catholic Male Orphanage, 15, Portuguese Church Street (Ward Nos. 7, 10 and 12); Girish Park, 24, Jorasankur Square Lane, at the junction of Chittaranjan Avenue and Vivekananda Road (Ward No. 16); Hindu School, 1, Bankim Chatterjee Street (Ward Nos. 8 and 9); Islamia College, 8, Wellesley Street (Ward Nos. 11 and 13); Calcutta Madrassah, 21, Wellesley Square (Ward Nos. 14, 15, 16 and 17); Cart Registration Office. 185/1, Lower Circular Road (Ward Nos. 18, 19, 20 and 21); South Suburban School 16, Gopal Banerjee Street—two booths (Ward Nos. 22 and 23); St. Barnabas's High School, 54, Pipe Road (Ward Nos. 24 25 and 26) and Tirthapati Institution, 142/1, Rashbehari Avenue—3 booths— (Ward No. 27).

FOR WOMEN ELECTORS

Maharaja Cossimbazar Polytechnic Institute, 3, Nanda Lal Bose Lane, Baghbazar (Ward Nos. 1, 2, 30, 31 and 32); Maniktalla H. E. School, 60B, Raja Dinendra Street (Ward Nos. 3, 4, 28 and 29); Hare School, 37, College Street—two booths (Ward Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 12); St. Xavier's College, 30, Park Street, entrance on Short Street (Ward Nos. 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21); Asutosh College, 9, Russa Road (Ward Nos. 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26) and Ballygunge Girls' H. E. School—4, Hindusthan Road—two booths (Ward No. 27)

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

Deaths in Calcutta from all causes during the week ended December 1 numbered 909, an increase of 277 over the previous week's figure of 632.

Total mortality figures during the corresponding weeks last year were 1,126 and 1,172.

Cholera attacks numbered 43 and deaths 14 during the week ended December 1 against 15 and 2 respectively in the preceding week. There were 20 and 23 attacks and 12 and 18 deaths during the corresponding two weeks last year.

Malaria caused 36 deaths against 33 the week before. Last year the disease claimed 140 and 146 victims during the two corresponding weeks.

There was no attack nor any death from small-pox during the week against two each in the preceding week.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 148, an increase of 84 over the previous week's figure.

DR. MOOKERJEE WITHDRAWS

Dr. Shyama Prasad Mookerjee, President of the All India Hindu Mahasabha, who was a candidate for election to the Central Legislative Assembly from the Calcutta Suburbs Constituency, has withdrawn from the contest, on account of sudden illness and his doctors' insistent advice.

The following statement has been issued by Dr. Mookerjee :—

"For the last ten days I have been confined to bed on account of a sudden illness and I am still unable to move about. My doctors are insistent that I should, for the time being, withdraw from all activities which may in the least put any strain on me and have ordered me complete rest for some time to come. That this should happen during the election contest is a matter of deep regret to me and to my numerous friends and supporters. My doctors, however, refuse to leave the decision in my hands; I have no option but to submit to their direction and to refrain from continuing the contest. In the present state of my health, I cannot issue any long statement dealing with the many controversies that have arisen in connection with the election beyond stating that the cause I have expounded is just, righteous and it, in no way, lowers the interest of national unity and freedom. I thank all who have worked on my behalf for the last few weeks and also those conveyed to me their readiness to extend to me their wholehearted support and co-operation."

Arrangements are being made for a sea voyage for Dr. Syama Prosad Mookerjee, who is lying ill. If passage is available from Calcutta, Dr. Mookerjee will leave for Colombo in the middle of December, otherwise he will proceed to Colombo via Madras. Dr. Mookerjee is likely to stay in Colombo for about three weeks.

DR. RAJENDRA PRASAD'S 62ND BIRTHDAY

"It is a great good fortune for Bihar to have a leader like Dr. Rajendra Prasad. I may say this that if we win Swaraj, it will be because we have men like Rajendra Babu to lead us," said Acharyya J. B. Kripalini addressing the Bihar Association, Calcutta, at Arya Samaj hall on Monday, the 3rd December, in connection with the celebration of the 62nd birth-day anniversary.

"You talk with Dr. Rajendra Prasad", Acharyya Kripalini said, "you will never feel you are in the presence of a great man. His intelligence is sharp; his ideas are clear. He is also a very quick worker. He does the work in five hours if others take ten hours to do it.' On his birth-da along with you I salute him."

Acharyya Kripalini did not think there was any other leader in the Congress High Command who was so quiet and calm as Rajendra Babu. He had not heard Dr. Rajendra Prasad to use harsh words even once during his long connection with him. To say in a word Dr. Rajendra Prasad was a man of universal character. He never differentiated between rich and poor. He treated all equally.

Acharyya Kripalini then referred to the part Dr. Rajendra Prasad took in the Champaran Satyagraha. They were now called leaders but the young generation did not know how they became leaders. Under Gandhiji's instruction they used to do their own work. They used to cook their food, wash their clothes and clean their house. Sometimes they used to take letters for posting. Dr. Rajendra Prasad, who gave up a good practice when he joined Gandhiji used to go on foot for miles, carrying his own luggages.

'MARTYRS' DAY"

A demand for a searching enquiry into the recent firing in Calcutta and punishment of those found guilty was made by Mr. Asaf Ali presiding at a crowded public meeting held at Shraddhananda Park on Tuesday, the 4th December, in observance of the Martyrs' Day organized by Students' Council of Action, Calcutta.

The following resolution was adopted :—

"This meeting most respectfully recollects the martyrs whose self-sacrifice inspired and led us to victory in the struggle for the establishment of our civic right.

"This meeting shares the sorrows of the bereaved families and believes that the example of the martyrs will inspire us more in our struggle against Imperialism."

Mr. Asaf Ali said :—

"We know very well what happened on the last occasion. Every one of the lives lost was precious and those precious lives were lost simply because some people imagined that authority could be maintained only for its own sake.

"And what the exact cause of stopping a peaceful and unarmed demonstration at a particular spot? What was sacrosanct about Dalhousie Square? I am not aware of any reason for declaring Dalhousie Square a place where no procession could go and I am told that no one knew that it was

a forbidden ground; at least the students knew nothing about it. If so, I fail to see why that procession was stopped to begin with and having been stopped, why it was fired upon without any legal sanction. There was no legal sanction behind it."

Demanding a searching enquiry into the whole affair, the men, who fired upon, the man in whose name they exercised authority, Mr. Asaf Ali said that those people must be dealt with severely and condign punishment should be meted out to them who were guilty of ordering the fire.

CALCUTTA POLICE PARADE

"I and my Administration stand for a fair and free election", declared H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, in the course of his address at the annual Calcutta Police parade at Dullunda House on the 5th December last.

"I wish to make it perfectly clear", H. E. added, "that if any person or party seeks to enforce its will by violent means or to prevent its opponents from exercising their rights it will be the duty of the Administration to do all that it can to prevent such interference and preserve freedom of speech."

Central and Provincial elections, the Governor proceeded, were "a subject of great importance and fraught with more trouble for the police during the next few months.

"What I have to say in this regard applies not only to Calcutta. It applies equally to the rest of the province and is addressed both to the executive authorities charged with the maintenance of law and order and the conduct of elections in the districts and to the candidates themselves and all those responsible for the organization of their campaigns."

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'RAJENDRA PROSAD DAY' OBSERVED

A mass meeting of the Harijans working under the Corporation of Calcutta was held on the 3rd December last in the Park just by the side of the Central Municipal Office Buildings on account of Rajendra Prosad Day. Mr. Ganapati Sur, Councillor, presided.

The President asked the gathering to stand up and be silent for 5 minutes and pray to God for the long life of Rajendra Prosad. This was observed by the gathering.

He then read out a letter from the Secretary of Mahatma Gandhi asking Harijans to come to Sodepur with the object of joining the prayer with Mahatma Gandhi.

The Secretary of the Scavengers and Labour Union paid whole hearted thanks to the Mayor for the immediate increment of Rs. 3 following the recent strike and requested the Corporation to take up the matter of revision of grades and other items that were placed by the Union and give effect to them within the stipulated period as promised by the Mayor.

LICENSE DEPARTMENT'S CONTRIBUTION

The employees of the License Department, Calcutta Corporation, have contributed an amount of Rupees Three Hundred and Five (Rs. 305/-) only as first instalment to the I. N. A. Relief Fund (Bengal). It is understood that this contribution of theirs was their one day's pay.

KING OF SIAM IN CALCUTTA

King Ananda Mahidol of Siam and party arrived in Calcutta in an R.A.F. plane on Monday night (December 3) and stayed at the Government House.

The King was received at the Dum Dum Aerodrome by Government officials and Siamese residents of the city.

The King left for England the day after.

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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 1st December, 1945

City of Calcutta (Town and Suburbs)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 909 against 632 and 689 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 217. The general death-rate of the week was 18 77 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 1st December 1945, was 789 against 509 and 586 in the two preceding weeks There were 14 deaths from cholera against 2 and 3 in the two preceding weeks There was nil death from small-pox during the week against 2 in the previous week. There were 4 deaths from influenza against 4 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 71 and 97 respectively against 50 and 66 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 18.60 per mille per annum

There were 27 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 17 97

There were 156 deaths from respiratory diseases against 108 in the previous week.

There were 63 deaths from tuberculosis against 35 in the previous week

Suburbs (Wards 28—32.)

The number of deaths registered was 120 against 123 and 103 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, nil was from cholera, nil from small-pox, 2 from influenza, 16 from fevers, 17 from bowel-complaints and 27 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 19.92 per mille.

There were 2 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate was 19.60.

There were 7 deaths from tuberculosis against 7 in the previous week.

CORPORATION NOTICES

To Contractors

Tenders are invited in duplicate for the following and will be received by the Second Deputy Executive Officer on the date noted for each, up to 1-30 p.m. Each tender in duplicate must be enclosed in a sealed cover and superscribed—"Tender for....." For specifications and tender forms apply to the Keeper of Records. Price Rs. 2 per set.

1. Supply and delivery of milk and barley water to different Milk Kitchens and outside institutions for 1946-47.

2. Disposal of Christian pauper dead bodies at Christian Burial Grounds at Lower Circular Road and Tollygunge Cemeteries for a period of 3 years from 1st April, 1946.

Tenders for the above will be opened on 19th December 1945. The rates quoted in the tenders are to hold good for 3 months.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
The 3rd December, 1945.

Construction of Stalls—Tower Block—College Street Market.

Tenders are invited in duplicate for the following and will be opened by the Manager of the Bengal Central Bank Ltd., at the office of the First Deputy Executive Officer on 14th December, 1945 at 1-30 p.m. Each tender in duplicate must be enclosed in a sealed cover and superscribed "Tender for.....". For specifications and tender forms apply to the Keeper of Records. Price Rs. 2 per set.

Construction of 8 stalls on the terrace of ground floor of College Street Market, Tower Block for Banks.

The rate quoted in the tender is to hold good for 3 months.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
The 5th December, 1945.

Notice To Petty Improvement Contractors

District No. II Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following work are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in a sealed cover superscribed "Tender for....." on Tuesday the 11th December, 1945, up to 2 p.m. :—

The Petty Improvement Contractors are requested to call at this office to note the items and descriptions of works for which tenders are to be submitted from a copy kept in the District Engineer's room for inspection.

60. Repairs to C. I. shed at Nalanda Square, Ward 10.—Rs. 82, dated 24th September, 1945, (15 days).

N.B.—Please note that words in italics "7 days notice" in Clause 6 of the conditions of contract should be read as 3 days' notice.

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II.

District II Eng'g. Office,
The 3rd December, 1945.

District II Engineer's Department
(*Manicktala*)

Tenders for the following work are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed cover superscribed "Tender for....." on Tuesday, 11th December, 1945, upto 2 p.m. :—

23. Construction of Standpost Platforms at 3/1, Sastitala Road, Harish Neogi Road and Bagmari Road off Satkari Misra Lane, Ward 29.—Rs. 79-3-0, dated 6th October, 1945 (7 days).

N.B.—Please note that words in italics "7 days' notice" in clause 6 of the conditions of contract should be read as "3 days' notice."

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II.

District II Eng'g. Office,
The 3rd December, 1945.

District No. IV. Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following work are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in a sealed cover superscribed "Tender for....." on Thursday, the 20th December, 1945 upto 2 p.m. :—

The Petty Improvement Contractors are requested to call at this office to note the items and descriptions of works for which tenders are to be submitted, from a copy kept in the District Engineer's room for inspection.

64. Repairs to Gangway in Gowkhana IV.—Rs. 917, dated 5th October, 1945, (1 month).

A. F. NABI BAKSH,
District Engineer IV.

District IV Eng'g. Office,
The 4th December, 1945.

Drain Land Closed

Notice is hereby given for the information of the public that in pursuance of a resolution passed by the Corporation at their meeting held on the 22nd November, 1944, in exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 252 of the Calcutta Municipal Act III B.C. of 1923, the portion of the public drain land lying to the north and east of premises No. 138, Karnya Road in Ward 20, measuring about ¼ kottah has been permanently closed with effect from the date of Corporation resolution noted above.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 29th November, 1945.

Notice is hereby given for the information of the public that in pursuance of a resolution passed by the Corporation at their meeting held on the 10th May, 1944, in exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 252 of the Calcutta Municipal Act III B. C. of 1923, the filled-up drain land, excluding portion affected by the Corporation alignment, adjoining premises Nos. 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 69, 71, 73, 77 and 79, Palm Avenue and 37, Bondel Road, in Ward No. 21, and delineated in the map or plan prepared in this behalf and thereon coloured green has been permanently closed with effect from the date of Corporation resolution noted above.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 29th November, 1945.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Sk. Imaman, the recorded occupier of Stall No. 22 in Block K (new) in the S. S. Hogg Market, for permission to transfer his rights and interests in the above stall to his wife Must. Fudia Bibi and his nephew, Mr. Abdul Rahman.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date of this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P. C. BHATTACHARJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S. S. Hogg Market,
The 5th December, 1945.

Purchase Of Fats And Guts

NOTICE.

Offers are invited for license for one year from 1st April, 1946, for the purchase of (1) fats from the butchers in the Tangra Slaughter House, and (2) guts from butchers in all Corporation Slaughter Houses except the Pig Slaughter House.

A lump sum fee of Rs. 300 and Rs. 1,000 respectively will have to be paid for the above two licenses for the whole year or any part thereof. Offers should be submitted separately in sealed covers superscribed. "Offers for the purchase ....." and will be received by the Second Deputy Executive Officer up to 2 p.m. on 20-12-45. For further particulars, apply to the Health Officer, Calcutta Corporation.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0	Business to be approved by the Committee			
A—3	0 8 0	Do.	...	...	...

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

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Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 12 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.			Mudikhana			
,, 158-160	0 13 6	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 160-163	0 9 0	Do.			...	,, 114	0 10 0	
,, 164-169	1 7 9	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 111	5 10 0	
,, 170-172	0 12 6	Do.						

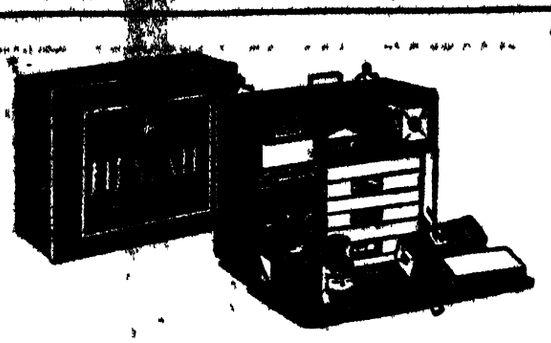
M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Markgt.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
E. (New) 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	6 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
F. G. 4.	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 142	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 9	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

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2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5 To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8 *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9 For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10 Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11 The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market

12 Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

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PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th December, 1945.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong ..	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ..	1 8 0	1-12 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each ...	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Duck's eggs per score ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl's eggs ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) per sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
*Tomato per seer ...		0 3 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Rauchi) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. (Country) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Turnip ...		0 10 0
*Carrot ...		0 12 0
*Beetroot ...		0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A P	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 12 0	1 0 0
,, (Darjeeling) per seer (Contd.)	0 10 0	
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer..	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each —	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score —	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score —	1 0 0	
Oranges 8 to 16 —	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
,, Do. (Martaban)' per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 12 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate —	1 8 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,, —		
Ghee Lakhee —		
Do. Bhadwa —	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree —	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,, —		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1 —		
Atta Brown per seer —	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs A.P.
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar ,, ...	0 8 0	(Con.)
Tea per lb. —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer —	0 10 0	
,, (Sugarcandy) ,, —	0 12 0	
Suji —	(Ration Shop) 0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ,, ...	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga ,, ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,, ...	0 6 6	
Bhuli ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
,, (Sona) per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Mattar ,, ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) ...	0 2 9	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. —	1 6 0	
Coal ,, ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. ,,		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley —		
Cobra Boot Polish —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly —		

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ARTICLES.	1st Class From	1st Class To	2nd Class From	2nd Class To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round "	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin "	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney)	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer				
Do. Melted "				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer				
Lump "				
Round				
Tongue each				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb.	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class From	2nd Class To	3rd Class From	3rd Class To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin "	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder "	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB				
Fore-quarter per seer	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter "	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb	3 12 0	4 12 0		

	1st Class.		2nd Class	3rd Class.
MUTTON				
Chops per seer	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast "	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr.	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart "	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver "	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain "	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue "	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters "	1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausage per lb.	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chops per seer	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb.		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb.	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb.	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausage per lb	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb.	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do (without shell) per seer	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per lb		
Pomfrets per seer		
Bhetkee "	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive "		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per "		
Ball chah per seer		
Papadams per 100	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer	3 8 0	4 10 0

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ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (doz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chicken (Broth) " (doz)	1 8 0	1 12 0
Capon " ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) " .	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do (roasting) " ..	3 8 0	3 14 0
Do. (special) "	4 0 0	4 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 10 0	3 6 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 4 0	3 14 0
Do (special) each .	4 0 0	4 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	4 0 0
Goose " ..	24 0 0	30 0 0
Pigeons	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock " ..	70 0 0	80 0 0
Do Hen .	40 0 0	50 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	2 10 0	3 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score	3 8 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) per score	3 8 0	4 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl "	8 0 0	9 0 0
Partridge " ..		
Peacock "	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen " ..	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur "	0 8 0	0 12 0
Do. Lahore .	1 10 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad "		
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 10 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score .	1 8 0	2 0 0
Garlic per seer ..	0 12 0	0 14 0
Ginger " .	1 0 0	1 2 0
Green Chilly per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Turmaric ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Indian Corn each .		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score .	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Do. (Large) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Onions, (New) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Patna red (old) "	0 14 0	1 0
Do. " white "	1 12 0	1 14 0
Do. Country red .	0 12 0	0 14 0
* Parsnip per seer "	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling " ..	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh " ..	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
Do. Simla " ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do Country "		
Snake Coil " ..		
Potatoes (Nainital) " ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling " ..	0 12 0	
Do. Country do. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (New) Small .	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ..	1 2 0	1 4 0
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...	0 10 0	
Rhubarb per seer .	1 0 0	
Pulbul (Patal) per seer .	0 12 0	0 14 0
Radish English per bundle	0 8 0	0 4 0
Do Country per bundle	0 10 0	1 4 0
Spinach per lot of 20 .	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Tomato per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country "		
Do. Ranchi "	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do Shillong .	1 4 0	1 14 0
Tamarind (Green) "	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do Lucknow per bundle	0 14 0	1 2 0
Vegetable marrow Country each	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red . per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tara per seer -	0 6 0	0 8 0
Kankrole per seer -		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots (fresh) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) " —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ..		
Do. Luton per lb ...	2 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Country Apples ...		
Gousebery per seer ..		
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz ...	16 0 0	20 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee " ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Looket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon " (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do Fazlie ...		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score		
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do Begamfuli ...		
Do Kanchan ..		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...	10 0 0	12 0 0
Mangosteen per doz. —		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom pe doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona . " ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay " ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Do (Squeezing) 14—16	1 0 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
Plovers each ...		
Quail " ..		
Rabbit " .	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes " ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) "	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ..	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ..		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS		
Canary (Cock) each ..	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) " .	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ..	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 14 0	1 8 0
Do. Country per seer ...		
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Brinjal " seer .	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage each ..		
Do. (Simla) per seer	1 8 0	2 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling "	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) "	1 8 0	2 4 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) "	0 14 0	1 12 0
Do. (Lucknow) ...	0 14 0	1 12 0

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FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore „ ...		
Do. Ceylon „ ...		
Do. Madras „ ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Comilla „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling „ ...		
Pomtain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban „ ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar „ ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul „ ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jessore each ...	0 12 0	2 4 0
Do. Country „ ...	0 8 0	1 4 0
Plums per lb. (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pummalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pummalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Malasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Kufri 4–5 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 4—5 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata ...		
Sunkist (Orange) per doz	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad „ ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...		
Do. „ 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	1 8 0	4 0 0
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...	4 0 0	
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) „	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	2 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 4 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...		1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...		2 0 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per seer ...		0 14 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...		
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.		
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 4 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. pecket ...		
Do. Table ½ lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0.
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 14 0	2 8 0

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	Per day.	
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„ 13	„ 7 „	Do.
E. 2, 5 & 9	„ 6 „	Do.

Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
Potato— 9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato
† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 8	Betel leaves
About 2 cottahs of open land on Beltola Rd.	To be fixed by the authority.	To be approved by the authority.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,, ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	3 14 0	3 0 0
Sombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,, ...	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 8 0	3 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	4 0 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) ,, ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,,	5 4 0	6 0 0
Cutla per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut pieces) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Rohi per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Butter fish per seer ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 4 0	2 10 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Lobster ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Mackerel ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Gajal (Entire) ...		
Shrimp per seer ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,, ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,, ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland ,, ...		
Do. Cheddarm (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unmixed. ,, ...		
Cream per lb. ...	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red ,, ,, ...		
Wheat ,, ,, ...		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) ,, ...		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) ...		
Rice per seer (retail) ...		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,, ...		
Kamini rice ,, ...		
Palmal (table) per seer ...	0 10 0	
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer ...		0 9 0
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer ...		
Arahar ,, ...		0 12 0
Chola ,, ...		0 8 0
Khari Masoor ,, ...		0 13 0
Khasari ,, ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) ...		0 13 0
*Salt ...		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
3 lb. ,, ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. ,, ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,, ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) ...	1 1 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk ...	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,, ...	0 0 5	
80 ,, ,, ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md.	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	0 13 0	0 14 0 to 1 0 0
Haldi ,, ...	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. ...	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet ...		
Milk Chocolates slab ...		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. ...		4 0 0
Short bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins ,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb. ...	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. ...	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb. ,, ...		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin ...		
Nice 2 lb. tin ...		
Petit Beurre tin ...		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese ...		
Gem ...		
Gem Iced ...		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. ...		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) ...		
Marie ...		
Milk ...		
Mixed (Household) ...		
Nice ...		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—Contd.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.		
Fimki —		
Petit Beurre —		
School ...		
Thin Arrowroot „ ...		
Water „ —		
Zoological ...		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin.		
Cow & Gate Milk Food ...		
Cow & Gate Rusks ..		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk—		
per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Pepperments per lb. — ..		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
*Three Castles tin of 5 ..	2 8 0	
Deresuke per packet ...	0 2 6	
Salsor per pkt. ...		0 3 0
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	4 1 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...	2 12 0	
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		0 2 6
Black & White tin of 50 ...		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 ...	2 0 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt.	2 2 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 6	
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ..	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 6 0	2 8 0
Cocoa 1 lb packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb....	1 0 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „	1 4 0	
Chutneys 1 „	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	1 12 0
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.	0 14 0	
Mustard (India) per bottle	1 0 0	
Panama Pepper — —		0 10 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	2 0 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 3 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb, per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin —		
Indian Oats per tin. ...	1 10 0	
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin .. —	1 9 0	
	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	
*Chamois Leather large...		
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 13 0
*Bisurated Magnesia,large	1 12 0	
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 2 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 4 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	125 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

* Controlled Price

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. up to 31st December, 1945.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Nos. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 18	0 3 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 3 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 3 0 „	Ghee & Butter.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 7th November, 1945.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisbakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boilee ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...	0 6 0	
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 8 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) ...		4 6 0
Do. (Buffalo) ...		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 0
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ,,		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		0 5 6
Atta (brown) Control ,,		0 5 0
Do. (white) ,, ...		
Suji ...		0 5 6
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		
,, Khajure ,,		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes (Control) ...		0 10
Gauhati ...		
Madras ...		

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Brinjal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas ...		
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...		
Ginger ...		0 10 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khasht ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other ...		
Hilsa ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Prawns ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki ...		
Crab per pair ...		
Koi ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 4th December, 1945.

ARTICLES	From	To
DAL.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Mug Dal (Bhaja) ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE.		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) ...		0 6 0
*Atta		0 5 0
*Do. B		
Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
BUTTER.	Rs. A.P	Rs. A.P.
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head ...		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid ...		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer .	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 0
FRUITS		
Apples 4—8 ...		1 0 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 10—25 ...	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		8 0 0
Dates Arab ...	1 4 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati 6—8 ...		
Mango 2 ...		
,, (Langra) ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Potatoes New ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Potatoes (Gouhati & Madras) Controlled	0 10 0	
Brinjal ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
FISH		
Parsey per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pona ,, ...	1 12 0	
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, ...		2 4 0
Bagda ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki ,, ...	1 12 0	
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish ...		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		2 4 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		2 0 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb. ...		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. ...	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. ...		
Household per tin ...		
Jacob's Cream Crackers		
**Rice ...		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. ...		
Pearl Barley (C. S.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats ...		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each ...		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 29th November, 1945.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 1 0
Do. 2nd " " —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer —	2 8 0	3 1 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	2 6 0	
Fowls " —	2 10 0	
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Ginger " —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 0 6	0 1 6
Ladies finger per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kagji Lemon per pair —	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer		0 8 0
Do. Bombay " ...		0 10 0
Do. Country " —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer		
Do. (controlled) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Madrasi " ...		
Do. Gauhati " ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Country ... —		
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —		0 10 0
Do. Disi per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Hilly " ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cabbage " ...		1 4 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling " ...	0 14 0	
Do. Deshi " —		
Beans " —	0 10 0	
Squash " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato " —	0 8 0	
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 12 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 2—6 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 2—3 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bokhara per seer ..	2 8 0	
pricot " ..	2 0 0	2 8 0
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...		
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza ...	5 0 0	
Dates Arab " —	1 8 0	
Do. Bagdad "	1 4 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta " ...		
Do. Chaman " ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Australia " ...		
Khorma per seer " ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi " ...	4 0 0	
Khobani " " ...		
Kajoo Nuts " ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Muzafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	1 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul " ...		
Belapjam —		
Paniful per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Atasta —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi —		
Do. Langra —		
Do. Bhadsara —		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari 1—0 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore 3—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 6—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	}	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Peaches —		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	0 12 0	1 8 0
Musket per seer ...	1 8 0	
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 8 0	
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...		
Do. Sultuna " ...	3 0 0	
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	
Do. without shell ...	4 0 0	
Do. do. large ...		6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...	1 0 0	5 0 0
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	10 0 0	12 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon —		
Musembi 5—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —	3 8 0	
Do. Shelled " —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground " ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		1 0 0
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay " " ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh " " ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore " per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur " " ...	3 8 0	
Pabna " " ...		3 8 0
Darbhanga " " ...		3 2 0
Muzafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Prawns " ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa " ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Rohi " ...	1 8 0	
Rohi (cut pieces) " ...		2 0 0
Small fish " ...		1 8 0
Chetal " ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Galda ...	2 0 0	

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatasi Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) " ...		
Patnai (Atap) " md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata " ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse " —		
Medium "		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java " ...		
Cocoanut Oil " ...		
Mustard Oil " ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour " ...		
Atta " ...		
Sujee " ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal " ...	0 10 0	
Arhar " ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari " ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) " ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) " ...		0 10 0
Mator " ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal " —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 32 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 32 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk "		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
" " Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 3 6	Control-led shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 8 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 3rd October, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Silong		
Lobster	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bagda	1 5 0	2 12 0
Bhangaar	2 0 0	2 8 0
Shetki	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsey	2 0 0	2 0 0
Crab each	0 2 6	0 3 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer	—	3 0 0
Mutton ,,	—	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score	3 0 0	3 2 0
Fowl's eggs	3 0 0	3 2 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	—	—
Brinjal ,,	0 6 0	
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 12 0	
Cauliflower each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer		1 4 0
Cucumber per score	1 8 0	0 12 0
Ginger per seer	...	1 4 0
Garlic ,,	0 12 0	1 0 0
Green Chilly		0 6 0
Onion ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling)	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital)	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled)	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (Country) per score		
Squash per seer		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4	1 0 0	
Grapes		1 8 0
Alubokhora per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each	0 1 6	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond ,,	2 8 0	
Lime per score	0 1 6	0 3 0
Orange 3—4	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 8 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Sugarcane each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate per seer		
Apples		
Green Cocoanut	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa		
Do. Sree		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do.	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do.	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A"	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B"	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C"	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed)	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled)	0 3 0	
Tea per lb.	1 5 0	2 3 0
Gur per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Masoor ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga		
Khasaree	0 3 0	
Kalai ,,	0 7 0	
Bluli ,,		
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md.		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,,	3 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 5th December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bagda	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaar	2 0 0	2 8 0
Shetki	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa		
Koi & Magoor	2 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 0 0	2 0 0
Crab (each)	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,,	3 0 0	
Suet	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each	0 12 0	2 0 0
Pigeon		
Duck's Eggs per score		2 12 0
Fowl's Eggs ,,		2 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled)	0 12 0	
Brinjal ,,	0 1 6	0 2 0
Cabbage (English	0 10 0	
Cauliflower ,, ,,	0 8 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	0 3 0	
Do. (Imported) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	1 0 0	
Onion ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,,	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Madras (controlled)	0 10 0	
Pulbul per seer	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,,		
Raddish ,,	0 3 0	
Squash ,,	0 0 0	0 3 0
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer	1 4 0	Contd.
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer		
Alubokra ,,		
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Beal each	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,,		
Lime per score	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per dor.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,,		
Do. Bhadwa ,,		
Do. Sree ,,	4 14 6	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative) per seer	0 20 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer	0 5 0	
Wheat ,,	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Do. (Atap) ,,		
Rangoon per seer		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md.		
Deshi (Boiled) per md.		
Golap Soru		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb.	1 5 0	2 3 0
Gur per seer		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contd.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,,	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Bluli ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,,		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin.	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin.	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley		
Jelly	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant		
Fuel per maund		
Coal per md.	2 8 0	

PRICES IN THE RETAILY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 25th September, 1935.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton „ ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Goat and Kid „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Pork „ ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl „ ...	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken „ ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon „ ...		
EGGS		
Duck's eggs per (score) ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Fowl's „ „ ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...		3 0 0
Shong ...	2 8 0	
Lobster ...	2 0 0	
Bagda ...		
Bhangaur ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab per pair ...		0 4 0
Hilsa ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Kolek Magoor ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Pomfret per seer ...		
Mango fish per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer. ...	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi) ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer ...	0 10 0	
Bean (Ranchi) „ ...		
Brinjal „ ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling) ...	0 10 0	
Cauliflower ...		
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) „ ...		
Celery per seer ...		
Cucumber per score ...		
Ginger per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger „ ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) „ ...	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) „ ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) „ ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) „ ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital) ...	1 4 0	
Do. (Desi) „ ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle ...		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per nr.		
Sweet Potatoes „ ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer		
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each ...	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 3 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) „ seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6 ...	1 0 0	
Figs per seer ...		
Amra (Belati) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Beal each ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate „ ...		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100 ...	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond „ ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. per box ...		
Goosbarry per seer ...		
Jack fruit each ...	0 6 0	2 0 0
Khubani per see ...		
Kharbuza „ ...		
Lichis per 100 ...		
Lime per score ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote „ ...		
Oranges 4 to 6 ...	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz. ...	0 8 0	
Papaya each ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Pineapple „ ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Plums per score ...	0 4 0	0 12 0
Raisins ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Roseberry per score ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Star apple ...		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 2 0	
Walnut „ ...	0 1 3	2 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100	4 0 0	6 0 0
Do. (Madras) ...		
Golap Khas 6—10 ...	1 0 0	
Langra 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Bombay 6—8 ...	1 0 0	
Totapari per score ...		
Sipia ...		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Koshiz Bhog 4—8 ...		
Fazli 4—6 ...		
Prunes B. W. per seer ...		
Sarda per seer ...		
Sugarcane each ...	0 6 0	
Water Melon each ...		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb. ...		
Binapur „ ...		4 0 0
Ghee per seer ...	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb. ...	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb. ...	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb. ...	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
RICE.		
Patna per seer ...		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) „		
Chinisakkhar per seer ...		
Deshi „ ...		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani) ...	1 8 0	
Sugar ...		
Tea per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil ...		
Gur ...	0 5 6	0 10 6
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana „ ...	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor „ ...	0 10 0	0 11 0
Bhanga ...	0 10 0	
Khasaree „ ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) „ ...		
Do. (Sona) „ ...		
Mattor „ ...	0 10 0	
Salt „ ...		0 2 6
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md. ...	1 10 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk ...		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined ...		
Ordinary ...		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		

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SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	35B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
23A	0 4 0 „		34-36 „	0 3 0 „	
24 Chandney	0 5 0 „		35 „	0 2 0 „	
33 „	0 5 0 „		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
27 „	0 1 6 „				
2 Stall	25 0 0 (Monthly)				
37	0 5 0 Daily				

K. K. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent. Rs. A. P.	Business.
M.		
E.		
1—6		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
8—6		
18	3 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
" 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
" 46C	0 10 0	Do.
" 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
" 53	0 6 0	Do.
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
" 57	0 6 0	Do.
Canteen Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
" 17	0 6 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent. Rs. A. P.	Business.
M.		
" 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
" 30	0 4 0	Do.
" 31	0 4 0	Do.
" 39—40	1 0 0	Do.
" 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	1 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 3	6 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range		
" 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 32	35 0 0	
" 58	43 0 0	
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	26 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-130	1 4 0	Do.
" 75-78		
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	8 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent. Rs. A. P.	Business.
Egg " 4	0 8 0	Egg
" " 9	0 8 0	Do
" " 10	0 8 0	Do
" " 18	0 8 0	Do
" " 19	0 8 0	Do
" " 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
" " 35	0 4 0	Do
" 40—42 each	0 8 0	Do
F. E. 16 N.	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable.
New Chandney A. E. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 33	0 5 6	Do.
" 57	0 5 6	Do
" 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
" 33	0 5 0	Do
Milk 8—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
" 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
	0 5 0	Do
" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Betel
" 13	1 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee
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Chronicle And Comment

KALINATH ROY

LAST Sunday passed away in Calcutta Mr. Kalinath Roy, who, for nearly fifty years, served through his god-gifted pen the cause of Indian Nationalism with a devotion and ability hardly matched and scarcely surpassed even by some of his great predecessors in Indian journalism. Among his contemporaries Kalinath Roy was a great towering head and shoulders above almost every one who came with or after him. An acute intellect combined with a most remarkably analytical mind, equipped and fortified by a deep and profound study of Philosophy and Politics were the gifts that he brought to bear upon whatever he wrote. The hand of the master was discernible in every line of it. Vigorous thinking, clear ideas, chaste and powerful diction, searching sarcasm and refined witticism marked his editorials. Reason and passion alike breathed life into them. The daily press in India had seldom known before such weighty and solemn, and withal so sweetly pursuasive, leaders as Kalinath Roy produced in the columns of *The Tribune* at the height of his powers. They stood apart. There was no vaunting, no mud-stringing, no equivocal evasiveness in them. Dignity marked them as its own. Perfect poise characterized every thought, every sentiment. He made *The Tribune* what it is to-day -the tribune of the people of the Punjab, the speer-head of Indian Nationalism. The province of his adoption had become to him as dear as the province of his birth and the training-ground of his intellect and skill. Kalinath's name had come to be a household word in "the land of the five rivers." He worked that the Punjab might prosper, he suffered that the Punjab might rejoice. The Punjab will never forget him—this great journalist, patriot and thinker.

THE man Kalinath Roy was even greater than Kalinath, the moulder of people's minds, the wielder of the golden-tipped pen. It had been the great privilege of the Editor of this journal to be his colleague on *The Tribune* and to know him intimately for twenty-seven years. And he can bear testimony, as perhaps, few else can, to the spotless purity of his private life, the integrity of his character and the rich human qualities which Providence had endowed him with. He poured out love and affection in abundance all round. Kalinath Roy had the heart of a Bengali mother. We shall never see his like again.

The Week In The Corporation

Immediate And Unconditional Release Of I. N. A. Men Urged

Inquiry Into Police Firing In Calcutta Demanded

A resolution for the immediate and unconditional release of all members of the patriotic Azad Hind Fouz urging the Government of India "to act in response to the unequivocal and unanimous public demand in this behalf," was adopted by the Corporation at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 12th December.

In this connection the Mayor Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee suggested that a portrait of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose in full uniform as the Supreme Commander-in-Chief of the Indian National Army be hung up in the Council Chamber behind the Mayoral chair so that they could be guided in their activities by his fervour of patriotism. He also suggested that a marble statue of Netaji be erected in a conspicuous part of the city so that it might be a source of inspiration to the people of Bengal and India.

The House adjourned half an hour earlier as a mark of protest against the holding of trial of the I. N. A. officers.

Another resolution condemning the police firing and assault upon the unarmed and peaceful student demonstrators and innocent citizens wanting to protest against the trial of the "Azad Hind Fouz" and urging the Government "to institute a sifting public inquiry into the atrocities by an impartial committee enjoying the confidence of the public." was also adopted by the House.

It was also decided to erect a memorial to those who had lost their lives as a result of police firing at the crossing of Madan Street and Dharumtala Street.

Both the matters were taken up together.

THE following motions in connection with the above resolutions had figured on the agenda :—

Messrs Debabrata Mookerjee, I. B. Beed, J. Kolay and P. S. Basu to move (motion received on the 9th November, 1945) :—

(1) *That this Corporation join in the country-wide demand for the immediate and unconditional release of all members of the patriotic "Azad Hind Fouz" and urge the Government of India to act in response to the unequivocal and unanimous public demand in this behalf.*

(2) *That a copy of the above resolution be forwarded to the Secretary of State for India and to the Victory."*

Dr. M. N Sarkar and Mr. I. B. Beed to move (motion received on the 12th November, 1945) :—

(1) *That this Corporation records its emphatic protest against the trial by Court-Martial of the I. N Officers and demands the abandonment of the said trials and immediate release of all I. N. A. men, now being detained in different Forts and detention camps in India and abroad who should have been treated as prisoners of war under the International Law.*

(2) *That as a protest against the trial of the I. N. A. officers the Corporation do adjourn to-day."*

Messrs. Debabrata Mukherjee, P. S. Basu, S. K. Mitter, S. C. Ray Chaudhuri, Naresh Nath Mookerjee, Netai Ch. Paul, D K. Mazumdar, M. K. Mazumdar, N. D. Sreemany, Nalin Ch. Paul, G. Sur, H. K. Ganguli, P. K. Sett, G. B. Sett, J. Kolay, B. C. Das and I. B Beed to move (motion received on the 29th November, 1945) :—

"That this Corporation strongly condemns the wanton and unprovoked firing and assault by the Police last week upon unarmed and peaceful student demonstrators and other innocent citizens wanting to protest against the trial of the Azad Hind Fouz, and calls upon Government to institute a sifting public enquiry into the atrocities by an impartial Committee enjoying the confidence of the public."

Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen to move (motion received on the 30th November, 1945) :—

"That Elgin Road be named as 'Netaji Subhas Chandra Avenue.'

"BRITISH STATESMANSHIP HAS SIGNALLY FAILED"

Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee moved both the resolutions, urging the immediate and unconditional release of all members of the patriotic Azad Hind Fouz and also demanding an impartial inquiry into the police firing and assault on the unarmed and peaceful student demonstrators and innocent citizens in connection with the Azad Hind Fouz Day in Calcutta.

While moving the first resolution Councillor Mookerjee expressed his opinion that though he did not want to discuss the legal side of the trial of the I. N. A. men nor to enter into the merits

of the proceedings in the Red Fort at Delhi but he would not be prevented from saying that British statesmanship had signally failed in the matter.

With reference to the second resolution urging impartial inquiry into the recent police firings and assaults Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee held the view that judged by all the facts available there was no occasion for firing as the students were perfectly non-violent. Whatever little disturbance there was it was made by the miscreants.

The following is the full text of Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee's speech :—

"Mr Mayor, the country has been passing through a ferment over the trials by court martial of the officers of the patriotic Azad Hind Fouz for the past several weeks I believe there has not been in recent times and incident or an event upon which public mind has been so much exercised, agitated, troubled and perturbed as over the question of the trials of these great sons of India We are possibly precluded from entering into the merits of the trials that are going on at the present time within the precincts of the Red Fort in Delhi

POLICY OF UNWISDOM

'But that consideration of a rather technical nature cannot possibly prevent a discussion of the policy of unwisdom that underlies the trials That cannot prevent us from saying that British statesmanship has signally failed in this particular regard There is no great wisdom in rubbing a whole nation in the raw! Government knows that there have been angry protests against these trials from the people from all parts of the country, irrespective of caste, creed or political persuation The abandonment of the trials has been unequivocally demanded and unconditional release of these patriotic men has been urged with singular unanimity But all these protests and exhortations have fallen upon deaf ears. British Labour stands unmasked today Their professions and performances do not tally The discerning in India never really had any very great faith in their professions and they now realise full well that Labour once firm on the saddle refuses even to listen to words of circumspection and caution uttered by their own men like Cove and Cathn. Laski and Brockway. The Nestor of the British Labour Party, Lord Pethick-Lawrence, presumably consents to the trials It is not difficult to explain that attitude on his part. You must remember he has now got a ribbon to stick in his coat! We must realise that we are living under British hegemony of the Imperialist Labour Variety; and under their kind dispensation we are getting used to what may be described as 'geographical morality' What is morally sound in the West need not be so in the East. Notions of International Justice seem to change with the change of latitude and longitude For how else can you justify the I N A. trials? The partisan Government of Czecho Slovakia, or of France, or of Belgium which functioned from the British Isles was accorded a different treatment, a treatment different from the one which is now being accorded to the sponsors of the Azad Hind Government We are constrained to say that notions of International Justice are undergoing considerable change at the hands of our British masters As to these officers of the I N A., we must remember they were not bandits operating under cover of secrecy They were actuated by patriotic motive They tried to do what they thought they should do, as patriotic sons of India, in order to free their mother country from foreign yoke Pledged to non violence as we are, we have indeed a different approach, a different technique But the goal, theirs and ours, is the same, namely, Independence of India

EPIC OF VENTURES

The impelling motive is a very vital point when you come to consider matters of international propriety and judging from that standpoint it must be admitted that those men were undoubtedly actuated by the highest of motives—the patriotic motive of seeing their mother country free Motive may be irrelevant in considerations of petty municipal law of crimes, but it is the *raison d'etre* in large questions of International Justice Government ught to realise tha the epic of of the ventures of these brave sons of India bids fair to become the lullaby with which Indian mothers will rock their babies to sleep, it will become a national saga which will energise young men to action and the memoried music of which will perhaps be the last recollection of the dying Indian! Remembering all this, Government would have been well advised to abandon the trials instead of persisting in their insensate policy of putting to the hazard of trial these men, who, according to their own lights, tried to help in the liberation of their motherland

STUDENT DEMONSTRATORS

'It is really against, the background of this that we have to consider the question raised by my motion in item 33 The student-demonstrators on the 21st of November

THE MAYOR WITHDRAWS FROM ELECTION

Withdrawing from the contest for the Central Assembly election, the Mayor, Mr Debendra Nath Mukherjee has issued the following statement —

"Owing to the difficult situation created by the strike in the City of Calcutta, it was not possible for me to leave the City and to approach the Electors of the Presidency Division Even after the termination of the strike I find that my duties as the Mayor and the Chairman of the Strike Committee render it absolutely impossible for me to tour the Constituency and I am constrained to withdraw from the contest. I stood for a cause which is still dear to me and to all those who believe in the principles cherished by the Hindu Mahasabha and I still maintain that the stand taken by the Organization is just and fair and consistent with the best interests of the nation"

EX-MAYOR ZAKARIAH
An Attempt On His Life

An attempt on the life of Mr. A. K .M. Zakariah, ex-Mayor of Calcutta, was made in his house on Syed Amir Ali Avenue, Calcutta at about midnight on Wednesday, the 12th December

It is stated that Mr. Zakariah was reading a book in a room on the second floor when two men entered and attacked him with an iron rod, hitting him on the head He fell senseless on the floor. Later, he was taken to Sambhunath Pandit Hospital

Mr. Zakariah is an independent candidate for the seat in the Indian Legislative Assembly from the Presidency-cum-Burdwan Mohammedan constituency

1945 were coming down along the highways of the city with a view to enter their protest against the trial of the I. N. A. men proceeding in Delhi. From the facts available to us it is quite clear that the student-demonstrators did not indulge in any form of violence whatsoever. Whatever little disturbance might have been created, they were certainly not responsible for it. If stones were thrown, brick-bats were hurled, it was clearly the task of Government to bring the miscreants, the real culprits, to trial. Every citizen has an inherent right, inalienable right to enter his protest in a peaceful manner, in the manner in which the students were protesing that day. Save for the insinuation made in the Government *Press-note*, no one has yet said that those who were entering their protest that particular day against the trials, did anything which can be said to be even remotely associated with violence. On the other hand, the reports that have reached us go to confirm that in spite of provocation they remained firm and displayed considerable cool courage. There was a hail of bullets; they received these bullets on their breasts; they calmly waited, never wavered, never gave in to violence. In the light of the facts with which we are cognizant, we must judge of the Government *Press-note* which appeared in the papers. It says that the police believed themselves to be in danger of being overpowered. I make bold to say that this *Press-note* is a tendentious document very much biassed in favour of the police, and instead of publishing an unbiassed account of what happened that day, it seeks to protect the very people against whom, unless the contrary

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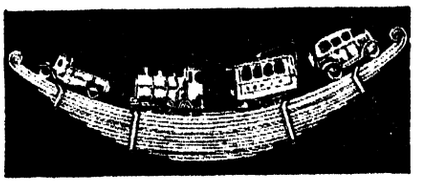
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is proved, evidence appears at the present moment to be overwhelming. The crux of the matter is, what care was exercised, what precaution was taken to prevent unnecessary loss of life? That is one of the standards for judging good faith and that is what the law tells us. It is not enough for people charged with the duty of maintaining law and order to say that they believed themselves to be in danger of being overwhelmed. It is necessary in the interest of every one concerned that evidence was brought forward which would establish beyond doubt that the situation was such that firing had to be restored to.

PUBLIC ENQUIRY

"We certainly take strong exception to those parts of that disingenous report which are not in consonance with known facts, facts which clearly establish that the students were absolutely peaceful right throughout. You will see that the casualties which occurred on that particular occasion clearly indicate that if caution and care had been taken, this bloodshed could surely have been avoided. On that particular occasion more than 30 persons died. I speak, subject to correction, there has been no publication yet of the further casualties that occurred on that day. We call upon Government to publish a complete list of the casualties that occurred on that occasion. The other day, Mr. R. G. Casey advised moderation in language. We are advised that wholesale condemnation of the police force will not do any good to anybody. I am not fond of intemperate language. We are not anxious to condemn the police force wholesale. But we are anxious to see that steps are taken by Government to institute a sifting and thorough enquiry into the incidents that occurred that day with a view to bringing the offenders to justice. If the members of the police force concerned have a case to make out, let them get an opportunity to clear their own character. We demand a fact-finding public enquiry and not a whitewashing thing. The people of Calcutta or for the matter of that, the people of the country will not be satisfied with the kind of enquiry which is now said to be going on in the headquarters of the very people against whom charges have been levelled. We demand a public enquiry publicly conducted by people who enjoy public confidence. That is our unequivocal demand and I think every right-minded citizen will agree with me when I say that such an enquiry is necessary not only in the interest of those, who have suffered but also in the interest of those, who are now being accused of having broken the law and acted in brutal disregard of the sanctity of human lives."

In supporting Councillor Mookerjee, Councillor Abdus Sattar said that when the I. N. A. set up "an independent Government for the liberation of their motherland", how could an independent Government be guilty of waging war against another Government. If that was the international law then all of the Allied nations were guilty of the same crime.

Councillor J. H Methold, rising on a point of order, asked if such a motion (as the first of the two) was not tantamount to a violation of the oath of allegiance to His Majesty taken by the members of the Corporation.

Councillor A. J. Parks said that he would support the proposal for public inquiry (as demanded in the second motion) regarding the police firing provided the enquiry was made also into all sorts of atrocities including burning of military vehicles.

In winding up the debate centering round both the resolutions the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that there could be no doubt that the members of the Indian National Army were inspired by pure and simple love for their mother country, and the liberation of their motherland.

As a student of politics he knew that holding of these trials was based on the theory that people could be deterred in this way from doing such acts. Would these trials, he asked, prevent Indian youths from loving their mother country? Instead of that it would increase their love for the country and determination to liberate their motherland. He suggested the abandonment of the trials of the men of the Indian National Army.

The Mayor also said, that he liked to remember the organizer of the Indian National Army, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose. He had occupied chair of the Chief Executive Officer as also the Mayoral chair. The Mayor requested the Councillors to bring a portrait of Netaji in his full uniform as the Commander-in-chief of the Indian National Army and hang it on the wall behind the Mayoral chair so that they could be inspired by the spirit of patriotism and love for their country.

He also suggested that a marble statue of Netaji be erected in a conspicuous part of the city. For this purpose a fund should be raised and he would take the responsibility of collecting Rs. 50,000. This, he thought, would be a source of inspiration to the people of Bengal and India.

Speaking on the second resolution the Mayor characterized the police firing as tactless and inhuman and associated himself with the supporters of the resolution in demanding an all-round inquiry.

MOHURRUM FESTIVAL

The House sanctioned an expenditure of Rs. 2,000 for making necessary arrangements of opening first aid centres and medical bases on Circular Road in connection with the ensuing Mohurrum festival.

CONDOLENCES

The House condoled the deaths of Mr. Kalinath Roy, Editor of the Tribune, Lahore and Mr. Panch cowri Dey, a well-known author of Bengali fiction.

BUSTEE HOUSING SCHEME

On the motion of Councillor A. J. Parks a resolution was passed authorizing the Chief Executive Officer to proceed with working out the details of the scheme to house 10,000 bustee people according to estimates already prepared by the department, at a cost not exceeding Rs. 20,000 which the Local Government have agreed to pay to the Corporation.

Tuesday : 11th December

SPECIAL MEETINGS FAIL

After a discussion, lasting over an hour and a half, a special meeting of the Calcutta Corporation called on a requisition by 16 Councillors on Tuesday, the 11th December, was declared out of order. The meeting was convened to consider a resolution to revise a decision of the Markets Committee allotting space for erecting a stall by one Mr. Hickie at the junction of Fenwick Bazar Road and Korabandar Lane.

Eight other similar requisition meetings fixed for the day also failed.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We acknowledge with thanks the kind permission given to us by the *Hindusthan Standard* to use a reproduction of the photograph of the late Mr. Kalinath Roy, Managing Edior, *The Tribune*, Lahore.

Acquisition Of The Tramways

Corporation Approves Terms And Conditions For Appointment Of An Agent

THE following recommendation of the Public Utilities and Markets Standing Committee, dated the 6th November, 1945, reading as :—

That with a view to implement the decision of the Corporation dated 12th September, 1945, to acquire the Calcutta Tramways undertaking and to run it through their own ageny on and from the 1st January, 1946, the general terms and conditions for the appointment of an Agent for the said purpose, prepared by the Chief Engineer in consultation with the Chief Law Officer be approved, and that an advertisement be issued as early as possible.

was confirmed by the House at its meeting held on the 6th December last.

Valuation Of The Company

The House also approved the valuation, made by its Chief Engineer, of the Calcutta Tramways undertaking at Rs. 3,69,35,200 and decided that a firm offer be made to the Tramways Company with request to accept within 5 days from the date of intimation the said sum as the proper purchase price of the undertaking in terms of the agreements between the Company and the Corporation, the Corporation reserving the right to amend the said valuation 'in case the materials asked for from the Company and withheld by them disclose a different state of things.'

In the event of the Company not accepting the said sum of Rs. 3,69,35,200 as the proper purchase price within the specified time, the resolution stated, the differences or the dispute as to the proper price be referred to arbitration as provided in the agreement dated 3rd September, 1945, and that Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose be nominated and requested to act as Arbitrator on behalf of the Corporation in this matter.

The Chief Executive Officer was authorized to take all necessary steps to implement and give effect to the above decisions of the Corporation.

Some Terms And Conditions

The terms and conditions that were accepted by the House provided that an Agent would be appointed for the purpose of running the Tramways Company on behalf of the Calcutta Corporation for the period of 30 years with the option on the part of the Corporation to terminate the contract on the expiry of the 10th, 15th, 20th and 25th years. The Agent would have to pay Rs. 4,50,00,000 as *Salami* and Rs. 50,00,000 as security deposit with the Corporation. In case of the earlier termination of the lease by the Corporation the Agent would be entitled to a refund of the security deposit of Rs. 50,00,000 and such sum as bore the same proportion to the sum paid as *Salami* as to the number of unexpired years bore to the full term of 30 years. The revenue of the Tramways Company would be appropriated firstly for payment of working expenses and secondly for the payment of 10 lakhs of rupees to create a Reserve Fund for making improvements. Out of the balance 50 per cent would be paid to the Corporation and the remaining 50 per cent. would be taken by the Agent.

IN THE BACKGROUND

Since the Corporation resolution of the 12th September, 1945, abrogating the entire arrangement entered into with the Government in connection with the acquisition of the Tramways undertaking the Corporation received a letter from the Government stating :—

"Government note that the Corporation have decided to abrogate the arrangement of 21st December, 1944. Nevertheless, Government propose to proceed with their scheme for the establishment of the Calcutta Passenger Transport Board with a view to undertaking suitable legislation for the purpose of vesting the tramways undertaking in the Board as soon as the several complicated issues arising out of the scheme have been examined and settled."

Thereafter at the Corporation meeting held on the 21st November, 1945, a point of order was raised as to whether the security deposit proposed to be taken from the Agent could be treated as an accretion to the Municipal Fund and spent for the purchase of the Tramway undertaking. It was contended that security money could not be diverted for any other purpose and that it could be used only for the purpose of refunding the same to the depositor after due performance of the contract; further, the security money in the present case would not be money realized or realizable under the Act (vide Section 81) and therefore could not be treated as an accretion to the Municipal Fund and spent for the purpose in view. Consideration of the matter was postponed in view of the opinion of Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose.

OPPOSITION OFFERED

When the recommendations of the Public Utilities and Markets Standing Committee referring to the general terms and conditions for the appointment of an Agent to run the Tramways on its behalf, came up for consideration of the House opposition was offered in consideration of the fact that the terms and conditions for the appointment of an Agent as modified by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose whose opinion had been sought had not been circulated to them and consequently they had not sufficient time to consider the terms.

The supporters of the resolution on the other hand maintained that the modifications and alterations made by Mr. Bose were merely consequential.

A motion for adjourning consideration of the matter till the 10th December on the ground of insufficient time was turned down.

The Mayor's Speech

Before putting the resolutions to the vote of the House, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that he strongly felt that the Tramways Company should in any way be municipalized. On a previous occasion when the terms had come up before the House, the consideration was postponed in order to obtain the opinion of Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose and when that opinion had come the House was bound to accept it. When they had decided to refer the matter to Mr. Bose, they must accept his opinion. They had got to come to a decision by 31st of December, 1945. The Government, rightly or wrongly, held up the matter in spite of repeated attention being drawn by the Corporation. He believed that the tramways could be run with lesser expenditure under their management for they would dispense with the appointment of fat-salaried Europeans. The main object of municipalization, according to him, was not to make profit but to ensure the well-being of the rate-payers.

(To be continued)

Middles

Congress Working Committee Meets

Mahatma Gandhi And Other Leaders In Calcutta

MAHATMA Gandhi, Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan and Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru were on the same platform for sometime at Sodepore on the 6th December last when the mass evening prayer of Gandhiji was concluded. The first two were there since the beginning of the service.

The Vedic, the Quoranic and the Avestic prayers were gone through, one after the other and were followed next by a song of Rabindranath.

In his introductory speech Gandhiji referred to the incident which had taken place at Sodepur Railway Station. One person either in attempting to board a running train which was not scheduled to stop at Sodepur or for some such reason had been run over and killed.

Building Up A Brotherhood

They might think that when there were crores of Indians what did it matter if one met with death in such circumstances. But that was totally a wrong view. And if they allowed themselves to think in that way they would not be able to build up a brotherhood in India and secure her salvation. They must instead think that the person who met with his death the other day was one of them and must feel sorry for his tragic end.

Perhaps, said Gandhiji, he himself was partly responsible for his death for the deceased went there either to see him or attend the prayer. The congregation too was partly responsible because after the prayer was over it rushed to the station, vied with each other to catch the train and thereby created a situation which caused this death. They, therefore, should henceforth take the vow with him not to create any such situation in future which might cause death of a fellow brother.

Value Of Discipline

All this happened because they were not disciplined. The prayer was intended to confer upon man that discipline which he required so urgently. If they were mentally disciplined through the practice of prayer they would no more commit the mistake they committed the other day.

If by prayer they could be mentally disciplined, stated Gandhiji, they would attain a state which was nobler and higher than even the salvation of India.

Perhaps, freedom of India could be maintained with the help of pistols or swords. But were those weapons of any value if their votaries were not disciplined? Therefore, whether a country was wedded to violence or non-violence discipline was of paramount importance to all men.

Without discipline it was difficult to attain Swaraj as he had stated two days ago.

If they practised prayer with all concentration they would find that all their difficulties would smoothen.

Tragedies Of Bengal

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, who addressed the gathering after Gandhiji had left the prayer-place, stated that it was not the proper time for making a speech.

They all attended the prayer and after prayer there was no room for any speech. He was late in reaching the place, otherwise he would have been one of them to join the congregation.

He was glad to meet many old friends and contact many new friends in Bengal.

He knew what happened in Bengal and what should have been done for Bengal and what had not been done for Bengal. Bengal had to make the greatest sacrifices and suffer terrible agony. He felt ashamed that after his release from prison five months ago he could not come to Bengal earlier.

"At that time I thought of all the occurrences in 1942 onwards and also of the great famine and now recently we have had another and a very significant happening in Calcutta city.

Spirit Of The People

"The terrible suffering of Bengal has pained us and there has been tragedies associated with this province but there has also been and specially recently a feeling of elation at the spirit of the people and specially of the young.

"Calcutta recently afforded a very remarkable spectacle of revolutionary significance. It grieves me that young men lost their lives but I rejoice at the fervour, courage that they showed at a time of crisis.

"It is during these times of crisis that people are judged, and it may be said that the people of Calcutta rose to the occasion during this crisis. It may be that wrong acts were committed in 1942 or afterwards or in recent days, but in judging a mighty occurrence one must look at the spirit of the people, at the motive behind them and the courage that they showed."

Immediately after prayer, Mahatma Gandhi, Pandit Nehru and Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan, Dr. P. C. Ghosh retired to Gandhiji's residence and held a long discussion.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, Dr. Jivraj Mehta and Mr. Rafi Ahmed Kidwai, who had arrived in Calcutta earlier, were among those who called on Gandhiji in the evening.

Peace At Prayer

Provided the congregation that assembled at his prayer could maintain peace and quietness Mahatma Gandhi would be happy to invite the whole of Calcutta to participate in it.

In making this wish known to those assembled at Sodepur Ashram during the prayer time on the 7th December last Gandhiji said that he noticed that the people became quiet only after he arrived at the place. That was not ideal. The place where a prayer would be conducted, he said, should be considered as a temple and only in prayerful mind they should present themselves there. They should come silently and maintain calmness and should leave the place in the same mood.

Proceeding Gandhiji said that there were incorporated in the service, Bengali songs as the majority of those present were Bengalees; but for the benefit of others he wished to get a booklet including all songs and other prayers printed in both Devnagri and Urdu scripts. This proposed booklet which might be priced two pice would be of permanent benefit to the readers who could then be acquainted with the contexts whenever they so wished.

After the prayer a sum of Rs. 600-14-0 was collected on the spot for the Harijan Fund.

Letter To Dr. Mookerjee

A letter written by Mahatma Gandhi was sent to Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee through Dr. Sushila Nair, who being advised by Gandhiji, called on Dr. Mookerjee on the 7th December last to enquire about his health. Dr. Mookerjee was then slowly improving.

Significance Of Prayer

Mahatma Gandhi explained to the congregation assembled at the evening prayers held at Sodepur Ashram on the 8th December last how the prayers conducted in his Ashram came to incorporate hymns from different religions.

He advised the gathering to realize the significance of the prayers and mould their life according to the spirit of the prayers.

A crowd of more than 20,000 people assembled at Sodepur at the time of Mahatma Gandhi's evening prayers on Sunday, the 9th December.

At 5-15 p.m. Gandhiji came to the prayer ground and acknowledged the greetings of the vast assembly with folded hands.

After the prayers were over, Gandhiji wrote out on a slip paper that as he was observing silence, it would not be possible for him to address the congregation. He hoped the assembly would remain calm. This was read out to the congregation by Sri Kanu Gandhi.

Swaraj And Discipline

"When we are making a big effort for complete Swaraj let us behave in such a manner that none gets any opportunity to raise his finger to point out that we people are not disciplined and as such unfit for independence," said Mahatma Gandhi while addressing the audience assembled during the prayer at Sodepur on Monday, the 10th December.

Gandhiji appealed again to one and all to remain peaceful adding that he was to leave now and they should not obstruct his way. He said that on Sunday last there was a very heavy rush and he was told that one man was injured though not seriously. They must take into consideration that people in vast numbers congregated there and they should behave in an orderly fashion so that none would get injuries on their persons. The prayer taught them discipline. He had seen that thousands of soldiers who moved together did not sustain any injury because they were well-disciplined. He had experienced this in Africa as well.

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There were two ways to be trained in the art of discipline, one was drill, parade and the like and the other was prayer. He was told that on Sunday last there was a heavy rush at Sodepur station and people boarded the guard's van and even on the engine of the train. This was not good. It was impossible on the part of the driver and the guard to run the train under such circumstances. They must act in a disciplined manner so that they could get easily into the train one after another. If they missed one train there were others to carry them.

Gandhiji Meets Viceroy

Mahatma Gandhi had a 50-minute meeting with H. E. Lord Wavell, Viceroy of India, at Government House on Monday, the 10th December The meeting began at 6-30 p.m.

Gandhiji was at the Government House for over two hours, and left at 8-40 p.m. It was learnt that after his meeting with the Viceroy, Mahatma Gandhi met Lt.-Gen. Sir Arthur Smith, G.O.C.-in-C, Eastern Command.

It was further learnt that H.E. Mr. R G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, was not present at the Wavell-Gandhi meeting.

Other Leaders Arrived

An enthusiastic reception was given to Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan, Frontier Gandhi, on his arrival at the Howrah station towards the afternoon of the 7th December last by the Punjab Mail

Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan, who looked fresh and cheerful was received at the station by Mr. Kalipada Mukherjee on behalf of the B.P.C.C., Mr. Bhupati Mazumdar, Mr. Madan Lal Misra and Mr. Kali Ch. Sarma and was profusely garlanded by different organizations. Then his car made straight for the residence of Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose where he met Pandit Nehru.

He has been staying at Sodepur Ashram.

Mrs. Sorojini Naidu, Member, Congress Working Committee, arrived in Calcutta on the 7th December last at 1-45 p.m. by the B.N.R. Bombay Mail. She was received at the station by Dr. B. C. Roy and Mr. Kalipada Mukherjee on behalf of B. P. C. C.

Mrs. Naidu, who was accompanied by her daughter, has been staying with Dr. B. C. Roy at 36, Wellington Street.

Mrs. Naidu met the workers of the Village Reorganisation Unit at Commercial Museum accompanied by Dr. B. C. Roy.

WORKING COMMITTEE MEETING SITS FOR FIVE DAYS

MAHATMA Gandhi spent more than two hours at the opening day's meeting of the Congress Working Committee held at the residence of the Congress President, Maulana Kalam Azad in Ballygunge Circular Road, in the afternoon of the 7th December last. The members of the Committee were acquainted by the Mahatma with what had transpired in his meetings with the Bengal Governor. The members of the Committee having desired to know Gandhiji's reactions and advice in regard to the present development, Gandhiji agreed to give his advice at a later stage and wanted in the meantime to acquaint himself with the representative opinion of members

All the members of the Committee excepting Dr. Rajendra Prasad were present.

Leaders Meet Governor

A meeting between the Congress President, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and the Bengal Governor, Mr. R. G. Casey, took place at Government House, Calcutta, in the evening.

The meeting lasted an hour and forty-five minutes. The leaders arrived at Government House at 6 p.m. and left at 7-45 p.m.

A report of what transpired at the meeting between the Bengal Governor and the three Congress leaders was conveyed to Mahatma Gandhi immediately after the return of the Congress leaders to their headquarters.

Discussions between Mr. Casey and the three Congress leaders were reported to have covered the entire political situation in the country *vis-a-vis* the intentions of His Majesty's Government in respect of tackling the India problem immediately after the general elections in India were over.

Second-Day Session

The Congress Working Committee met in the morning of the 8th December last for its second day's session at the residence of the Congress President Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, who presided. Mahatma Gandhi did not attend.

The morning session of the Committee concluded at 11-15 a.m. and the afternoon session, which commenced at 2-40 p.m. adjourned at 6-30 p.m. to meet at 9 a.m. on Sunday, the 9th December.

The morning session was solely devoted to provincial election matters and meeting a deputation of South Indian Congressmen.

The Working Committee, it was reported, decided to request Pandit Nehru to visit South India to study conditions on the spot and try to settle certain points of dispute among South Indian Congressmen.

Similarly, Pandit Pant was deputed to proceed to the Punjab to settle certain election disputes in that province among Congressmen.

Mr. Asaf Ali was deputed to visit the N.W.F.P. to settle disputes.

The Committee passed three resolutions. The *first* related to the plight of Indians in Burma and Malaya. The Committee deputed Pandit Nehru to proceed to Burma and Malaya on behalf of the Committee to inquire into the condition of Indians there and to arrange for their defence and other help.

The *second* resolution appointed an "I.N.A. Inquiry and Relief Committee," with Sardar Patel as Chairman and 11 other members, including Pandit Nehru, Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Acharya Kripalani and Mr. Sri Prakasa (Secretary). This Committee would gather information and give relief

where needed to I.N.A. personnel. The Committee would also arrange to gather full information about the dependants of those who died in the service of the I.N.A. The method of organizing relief would be, except for urgent and immediate purposes, to provide productive work.

By the *third* resolution, the Committee allowed the Anjuman-e-Vatan of Baluchistan to send two representatives to the A.I.C.C. and seven delegates to the plenary session of the Congress.

THIRD-DAY SESSION

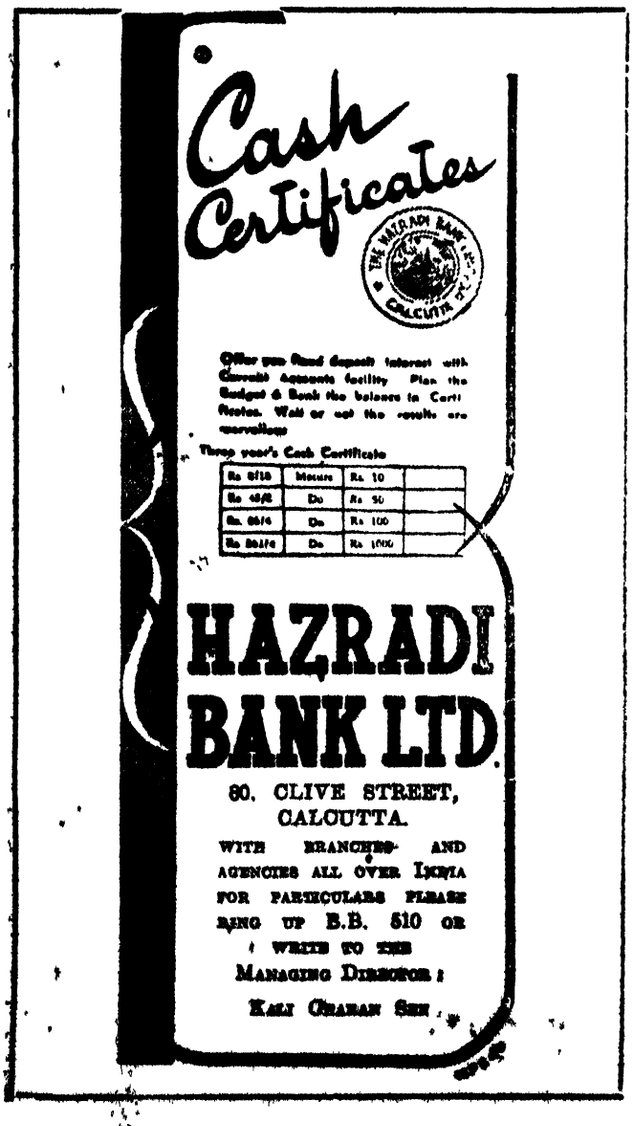
The Congress Working Committee resumed its third day's sitting at about 9-15 a.m on Sunday, the 9th December at the residence of Rastrapati Maulana Abul Kalam Azad. The Committee spent two hours in drafting the broad outlines of the election manifesto.

FOURTH-DAY SESSION

The Congress Working Committee commenced its fourth day's session at 9-15 a.m. on Monday, the 10th December at the residence of Maulana Azad.

The morning session concluded at 11 a.m. and the afternoon session met in Mahatma Gandhi's room at the Sodepore Ashram. Gandhiji participated in the discussions. The afternoon session terminated at 5-30 p.m.

The Committee decided to hold the next annual session of the Congress in the first week of April, 1946 at Delhi.



The Delhi session will be called upon to decide what course the Congress will go to adopt after the results of the provincial elections are known in regard to the future constitutional status of India.

The Working Committee also drew up an elaborate programme for enrolment of primary Congress members, dates of elections to district and provincial Congress Committees, the date for the nomination of the next President for the planary session, the date of election of the Congress President and the final dates for the meetings of the Congress Working Committee, the A.I.C.C. and the plenary session.

Presidential nominations are to be completed by the middle of March and election of the new President is to be completed by the third week of March.

BACK-GROUND OF NON-VIOLENCE

The Working Committee spent a good deal of its time during the last three days in discussing the political situation in the country against the back-ground of non-violence. There was a growing feeling among some of the members of the Working Committee that in recent weeks, since the I.N.A. demonstrations started, the Congress emphasis on non-violence had been gradually giving place to ideas opposed to the principle of non-violence. The Congress President and a few other members of the Working Committee raised this issue two days ago in the Committee. It was reported that some members expressed their fear that the trend of thought in the country was gradually receding from the Congress creed of non-violence, and that the Congress should take immediate steps to check this tendency effectively.

Mahatma Gandhi was reported to have agreed with the views of the Congress President and certain other members of the Committee and stressed the need for the Committee to pass a resolution reaffirming the Congress creed of non-violence.

FIFTH-DAY SESSION

The Working Committee concluded its five-day session on Tuesday evening, the 11th November.

The Committee adopted the most important resolution, according to the Congress President, drafted by Mahatma Gandhi on the Congress creed of non-violence urging Congressmen strictly to adhere to non-violence in their struggle for political freedom.

By another resolution on the Indian National Army the Committee while feeling proud of "patriotism, bravery and the spirit of unity displayed by the Azad Hind Fouj" reminded Congressmen that the support which the Congress had been giving to the I.N.A. men did not mean that the Congress "has in any way deviated from its policy of attaining Swaraj by peaceful and legitimate means."

The Working Committee also considered the incident of police firing on Calcutta students' demonstrations and opined that the students of Calcutta showed the utmost bravery of the non-violent type by remaining unmoved under a shower of bullets. The Committee demanded an open and impartial judicial enquiry by the Bengal Government.

The Committee decided to send a Medical Mission to Burma and Malaya in view of the serious and widespread distress prevailing among Indians there and called upon Dr. B. C. Roy to organize such a Mission

The Committee passed a resolution protesting against the sending of Indian troops to Indonesia, and the refusal of the Government of India to provide facilities to Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru to visit Java in response to Dr Soekarno's appeal.

CALCUTTA FIRING

Explaining the resolution on the Calcutta firing the Congress President said that while he was at Vindhyachal from Press reports he believed that the student demonstrators at Calcutta had disobeyed their leader's request to disperse and therefore he thought they were wrong in doing so. On his return to Calcutta, however, he made detailed enquiries about the happenings and he was convinced that the attitude of the students on the first day of the trouble was quite reasonable and not condemnable. If the students had been properly tackled by responsible leaders on the spot in time, all evidence went to show they would have obeyed their leaders. But it appeared that the leaders did not reach the spot in time.

"I have no doubt," said the Congress President, "the attitude of the students was quite correct and they would have listened to the advice of their leaders. The action of the police cannot be justified in any circumstances As to mob-violence, I must say it was the result of the excitement caused by the first day's firing. Mob violence has to be condemned but it could have been avoided if the police had behaved differently. As I said it was the aftermath of the excitement caused by the firing on the first day. The burning of military lorries and stoning of police are condemnable but all these would have been avoided if the police had acted with greater wisdom and tolerance."

That the perception of joy and sorrow is caused by the mind and not by any external agency was explained by Mahatma Gandhi in his after-prayer talk at Sodepur Ashram.

Illustrating his point of view Gandhiji said that an individual, even if a snake might be lying on his way, would pass by it, assuming that it was not

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CONGRESS WORKING COMMITTEE MEMBERS ENTERTAINED

The President and members of the Executive Committee of the Bengal Provincial Congress Committee were at home to the members of the Congress Working Committee at Kumar Singh Hall, 46, Indian Mirror Street, on Tuesday, the 11th December, at 6 30 p m Prominent Congress leaders, leaders of the different parties, the Mayor, the Chief Executive Officer, the Congress members of the Legislatures, some prominent citizens and journalists were among the invitees The courtyard of the Kumar Singh Hall, where the tea party was held, was nicely decorated with Congress flags, flowers and foliage A beautiful map of India artistically prepared with flowers, petals and leaves and placed between two Congress flags, of flowers and leaves and a festoon of 'Jai Hind' written with tri-colour cards added to the decoration of the place The entrance to the premises and the street in front of it were decorated with Congress flags The whole building was lit up with flood lights and wore a very spectacular sight

As the guests arrived one after another a huge crowd of spectators who had assembled in front of the premises, greeted the leaders with *Bandemataram* and other national slogans With the arrival of the Congress President, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, and Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru the crowd was impatient to have *darshan* and it was almost impossible for the volunteers to control such a huge mass of people. With the exception of Mr. Sankar Rao Deo, and Dr Rajendra Prasad, all other members of the Congress Working Committee, who had been in the city, graced the occasion with their presence Mr Sarat Ch Bose was also present. The function was over at about 8 p m Messrs. Kiran Sankar Roy, Amar K Ghosh, Bijoy Singh Nahar, Narendra Nath Sen, Kali Pada Mukherjee, Secretary, B P. C. C. Jnananjan Neogy Prof Raj Kumar Chakravarty and Madhu Sudan Ray were all attention to the guests



[Left one (1)]

From right to left—Sardar Ballav Bhai Patel, Mr. Nagindas T. Master (*Ex*-Mayor, Bombay), Mr. Rajkumar Chakravarty, Mr. Kiran Sankar Roy, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Dr. P. C Ghosh, Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Mrs Indira Gandhi, Councillors Dr. M. N. Sarkar, Hem Chandra Naskar, Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, Mr. N. C. Chunder, Mr. Shamsuddin Ahmed, Miss Maniben Patel, Councillor Satyabrata Sen and others.



[Right one (2)]

From right to left—Dr. B. C. Roy, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Pandit Gobindaballav Pant, Mr. Surendra Mohan Ghosh, President, B.P.C.C. (standing behind), Mr. Jairamdas Daulatram, Acharja Kripalani, Mr. Amar K. Ghosh, Mr. Jnananjan Neogy (standing), Miss Naidu, Mrs. Naidu, Maulana Abdus Samad (*of* Baluchistan), Mr. N. C Chunder, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and others.

Indian National Army Week Inaugurated

"To-morrow Has The Promise Of Freedom With It"

—Pandit Nehru

A congregation, probably the biggest that Calcutta had witnessed for decades, assembled at Deshapriya Park and its approaches in Ballygunj to attend the inaugural meeting held in the park in the evening of the 8th December last in connection with the observance of the "Indian National Army Week".

SARDAR Vallabhai Patel and Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru were the speakers of the evening. Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose presided.

Sardarji in his speech referred to the recent statement made on behalf of British Government in Parliament and said that instead of giving India freedom, British Government had administered them a threat. Their only reply to that was, Sardarji pointed out, that India would not tolerate any foreign rule. They adhered to the "Quit India" resolution of the Congress.

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a snake but a piece of rope. He would not be frightened then. But if his companion then drew his attention that it was not a piece of rope but a living snake that he passed by, he would at once be frightened. Was it not curious, asked Gandhiji, that although the same conditions prevailed, at one time the individual had no trace of fright in him and at another he would be awfully frightened and would thank God for his miraculous escape.

Drawing the moral from the illustration, Gandhiji concluded that the source of happiness and woe, therefore, did not lie elsewhere but in one's own mind. In his reply to Arjuna as to who had attained illumination Krishna, said Gandhiji, explained the nature of such a man by stating that he only was self-illumined (*sthitha-prangna*) who was not affected either by a feeling of happiness or woe. This was possible only on the part of that individual who was self-controlled. To a self-controlled man life becomes simple and salvation easy.

Central Parliamentary Board

The Calcutta Session of the Congress Central Parliamentary Board ended at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 12th December, after a two hours' meeting at the Congress President's residence. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad presided and the members present were Sardar Vallabhai Patel, Mr. Asaf Ali, Dr. Pattabhi Sitaramayya and Pandit Govind Vallabh Pant.

The discussions were in the nature of an informal exchange of views.

The next meeting of the Board will probably be at Delhi on January 15 when nominations of Congress candidates for the provincial elections in United Provinces, Central Provinces, Bengal, Orissa Bihar, Bombay and Madras will be considered.

Leaders Leave

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru left Calcutta on Wednesday, the 12th December, for a seven-day tour in Assam.

He will return to Calcutta on the 21st December, and will then visit Santiniketan on the 23rd.

The Working Committee on Tuesday, the 11th December, decided to expel all Communist members of the A.I.C.C. from that body and issued a directive to Provincial Congress Committees to prevent members of the Communist Party from holding any elective offices in the Congress organization.

This decision was taken by the Committee following the consideration of the report of the sub-committee appointed by the Working Committee at Poona for this purpose in September last. The Special Sub-Committee consisted of Pandit Nehru, Sardar Patel ad Pandit Pant.

The Sub-Committee in its report, after referring to the failure of the Communist members of the A.I.C.C. to express regret for what they had done during the last three years, says that "the main policy of the Communists has been opposition and obstruction to the policy and programme of the Congress for a considerable time. They had been acting in a hostile manner so as to undermine the prestige and position of the Congress. They are, therefore, utterly unworthy of holding any place in any deliberative body inside the Congress."

Meanwhile all Communist members of the A.I.C.C. have resigned from that body, following a directive from the General Secretary of the Communist Party, Mr. P. C. Joshi.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru accompanied by Dr. B. C. Roy visited the Medical College Hospital to see the victims of the recent firings in Calcutta on Wednesday morning. In this connection he also visited the Blood Bank and very much appreciated the work done by the Blood Bank. He also promised to donate his own blood when he would come back to Calcutta from his Assam tour.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru visited the place of Mrs. C. R. Das at Nafar Kundu Road on Wednesday morning, the 12th December.

Sardar Vallabhai Patel flew to Jamshedpur on the 13th, returned to Calcutta on the 14th and left for Bombay on the 15th.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu went to Santiniketan on the 13th. She stayed there for two days and then returned to Calcutta. Here she will remain for a couple of days and then leave for Delhi.

Mr. Asaf Ali flew to Delhi on the 13th enroute to Madras.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru said: "There is no doubt that there is life in Bengal and India today. Yesterday is with us and we cannot forget it, and Today consumes our energies. But it is ultimately of Tomorrow that we must think of—and prepare for that Tomorrow which has the promise of freedom with it."

Sardar Patel

Overwhelmed with emotion at the sight of the vast gathering assembled inside and outside the Park in connection with the I.N.A. week meeting, Sardar Vallabhai Patel said, he had never seen such large crowds in his life and was at a loss to determine what he should speak to them and what not. He felt his heart sinking within him at the sight of such a flood of enthusiasm displayed by the crowds.

He was thinking within himself what it was which was stirring their hearts so much and found the answer from within his own heart that it was Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose.

Referring to the tremendous awakening in the young men of today, Sardar Patel said that if the credit for this remarkable enthusiasm was to go to any individual, it should go to Netaji Subhas. His head stooped in veneration to Subhas Chandra for his patriotism, courage and suffering in the cause of the country. He felt proud too.

Pandit Nehru

"The Azad Hind Fauz fought bravely for the freedom of India and a large number of them died in that struggle. We honour them for their struggle, for their sacrifice." Thus observed Pandit Nehru addressing the meeting.

"The communal problem that troubles us so much in India was solved by them in their ranks, Hindus, Muslims and Sikhs who were all Indians, forgetting their selves and struggling together in a common cause. We honour them for this especially and we honour their great leader Subhas Chandra Bose."

Pandit Nehru said: "I am a little ashamed that it has taken me such long time to come to Bengal since my release from prison. The cry of Bengal reached us in Ahmednagar Fort and Bengal was ever present in our minds there and since our release

"The day I came out of prison I thought of Bengal and wanted to come here, but events have been too powerful."

Unveiling The Portrait

After the opening song was over, Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose requested Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel on behalf of the I. N. A. Relief Fund, Bengal, to unveil the portrait of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose.

The unveiling of the portrait was marked by deafening shouts of 'Netaji Subhas Chandra-ki-Jai.' The assemblage showed their respect to Netaji by bowing their heads in reverence.

On the rostrum a large portrait of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, measuring 16 feet by 12 feet, dressed as the Commander-in-Chief of the Indian National Army, was set up. People from afar could see the huge portrait, beaming over the vast sea of human heads. The portrait was covered by a large National Flag and was unveiled by Sardar Vallabhai Patel.

On either side of the rostrum, large numbers of Indian National Army men stood on pedestals, with spears in their hands. More than two hundred I. N. A. personnel presented a guard of honour to Sardar Vallabhai Patel, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and other Congress leaders as they mounted the rostrum.

In front of the rostrum, on another raised platform, incense burnt throughout the evening's proceedings, symbolising the undying fire of patriotism that burnt in the hearts of the teeming millions of India.

LEADERS ADDRESS OTHER PUBLIC GATHERINGS IN THE CITY

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, accompanied by Dr. B. C. Roy, went on Saturday last to see Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee, who was lying ill

If in course of two or three months after the elections in India were over the Labour Government did not offer anything concrete, India would have to take a very big step—declared Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru addressing a mammoth gathering at Burra Bazar on Monday evening, the 10th December. Pandit Nehru was presented with a purse of Rs. 25,000/- by the Burra Bazar Congress Committee at the meeting.

"A Free India"

Pandit Nehru referred to the threats that were being held out to India by persons in England and this country and said that such threats would not provoke the Indian people to resort to violence, nor would they be able to deter them from winning their *Swaraj* by non-violent means.

Referring to the attempts made through propaganda to rouse the feeling of the peoples in other countries against India Pandit Nehru said that a free India would certainly become one of the great powers in the world and her friendship would then be valued. "India would not forget then how to check such malicious propaganda.

Swaraj, he said, was meant for every person in India and he was convinced that in a free India they would be able to give food, cloth, shelter and work to every body living in this land.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru narrowly escaped being seriously hurt when he had a fall from a height of 6 ft. while coming down from the rostrum from which he addressed the huge public meeting at Burra Bazar.

At Stock Exchange

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru was presented with a purse of one lakh of rupees on behalf of the members of the Calcutta Stock Exchange Association at an imposing function held on Tuesday evenig, the the 11th December last at the hall of the Stock Exchange Association.

It was for the first time in the history of the Calcutta Stock Exchange Association that a purse was presented to a Congress leader.

Addressing the members of the Association Pandit Nehru said that it was the first time that he had entered into a Stock Exchange. He hesitated to say that Stock Exchange was a place of gambling. He admitted that he gambled, although never in the Stock Exchange but elsewhere.

Another purse of Rs. 1,001/- was also presented to Panditji on behalf of the outside brokers.

Dr. B. C. Roy attended the function.

At Calcutta University

"Our real problem to-day, is how to build up the free India of to-morrow and how to fit it in the new world structure," said Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru addressing a crowded students' meeting at Calcutta University Senate Hall, the same day.

The meeting was organized by the University Law College Union, Mr. P. N. Banerjee, Principal, Law College, presiding. On behalf of Calcutta students Pandit Nehru was presented with a purse of Rs. 10,000.

"During the last 25 years the Congress has tried to build up the spirit of the nation. It has tried to get rid of that psychology of fear which obsessed our young people, and even more so our educated classes. You are young and you can easily realize the change that has come over India during this period." Thus said Pandit Nehru.

Calcutta Disturbances

Referring to the recent disturbances in Calcutta, he opined that the impressions he gathered in inquiry were that students who took part in the procession behaved with amazing discipline, courage, and non-violence. They were amazingly peaceful in the face of tremendous provocation. What followed next was of revolutionary significance. It occurred suddenly, like an earthquake or flood occurred. That showed how close they were to explosion. They might like that explosion or not, but if they were wise they must see that it was there. No amount of persuasion, compulsion or threat could take away the fact that India felt that way to-day. There was a passion in every mind to-day, a mighty passion for India's freedom. There was a feeling of intolerable irritation that things should continue in India as they were now.

"But you must not indulge in wrong action simply because you are excited. Unless events are too strong for us we must act peacefully. Wherever I have addressed young men I have told them that they must not lose control of themselves, that big things are not achieved by sheer exuberance of enthusiasm and by fretting away their energy. That energy and enthusiasm you must control and conserve so that you may utilize it at the right moment and in the right way."

Scientific Education

"The main thing for us in India is the question of application not only of science but what is much more important, of the use of scientific methods in everything that we do."

"The foundation of progressive India must be a scientific one. It must be laid on a scientific approach." We must have to develop it at the largest possible step by the establishment of scientific research work on the largest possible scale. Thus observed Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru addressing the Arts and Science students of the Calcutta University at the University Science College on Tuesday, the 11th December. Dr. B. C. Roy presided over the meeting.

"In India in the past our ancestors as in other countries lost themselves in the maze of metaphysical speculations. I do not want to say anything against metaphysics. Nevertheless, we in India went very far and lost ourselves in the maze of metaphysics. I think, to our great disappointment, I do not say anything against metaphysics provided that metaphysics has scientific foundation, realising at the same time that science is not the final answer to life. I realise the limitation of science in this sense and also feel that science is good enough for me except in one major factor which science does not supply. It is perhaps that lack of purpose and lack of philosophy of life that we cannot settle down. If we really had some such philosophy then the whole of science will turn inevitably to that direction with the application of its understanding to life's purpose."

The foundation of progressive India must be a scientific one. It must be laid on a scientific approach. We must have to develop it at the largest possible scale. In the modern world there is no existence if you are not scientifically developed, not merely in terms of atomic bombs but in many other ways.

Mrs. Naidu Speaks

The constructive programme of the Congress and its attitude to the I.N.A. were explained by Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, addressing a women's meeting in Shraddhananda Park, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 12th December.

She deprecated the shouting of slogans and added: "Freedom is too clever to be caught by noises. It has to be won by arduous service, brave sacrifice and splendid unity."

As the foundation of freedom Mr. Gandhi and other Congress leaders had placed before the country a constructive programme. It did not merely mean the *charka* (spinning wheel), although it had been the means of livelihood to thousands of men and women. It was an all-embracing programme, which gave opportunity to the people to work for the common good.

"But the greatest message of the Congress is non-violence. That is the only weapon with which we are sure to win freedom. Never by violence, however attractive it may seem, can India be set free. I am saying this deliberately because violence sometimes takes on glamorous aspects. Violence breeds violence, non-violence brings liberty and salvation for the country. That is the message of the Congress. And I want you all, young men and young women, to remember this and act according to this."

"Why is it then, it may be asked, that the Congress pledged to non-violence, has taken up the defence of the I.N.A.? We honour all those unknown boys and girls of the I.N.A. because of their courage, their sacrifice, and because they—Hindus, Muslims and Sikhs—fought together as Indians for India's freedom. It is our fervent hope, however, that these brave soldiers would rally round the banner of the Congress and take part in its non-violent struggle for the freedom of India."

Passing Away Of A Great Journalist

Death Of Mr. Kalinath Roy In Calcutta

THE death occurred in Calcutta on Sunday morning, the 9th December, of Mr. Kalinath Roy, Chief Editor, *Tribune*, Lahore, and one of the foremost journalists of India. He was 68 at the time of his death. He died of Broncho-pneumonia.

The last rites were performed at Nimtollah burning ghat in the afternoon.

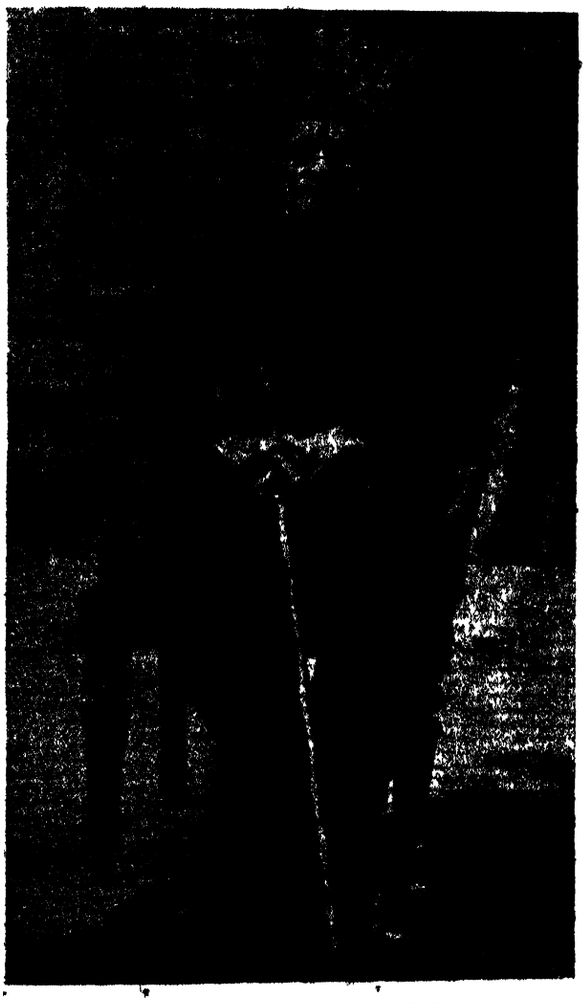
Mr. Roy had come down to Calcutta on the 3rd December last on his way to Khulna town where he intended to spend the winter months in the house he had built there before he returned to Lahore. This was arranged as it was feared that the rigours of winter in the Punjab might not suit the present state of his health. He had been in indifferent health before he left Lahore.

A SHORT SKETCH OF HIS LIFE

Mr. Roy was engaged in journalism for nearly half a century and he served the cause of both Indian journalism and Indian nationalism with a rare distinction, devotion and zeal.

Quite early in life, Mr. Roy displayed a flare for journalism.

In 1904, Mr. Roy joined Sir Surendranath Banerjea's *Bengalee* as a junior sub-editor soon after it became a daily. Simultaneously with his apprenticeship at the *Bengalee* office he held an independent charge of the English weekly, *Calcutta Times*.



THE LATE MR. KALINATH ROY

About this period of his career, Mr. Roy in an article entitled, "My Early Journalistic Reminiscences", writes :—

"The *Calcutta Times* was the first printed journal in which I was able to express my views editorially and every one can understand what this meant for a young man, who had previously been associated only with hand-written or type-written journals, or contributed letters to the ever-hospitable correspondence columns of the *Indian Mirror*."

After working for a short time on the staff of the *Bengalee*, he went to take editorial charge of a weekly, the *Citizen*, started at Dibrugarh. He was the editor of this journal for two years. In 1905, he rejoined the *Bengalee* and worked on the staff of that paper first as a sub-editor and then as one of its leader writers. He was in charge of the paper during the absence in England, of Sir Surendranath Banerjea in 1910 in connection with the Imperial Press Conference.

He went to Lahore and joined *The Panjabee*, founded by Lala Lajpat Rai in 1905, as its Editor in 1913. Two years later he became the Editor of *The Tribune* which position he occupied till the time of his death. *The Panjabee* continued its career under the editorship of Mr. Sudhir Kumar Lahiri till it ceased publication in 1919 under Martial Law in the Punjab.

CORPORATION CONDOLES

A resolution condoling the death of Mr. Kalinath Roy, Editor-in-chief, 'The Tribune', Lahore and placing on record the Corporation's deep appreciation of him as a patriot and journalist, was moved from the Chair

In moving the resolution the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that perhaps every one of them knew the bold stand Mr. Roy had taken after the barbarous firing at Jalianwallabag, and the courage he had shown at that time. Articles written by him on that occasion earned for him the admiration of the Punjab and the whole of India. Such a patriot and journalist they had lost and the void created by his death could not be filled up soon.

The condolence resolution was adopted by the members, all standing.

During martial law days Mr. Roy was sentenced to undergo two years' hard labour on a charge of sedition for an article entitled "Blazing Impudence." The sentence was subsequently reduced to that of 6 months. During his absence in jail, Mr. Amal Home, who was then Asst. Editor of the *Tribune* was in editorial charge of the paper.

Of his two sons, Mr. Samarendra Nath Roy is a Lecturer in the Statistical Department of the Calcutta University. His second son, Mr. Arunendra Nath Roy is an Engineer. He lives in Bombay.

High Tributes

"The death of Mr. Kalinath Roy is a great loss to Indian journalism and Indian public life", said Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru when he learnt of the death of the eminent journalist.

Panditji added:—

Ever since my early youth I have looked upon him as one of the senior men in Indian journalism. He had that unusual thing, a definite personality and any paper with which he was connected reflected that personality. With that personality was joined a certain crusading spirit for the causes which he espoused."

Gandhiji Moved

Hearing the news of Mr. Kalinath Roy's death Mahatma Gandhi was very much moved. Gandhiji made enquiries regarding the family members of the late Mr. Roy.

Azad's Tribute

Maulana Abul Kalam Azad said:—

"I am grieved to hear the news of the demise of Mr. Kalinath Roy. He was a veteran Congressman and journalist. He served the nation long and well."



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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

LORD WAVELL IN CALCUTTA

Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Wavell arrived in Calcutta by air on Sunday, the 9th December, afternoon. They were received at the aerodrome by H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, and other high ranking civil and military officials.

One of the first engagements of the Viceroy on the day of his arrival was a visit to the All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health in Chittaranjan Avenue. The Viceroy was received by Mr. S. H. Y. Oulsnan, Health Secretary, Government of India, and Lt.-Col. C. K. Lakshmanan, Director of the Institute.

The Viceroy spent about 50 minutes in inspecting the work of the Institute.

Recent investigations by the Institute on cholera were also explained to the Viceroy

It was pointed out that over 40 per cent of the people in Calcutta used, for domestic purposes, unfiltered water in which cholera germs were actually found Even the quality of filtered water was not above blame Cholera germs were detected in flies swarming in the city's insanitary areas

Lord Wavell was also shown round the Institute's Public Health Museum

"India has great opportunities for political freedom together with advantages in industrial advancement and agricultural development in the fight against poverty, illiteracy and ill health," declared His Excellency Lord Wavell, addressing the annual session of the Associated Chambers of Commerce on Monday, the 10th December, at the Royal Exchange, Calcutta.

"Quit India will not act as the magic sesame, which opened Ali Baba's cave, nor will the problem be solved by violence, since disorder and violence are the things that may check the pace of India's progress," His Excellency added.

Lord Wavell promised to help India to frame a constitution and secure the support of the principal parties in the Central Government, so as to enable them to bear a full share of the responsibility for administering the country during the interval before the change of the constitution could be made

The Viceroy said: "There are parties to the settlement who must somehow or other reach a measure of agreement amongst themselves—Congress, the largest political party in India; the minorities, of whom the Muslims are the most numerous and most important; the rulers of Indian States; and the British Government

"The objective of all is the same—the freedom and welfare of India I do not believe an agreed solution between the parties is impossible, I do not believe it would even be very difficult, given goodwill, commonsense and patience on all sides And yet we stand on the edge of a tragedy. For it will be a grim tragedy for India and for the world if an atmosphere of racial and communal hatred is allowed to prejudice the discussions which are to take place next year; and if violence results from that atmosphere

"In the commercial world you do not, I imagine, preface delicate negotiations with another firm by unbridled abuse of that firm and its methods of business. Yet that is how delicate political negotiations are being prefaced in India at present."

He appealed to his audience to realise that "Hindus and Muslims have got to live together in this great land, and that they surely can arrange the terms on which they will do so." Indian States too had their place, and he asked for goodwill on the part of leaders, assuring them of all help possible through the Viceroy's personal contact.

The Viceroy was informed that the B. A. Railway was running 120 trains on the double line leading northward beyond Naihati—the maximum carriage by an Indian railway. The B. A. Railway played a leading part in the movement of troops and supply for the Burma Campaign.

In the afternoon the Viceroy spent about an hour with members of the Executive Council of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal, Calcutta.

On arrival, Lord Wavell was received by Dr. Meghnad Shah, President of the Society, who introduced other members to him His Excellency was shown round the museum of the Society and inspected the collection of manuscripts. The Society has one of the largest collections—nearly 50,000 copies of Arabic, Persian and Sanskrit manuscripts. His Excellency garlanded the statute of the late Sir William Jones, Founder of the Society.

NEW SHERIFF OF CALCUTTA

Mr. P. F. S. Warren has been appointed Sheriff of Calcutta for the next year, in succession to Mr. J. K. Mitter.

Mr Warren is Managing Director of Jessop and Company, and is well known in business and social circles in Calcutta.

CALCUTTA TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

On an average one person was killed in Calcutta every day in traffic accidents from July to November, writes a reporter of the *Statesman*. During this period 157 deaths were reported as against 138 in the six months ended June 30 In addition 3,422 persons were injured Of the 368 persons prosecuted for rash and negligent driving in the city, 247 were civilians driving military-type vehicles In the Statistics Section of the Traffic Office at police headquarters, flags are pinned on large scale maps of Calcutta indicating places where accidents have occurred A glance at the maps reveal that the largest number of accidents occurred in the area bounded by Vivekananda Road in the north, Esplanade East and Dhurrumtollah Street in the south, Strand Road in the west and Lower Circular Road in the east Other danger spots are Shambazar Junction and Garden Reach, Chowringee Road and its continuations, Asutosh Mookerjee Road and Russa Road, is well defined by a row of black (fatal accidents) and red (non fatal) flags

ON THE TOP OF THE HOWRAH BRIDGE

A lunatic climbed the topmost girder of the Howra. Bridge on the 8th December last

He undertook this feat "to have a drink," he told the police to whom he was handed over after being rescued by Mr W B Onrat, Engineer-in charge of the bridge, and his staff

This is the second time in three months that men described as lunatics, have scaled the bridge On the previous occasion, two men sought the solitude of this 300-ft height to play cards.

INDIAN NATIONAL AMBULANCE CORPS

"It is good that everybody should be a patriot and should have national fervour but coming to the question of service to the suffering humanity they should rise above nationalism, above party lines There is something greater, something higher—it is service to the humanity in general; a service to the friend and foe alike." Thus observed Mr. Asaf Ali, Member of the Congress Working Committee, speaking at the inaugural ceremony of the Indian National Ambulance Corps held on the 7th December last at the Sraddhananda Park.

The ceremony which commenced with the unfurling of the National Flag by Mr. Asaf Ali was presided over by Dr. Subodh Chandra Mitra.

After the members of the Corps had taken their oath a guard of honour was presented to Mr. Asaf Ali. Mr. Asaf Ali then inspected the ranks which included one of ladies.

Expressing great satisfaction at the disciplined, organised and smart movement of the officers and members of the Indian National Ambulance Corps and stressing the need of these qualities in the national life Mr. Asaf Ali said:

"Organisation, this is what we have been wanting all the time. Organisation is indispensable for us; we want the country to be well organised in a measure which is necessary for building the nation on solid foundations."

DEATH OF CAPT. GANGULI

The death occurred on the 6th December last of Capt. P. Ganguli. He was a man of extensive knowledge in almost every subject of medical science. He joined the Government service as Assistant Surgeon in 1907, and the I.M.S. in the first world war when he was posted to several important stations, including Quetta, and reverted to his permanent service with the rank of Captain. He was posted to several places including the Dacca Medical School as Professor of Medicine for 7 or 8 years, and finally retired from Government service as Visiting Physician at the Medical College Hospitals in 1938. He went abroad twice and got various distinctions in London and Vienna. Among his academic qualifications were. (1) Gold Medalist in Physiology in 1905 (2) Certificate of Honours in Pathology and Bacteriology (3) Gold Medalist in Medical Jurisprudence in 1906 (4) D. T. M. Degree in 1922 (5) Zeugnis by the University of Vienna in 1931, (6) Fellow of the Royal Society of Medicine, London in 1936, and (7) the Member of the Section of Tropical Diseases in Parasitology, Royal Society of Medicine also in 1936. He was, till his death, the Editor of the *Calcutta Medical Review.*

MR. SAUMYENDRANATH TAGORE RELEASED

Mr. Saumyendranath Tagore, revolutionary Communist leader, was released from Dum Dum Central Jail on Sunday, the 9th December, after a detention of more than four years.

Mr. Tagore was arrested in September, 1939, for the publication of an anti-war tract and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment. After his release he went to Lucknow to preside over the U. P Provincial Students' Conference and was arrested there in 1942.

Earlier, he took a prominent part in workers' and peasants' movements in the country. In Europe, he took part in the Sixth Plenary Session of the Communist International in Moscow and was arrested in Germany by the Nazi Gestapo in 1933 on an alleged charge of plotting against Hitler's life.

In jail, he lost 40 pounds in weight and was suffering from acute colitis.

COL. JAGANNATH RAO BHOSLE ROAD

Decision Of The City Council Of Savantwadi

The City Council of Savantwadi, the capital of the Savantwadi State, has decided to name one of the main roads in the town as "Col. Jagannath Rao Bhosle Road" after Col. Bhosle, who held a high position in the Indian National Army under Subhas Chandra Bose and is now detained in Red Fort, Delhi.

Col. Bhosle belongs to one of the leading families in Savantwadi.

ASSOCIATED CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE OF INDIA

"In all matters affecting India's political and constitutional problems, no move or statement will be made and no action taken by us which might directly or indirectly impede or frustrate the settlement between India's major political parties which His Excellency the Viceroy has so vigorously tried to bring about and which we here, equally with His Majesty's Government, as is apparent from their recent announcement in Parliament, trust will not long be delayed," said Sir Renwick Haddow, presiding at the annual general meeting of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of India held in Calcutta, on Monday, the 10th December last.

"I would assure our Indian friends," Sir Renwick added, "that we have the interests of India very much at heart. I cannot lay sufficient emphasis on that statement. We have done much in the past to help India on the road to prosperity, and to improve the lot of the masses. We are still imbued wih the same spirit. We ask only for the same treatment as India expects and demands for her nationals in other units of the British Commonwealth. There must be goodwill and restrain on both sides."

[The Viceroy's address may be seen under "Lord Wavell in Calcutta," *in Calcutta News and Views.*]

ALDERMAN SIDDIQI'S SUCCESS AT ELECTION

Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi, Editor of *Morning News* and the chosen candidate of the Muslim League for the Calcutta and Suburbs constituency in the election for the Central Assembly, has scored an overwhleming victory.

Alderman Siddiqi has issued the following statement in connection with the polling held on Wednesday, the 12th December :—

"I have no words to express my gratitude to those who voted for me and also those who worked for me in the election"

CONGRESS ELECTION BOARD FORMED

A Congress Election Board has been formed for the Bengal provincial elections with Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose as Chairman, Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, Member, Congress Working Committee, as Secretary, and nine members.

Announcing this, Sadar Vallabhai Patel has issued the following :—

> The Congress Central Election Board has formed the following Board for the Bengal provincial elections.
>
> Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, *Chairman* and Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, *Secretary*. Members: Mr. Surendra Mohan Ghosh, Mr. Kiran Sankar Roy, Mr. Hemanta Kumar Bose, Mr. Pratap Chandra Majumdar, Syed Nausher Ali, Maulvi Habibar Rahman Chowdhury, Mr. Sitaram Sakseria, Mr. Satis Chandra Chakraborty of Khulna and Dr. Suresh Chandra Banerjee.

PRINCIPAL R. K. GUHA DEAD

The death occurred on Thursday afternoon, the 13th December, at his Park Circus residence of Principal Rajani Kanta Guha, aged 79.

An erudite scholar in Greek and Latin, Mr. Guha was for many years Principal of the City College and a Lecturer in English of Calcutta University and brought out a standard work on Socrates in Bengali deriving materials from original Greek. He was also a leader of the Brahmo Samaj.

The deceased is survived by two sons and one daughter.

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VITAL STATISTICS

FOR THE CITY OF CALCUTTA FOR THE WEEK ENDING 8TH DECEMBER, 1945.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN AND SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 848 against 909 and 632 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 188. The general death rate of the week was 17 51 per mille.

Town (*Wards* 1—27)

the number of deaths registered during the week ending 8th December, 1945, was 724 against 769 and 509 in the two preceding weeks. There were 24 deaths from cholera against 14 and 2 in the two preceding weeks There was 1 death from small pox during the week against nil in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 76 and 97 respectively against 71 and 97 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 17.07 per mille per annum.

There were 22 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 16 55

There were 130 deaths from respiratory diseases against 156 in the previous week

There were 44 deaths from tuberculosis against 156 in the previous week.

Suburbs (*Wards* 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 124 against 120 and 123 in the two preceding weeks Of these, nil was from cholera, nil from small-pox, 1 from influenza, 25 from fevers, 13 from bowel-complaints and 22 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 20.59 per mille.

There were 2 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate was 20 26.

There were 9 deaths from tuberculosis against 7 in the previous week.



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CORPORATION NOTICES

Auction Sale

Re. Auction sale of lorries, Ambulances, Bullock carts, etc.

Unserviceable lorries, ambulances, trailors and motor cycles will be sold by auction through Messrs. Mackenzie Lyall & Co., at 92, Baitakkhana Road (District II Gowkhana) at 9 a.m. on the 22nd and 29th December, 1945 and 5th and 12th January, 1946.

The same auctioneers will also sell 4-wheeler and 2-wheeler bullockcarts abandoned on account of the introduction of mechanised transport, at 92, Baitakkhana Road (District II Gowkhana) on the above dates and at 12/1, Mayurbhanj Road on 19th January, 1946, at 9 a.m. on each day.

Intending bidders are requested to attend.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
The 12th December, 1945.

Garbage Collection

NOTICE.

In exercise of the power vested in the Corporation of Calcutta under Section 372(1) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, and in supersession of all previous notices in the matter, it is hereby notified for the information of the public that all rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in all premises situate in Wards Nos. 16 and 17 within the respective boundaries specified hereunder including or excluding premises abutting on streets or roads (hereunder marked as "included" or "excluded" as the case may be) forming boundaries of the said Wards, according as such streets or roads are or are not included within the said Wards shall be collected by the occupiers of such premises and deposited in one or more suitable receptacles, as may be necessary, of the kind prescribed hereunder, which should be kept ready by 8 a.m. for removal of the contents once in a day, at a suitable place near the entrance to or within the premises where open space is available affording easy and free access to the Corporation Staff engaged for the purpose. Failure to comply with the aforesaid requisition within 2 months of the date of this notification shall render the defaulter liable to prosecution under Section 372(1) read with Section 488 of the Calcutta Municipal Act 1923 and to the penalty provided therefor.

Note :—"It will be in the interests of occupiers of premises held in severalty to arrange amongst themselves and jointly provide a number of receptacles which will be sufficient to cope with the total quantity of rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in the entire premises."

Boundaries of the above wards, the street or road being marked "included" or "excluded" according as premises abutting thereon are intended to be included or excluded in the Ward for purposes of this notice.

Ward No. 16 :—

North—Kyd Street (excluded) thence to Free School Street (excluded) and thence to Ripon Street (excluded).
East—Wood Street (included) and Wellessley Street (included).
South—Theatre Road (included).
West—Chowringhee Road (included).

Ward No. 17 :—

North—Theatre Road (excluded).
East—Lower Circular Road (included).
South—Lower Circular Road (included).
West—Chowringhee Road (included).

Specification Prescribed For Receptacles.

Each receptacles shall be of galvanised iron, circular in shape, with a strong bottom fitted with suitable handles and a rat and fly proof detachable lid with 2 in. rim overlapping the top of the receptacle by at least 3/8 in. all round and shall have a capacity not exceeding 4 c. ft. The lower end of each receptacle shall be provided with a projecting rim or iron designed to prevent the lower surface of the flat bottom from resting on the ground.

Note :—Receptacles of the kind prescribed and of the following sizes can be had for sale in the Central Municipal Stores at 149, Lower Circular Road :—

(1) 2 c.ft. at Rs. 10/- each. (2) 4 c.ft. at Rs. 15/- each.

U. N. BOSE,
Offg. Secretary to the Corporation

Central Municipal Office,
30th October, 1945.

TENDER NOTICE

Tender for the purpose to appoint an Agent for running, maintaining, carrying on and working the Calcutta Tramways undertaking.

The Corporation of Calcutta intend to purchase from The Calcutta Tramways Co. Ltd., their undertaking with all tramways plant, machinery, land, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith and belonging to the Company, and intend to carry on and work the undertaking through an Agent to be appointed by the Corporation of Calcutta.

For the above purpose, tenders are invited for the appointment of such an Agent as aforesaid under the terms and conditions, copies of which may be purchased from the Keeper of Records, Calcutta Corporation.

Tenders to be submitted in duplicate, which will be received by the 2nd Deputy Executive Officer at the Central Municipal Office up to 20th December, 1945 and will be opened by him at 1-30 p.m. on that day.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office.
The 8th December, 1945

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Sk. Imaman, the recorded occupier of Stall No. 22 in Block K (new) in the S. S. Hogg Market, for permission to transfer his rights and interests in the above stall to his wife Must. Fudia Bibi and his nephew, Mr. Abdul Rahman.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P. C. BHATTACHARJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S. S. Hogg Market,
The 5th December, 1945.

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received for the registration of the names of Messrs. Jagannath P. Singh, Jogendra P. Singh and Jagadish P. Singh, sons of Mr. Bechu Singh, as occupiers of stall No. 26 in Block D and that of Mr. Bechu Singh as occupier of stall No. 27 in Block D in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market in place of Messrs Issar Singh and Bechu Singh, the recorded occupiers of both the above stalls. Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S. S. Hogg Market,
The 21st November, 1945.

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PARK CIRCUS MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				
A—8	0 8 0	Do.	...	...	...

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—4 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-142	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.			Mudikhana			
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½160-162	0 9 0	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½164-169	1 7 9	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
,, ½170-172	0 12 6	Do				,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Markgt.

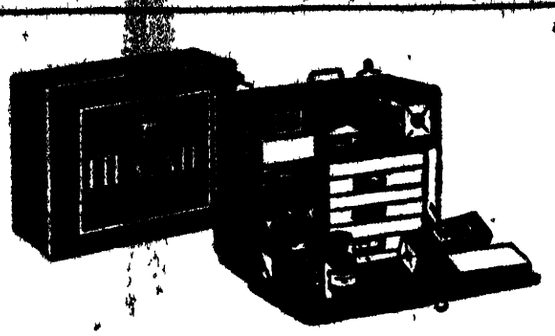
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*S. (New)						H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	3 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

*Stalls temporarily unoccupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QUASIM, BAR-AT-LAW,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl's eggs	2 0 0	2 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal "	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer		0 10 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Rauchli)	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. (Country)	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Turnip		0 10 0
*Carrot		0 12 0
*Beetroot		0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 12 0	1 0 0
" (Darjeeling) per seer (Contd.)	0 10 0	
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 12 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 8 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras "		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk "		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar "	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
" (Sugarcandy) "	0 12 0 (Ration Shop)	
Suji	0 3 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga " "	0 6 0	0 7 6
Khasaree "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai "	0 6 6	
Biuli "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 6
" (Sona) per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Mattar "	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled)	0 2 9	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal "		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
* BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. 2 "		
Corn Flower 1 "		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

N.B.—*Contd.

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	1st Class From	1st Class To	2nd Class From	2nd Class To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,,	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney)	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted peer seer				
Do. Melted ,,				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer				
Lump ,,				
Round				
Tongue each				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb.	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class From	2nd Class To	3rd Class From	3rd Class To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 8 0
Loin ,,	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,,	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter, ,,	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb	3 12 0	4 12 0		

	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.				
Chops per seer	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast ,,	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr.	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,,	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters ,,	0 10			
Head (without tongue and brain) each	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb.	3 0 0	3 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb.		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb.	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb.	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lunchoon Sausages per lb	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb.	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do (without shell) per seer	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100		
Pomfrets per seer		
Bhetkee ,,	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,,		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,,		
Bail chau per seer		
Papadams per 100	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer	3 8 0	4 10 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

Prices of foreign articles as well as Indian commodities are liable to fluctuate daily without notice and not controllable at present on account of War and hence approximate prices are given.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
***POULTRY.**		
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 8 0	1 10 0
Capon ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do (roasting) ...	3 8 0	3 14 0
Do. (special) ...	4 0 0	4 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 8 0	3 10 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (special) each ...	4 0 0	4 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	4 0 0
Goose ...	24 0 0	30 0 0
Pigeons ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ...	55 0 0	75 0 0
Do. Hen ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) ...	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 10 0	3 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) per score	3 8 0	4 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ...	5 8 0	7 8 0
Partridge ...		
Peacock ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Plovers each ...		
Quail ...		
Rabbit ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cook) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipoach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 14 0	1 8 0
Do. Country per seer ...		
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 5 0	0 7 0
Cabbage each ...		
Do. (Simla) per seer	1 8 0	2 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	1 8 0	2 4 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do. (Allahabad) ,,	0 14 0	1 12 0
Do. (Lucknow) ...	0 14 0	1 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,	0 8 0	0 14 0
Do. Lahore ,,	1 0 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 10 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 8 0	2 6 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 14 0	1 0 0
Ginger ,, ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Turmaric ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Do. (Large) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Onions, (New) per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. ,, white ,,	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 12 0	0 13 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
Do. Simla ,, ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,, ...	1 8 0	
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	0 12 0	
Do. Country do. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	0 12 0	
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)		
Do. (Old) Nainital ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	1 2 0	1 4 0
*Do. Shillong (Contd.) ...	0 10 0	
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbul (Patal) per seer ...	0 14 0	1 0 0
Radish English per bundle	0 8 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 10 0	1 14 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Tomato per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,		
Do. Ranchi ,,	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. Shillong ,,	1 4 0	1 12 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 14 0	1 2 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red ,, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tarai per seer ...		
Kankrole per seer ...		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRESH FRUITS.		
Apricots (fresh) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 8 0	4 0 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...		
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large) ...		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	16 0 0	20 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mosafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Looket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.	12 0 0	16 0 0
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie ...		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...		
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet ...		
* Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 12—16 ...	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 16—20	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balber each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonte do. ...		
Calasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Kulu 4—5 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 4—5 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...		
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	1 8 0	4 0 0
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...	4 0 0	
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 4 0	1 8 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 4 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	2 0 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...		
Do. Muscat per packet		
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 0 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 0 0	
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 8 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...		
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	5 0 0	
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.		
Prunes dry per lb. ...		2 0 0
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Do. Do. 1 lb. pocket ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 14 0	0 14 0

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A. 1 & 2	Per day. As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— 9, 12* & 13*	Per day. As. 4 each	Potato
„ 13	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 3, 5 & 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.
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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	1 8 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ..	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ ...	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	4 0 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ..	5 4 0	6 0 0
Cutla per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut pieces)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Rohi per seer	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 4 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Mullet per seer ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Butter fish per seer ..	3 8 0	4 8 0
Pomfret per seer ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Prawns per seer (small)		
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Large) —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Lobster ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Other fish ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. (fillet) ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Mackerel —		
Gajal (Entire) ...		
Shrimp per seer ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each e ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam'e „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unmixed. „ }	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cream per lb. —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) „ ...		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		
Rice per seer (retail) —		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —	0 10 0	
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 0
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		
		0 8 0
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 12 0
Chola „ —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 13 0
Khasari „ ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) ...		0 13 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk ...	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — ...	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	0 13 0	0 14 0 to 1 0 0
Halud „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — }		
Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins		
„ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.		
Nimki —		
Petit Beurre —		
School ...		
Thin Arrowroot „ ...		
Water „ —		
Zoological —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin.		
Cow & Gate Milk Food ...		
Cow & Gate Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk—		
per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
	Controlled Price	
CIGARS & CIGARETTES		
*Three Castles tin of 5 ...		
Deresske per packet ...		
Scissor per pkt. ...		0 4 0
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	4 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 ...	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson ..	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 4 0	1 8 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	1 12 0
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb. Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 10 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...		
Sausages Australian per tin	1 11 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 16 oz. —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
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Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Bisurated Magnesia,large	1 12 0	
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 2 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Sloan's Liniment ...	2 11 0	
*Kruschen Salt ...		
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
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PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 7th November, 1945.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Kora)		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chinisakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dadkhani		
Deshi Boilea		
Dudhkalma		
Control (Medium)		
„ (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole)		
Gram (Dal)	0 6 0	
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh „		
Pabna „		
Ghee (Bisweswar)		4 6 0
Do. (Buffalo)		
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil „		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil „		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 0
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 6
Do. (white) „		0 5 0
Suji		
Gur (Beli) (control)		0 5 6
„ Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes (Control)		0 10 0
Gauhati		
Madras		

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal	0 10 0	0 12 0
Brinjal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas		
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each		
Ginger		0 10 0
Onion	0 5 0	0 6 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 4 0	2 0 0
Prawns	1 0 0	2 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki		
Crab per pair		
Koi	2 8 0	3 3 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	2 14 0	3 0 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	2 14 0	3 0 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 4th December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits)	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE.		
Gawa per seer		6 0 0
Ranchi „		
Sree (Mark)		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled)	4 0 0	
Bhaduw„ do.	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
***SUGAR & FLOUR.**		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata)		
*Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
*Atta		0 5 0
*Do. B		
Gur (Bheli)		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer		4 0 0
Milk		0 10 0
Cows' Head		
Condensed Milk		
Milk Maid		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples 4—8		1 0 0
Alubokra per seer		2 0 0
Oranges 10—25	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer	2 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta „		8 0 0
Dates Arab	1 4 0	
Grapes per seer		
Naspati 6—8		
Mango 2		
„ (Langra)		
Pomegranate per seer		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Potatoes New	0 12 0	1 0 0
Potatoes (Gouhati & Madras) Controlled	0 10 0	
Brinjal	0 3 0	0 4 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower each	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
FISH		
Parsey per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pona „ }	1 12 0	
Do. (Cut pieces) „ }		2 4 0
Bagda „	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki „	1 12 0	
Crab (each)	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer	1 4 0	2 4 0
Hilsa Fish		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score		2 4 0
„ (Duck) Do.		2 0 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin		
Cocoa Hornby		
Coffee Polson's lb.		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb.	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do.		
Household per tin		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin.		
Pearl Barley (C. B.)		
Sago (Pearl)		
Quaker's Oats		
Pascal's Lozenges *(glass) each		
Jam		
Jelly		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin)	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin		
Do. per bottle		
Do. „ bulk		
Rising Sun		
Do. per bottle		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 28th November, 1945.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 1 0
Do. 2nd " " —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 1 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	2 6 0	
Fowls " —	2 10 0	
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Ginger " —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 0 6	0 1 6
Ladies finger per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer		0 8 0
Do. Bombay " ...		0 10 0
Do. Country " —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer		
Do. (controlled) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Madrasi " ...		
Do. Gauhati " ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Country ... —		
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —		0 10 0
Do. Disi per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Hilly " ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cabbage " ...		1 4 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling " ...	0 14 0	
Do. Deshi " —		
Beans " —	0 10 0	
Squash " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato " ...	0 8 0	
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 12 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 2—6 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 2—3 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bukhara per seer ..	2 8 0	
Apricot " ..	2 0 0	2 8 0
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...		
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza ...		5 0 0
Dates Arab " —	1 8 0	
Do. Bagdad " ...	1 4 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta " ...		
Do. Chaman " ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Australia " ...		
Khorma per seer " ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi " ...	4 0 0	
Khobani " " ...		
Kajoo Nuts " ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	1 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ..		
Jamrul " —		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer —	1 0 0	
Safata .. —		
Mango (Local) Bandel ...		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi —		
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara -		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Kalkeut —		
Do. Fasli -		
Do. Nilambari 1—0 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh ...		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagore 5—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 6—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...		10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Peaches ..		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	0 12 0	1 8 0
Musket per seer ...	1 8 0	
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 8 0	
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...		
Do. Sultuna " ...	3 0 0	
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	
Do. without shell ...	4 0 0	
Do. do. large ...		6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...	1 0 0	5 0 0
Do. Farukabad		
Do. Quetta ...	10 0 0	12 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon —		
Musembi 5—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —	3 8 0	
Do. Shelled " —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground " ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		1 0 0
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay " " ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh " " ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore " per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur " " ...	3 8 0	
Pabna " " ...		3 8 0
Darbhanga " " ...		3 2 0
Mazafferpur ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Prawns " ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa " ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Rohi " ...	1 8 0	
Rohi (cut pieces) " ...		2 0 0
Small fish " ...		1 8 0
Chetal " ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Galda ...	2 0 0	

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatani Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) " ...		
Patnai (Atap) " md. ...		
Milly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md. ...		
Bankipoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata " ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse " —		
Medium "		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java " " ...		
Cocoanut Oil " ...		
Mustard Oil " ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour " ...		
Atta " ...		
Sujee " ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal " ...	0 10 0	
Arhar " ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari " ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) " ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) " ...		0 10 0
Mator " ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal " —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker—		
Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan—		
Interior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk "		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
" " Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 8 6	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 3rd October, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bagda —	1 5 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Shetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsay ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	3 0 0
Mutton „ ...	—	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	3 0 0	3 2 0
Fowl's eggs ...	3 0 0	3 2 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —	—	
Brinjal „ —	0 6 0	
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 12 0	
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —		1 4 0
Cucumber per score —	1 8 0	0 12 0
Ginger per seer ...	...	1 4 0
Garlic „ —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Green Chilly ...		0 8 0
Onion „ ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 3 0	
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —	1 0 0	
Grapes —		1 8 0
Alubokhora per seer ...		
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per seer ..	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond „ ...	2 8 0	
Lime per score ...	0 1 6	0 3 0
Orange 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 8 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 3 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras „ ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk „		0 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana „ ...	0 6 0	
Masoor „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai „ ...	0 7 0	
Biuli „ ...		
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
„ (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor „	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) „	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal „ (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel „ ...	3 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 5th December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Shetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton „ —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid „ —	3 0 0	
Ghee —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	3 0 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —		2 12 0
Fowl's Eggs „ —		2 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled). ...	0 12 0	0 2 0
Brinjal „ —	0 1 6	
Cabbage (English —	0 10 0	
Cauliflour „ „ ...	0 8 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	2 0 0	
Do. (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score —	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer —		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	1 0 0	
Onion „ ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) „ —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi „ ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Madras (controlled)	0 10 0	
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 12 0
Ladies finger „ —		
Raddish „ —	0 3 0	
Squash „ —	0 5 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White „ „ —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —	1 4 0	Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 8 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra „ —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes „ —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz. —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) „ —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee „ —		
Do. Bhadwa „ —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree „ —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 8 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat „ ...	0 5 0	
RICE SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
„ „ „ "B"	0 6 0	
„ „ „ "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) „ —		
Do. (Atap) „ —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) „	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil „ (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana „ „ —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree „ —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai „ —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) „ —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor „ —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) „ —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 8 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 25th September, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton "	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid "	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork "	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl "	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken "	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon "		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Fowl's " "	2 12 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)		3 0 0
Ilong	2 8 0	
Lobster	2 0 0	
Sagda		
Bhangaar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Ilisa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	2 8 0	3 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	
Bean (Ranchi) "		
Brinjal "	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	
Cauliflower		
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) "		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 3 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger "	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) "	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) "	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) "	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	1 4 0	
Do. (Desi) "	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes "	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer		
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) " seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate "		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond "	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape "	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. per box		
Goosberry per seer		
Jack fruit each	0 6 0	3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza "		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote "		
Oranges 4 to 6	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do.. (Martaban) per doz.	0 3 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple "	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple	0 2 0	
Tamarind per seer	0 1 3	2 0 0
Walnut "	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10	1 0 0	
Langra 4—8	1 0 0	
Bombay 6—8	1 0 0	
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur "		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta "		
Sujee "		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) "		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi "		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 8 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor "	0 10 0	0 11 0
Bhanga	0 10 0	
Khasaree "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) "		
Do. (Sona) "		
Mattor "	0 10 0	
Salt "		0 2 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 10 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
36A	0 4 0 "		35-36 "	0 3 0 "	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 "		36 "	0 3 0 "	
33 "	0 5 0 "		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 "	0 1 6 "				
2 Stall	25 0 0 (Monthly)				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

N. M. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
II.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
13	3 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
" 890	0 10 0	Do.
" 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
" 53	0 6 0	Do.
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
" 57	0 6 0	Do.
Cocoanut Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
*" 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
*" 30	0 4 0	Do.
*" 31	0 4 0	Do
*" 39—40	1 0 0	Do
*" 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	1 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 3	8 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range		
" 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be
" 32	35 0 0	approved by the
" 58	43 0 0	Committee.
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	38 0 0	Do.
" 49	38 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-130	1 4 0	Do.
" 75-78		
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
" * 9	0 8 0	Do
" * 10	0 8 0	Do
" * 18	0 8 0	Do
" * 19	0 8 0	Do
" * 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
"		
"		
"		
" * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. B. N. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable.
New Chandney A. B. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 33	0 5 6	Do.
" 57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72-73	0 11 0	Do.
" 33	0 5 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
*" 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
*"	0 8 0	Do
*" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 6 0	Betel
*" 12	1 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*" 13—14	1 0 0	Mustard Oil
*" 86	1 12 0	Miscellaneous Goods.
		A few area spaces are available. Apply to Market office for terms & conditions.

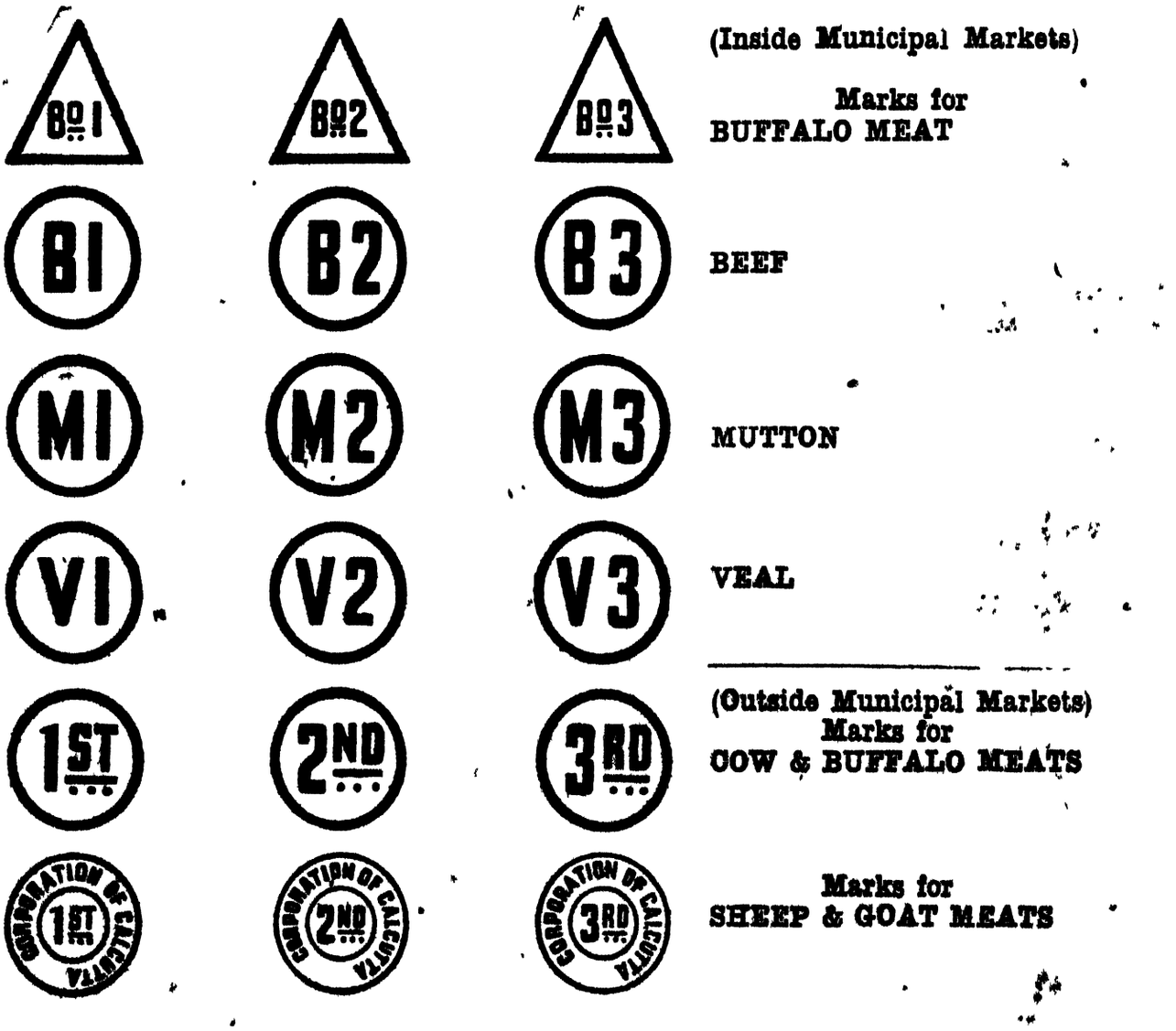
*Stalls temporarily occupied.

BUTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 8 0	Vegetables
						30 ,,	0 8 0	,,
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	60 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. P.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 8 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

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The Week In The Corporation

GOVERNMENT DIRECTIVES TO CORPORATION

Corporation Blamed For Little Progress In Respect Of The Directives

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATIONS REPUDIATED BY CITY FATHERS

"The Corporation repudiates the observations made by Government as regards the action so far taken by the Corporation in connection with the execution of the directives and reiterates that it would not be possible for the Corporation to complete the directives,

(i) while Government continues to wrongfully and illegally withhold payment of legitimate dues of this Corporation amounting to more than Rs. 34 lakhs in spite of repeated reminders and requests.

(ii) while Government persists in refusing to secure for the Corporation an increased share of Motor Vehicles Tax to the extent of Rs. 10 lakhs, instead of only Rs. 4½ lakhs out of an amount of more than Rs. 15 lakhs realized by that Government annually from the vast number of Motor Vehicles plying in Calcutta and using and damaging the roads of this Corporation notwithstanding all conceivable requests made in that behalf,

(iii) while Government continues to refuse reducing the inequitable exaction of more than Rs. 20 lakhs payable by the Corporation to the Calcutta Improvement Trust although the Trust has suspended its operations during war time,

(iv) while Government still refuses this Corporation shares in the Amusement, Electricity and Sales Taxes, and

(v) while Government prevents introduction of petrol and terminal taxes."

This is the text of the resolution which the Corporation at its adjourned meeting held on Thursday, the 20th December, adopted after a prolonged discussion over a letter received from the Secretary, Government of Bengal, Department of Public Health and Local Self-Government, in connection with the orders and directives issued by Government under the Public Health (Emergency) Ordinance, 1944, calling upon the Corporation to carry out certain measures in the interest of public health.

Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha sponsored the resolution to which Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri later added the rider stating the responsibility of Government in five concrete proposals for equipping the Corporation with proper finances.

Councillor J. A. Parks moved that the Chief Executive Officer should inform Government in detail what action had been taken by the Corporation and what could not be taken due to lack of funds and to inquire to what extent Government were prepared to assist the Corporation to implement their directives.

When put to vote Councillor Parks' motion was lost.

Before putting the motions to vote the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee criticized the Government letter as an *ex parte* judgment and observed that Government were surely creating grounds for supersession. Government should have been more reasonable, he opined, in consideration of the embarrassing time that the Corporation had been passing through.

The debate on the matter lasted for three hours and a half. The House sat till 8-30 at night, an hour and a half beyond the scheduled time, to conclude discussion on the subject.

"WORK CANNOT BE UNDERTAKEN FOR LACK OF FUND"—IS NO ACCEPTABLE EXPLANATION

—Government Letter To Corporation.

The Government letter which was considered by the House was dated the 11th December, 1945 and stated as follows:—

I am directed to refer to your letter No. S-2794 dated November 3rd, 1945 and am to observe, with regret, that there has been very little progress in respect of any of the Directives since the Corporation's meeting of September, 12th, 1945.

I am further to observe that this lack of progress does not appear to derive from causes which were beyond the Corporation's control. With respect to Directives 4 and 12, for example, the Corporation reports that work has been slow because there have been irregular supplies of cement. In this connection I am to refer you to the concluding paragraph of my letter No. 970-P.H., dated April 13th, 1945, in which it was suggested that "timely intimation should be sent" when there was a danger, through lack of supplies, of the time tables being upset. In the absence of such intimation, Government have not been able to render the Corporation that assistance which they might have done; assistance for which the Corporation was specifically requested to ask.

The Corporation will also recall that the order provided for the making of appropriate arrangements for the financing of work under the Directives, and that the Corporation's observation that the "work cannot be undertaken for lack of fund" is an expression of the Corporation's failure to carry out the Directives, rather than an acceptable explanation.

Government are accordingly obliged to find the Corporation in default in the execution of the Directives.

Government Directives

It may be recalled that on the 17th March last Government issued directives under the Public Health (Emergency) Ordinance asking the Corporation to carry out within stipulated time certain measures relating among others to the replacement and increase in the number of public and private dustbins, structural improvement of the Motor Vehicles Department workshops, the appointment of necessary staff to keep Kulti Outfall sedimentation tanks continuously running, the laying of a new reserve unfiltered water main from the junction of Debendra Ghose and Harish Mukherjee Roads through Park Circus to join with the existing main on Syed Ameer Ali Avenue, the purchase of a new chlorinator for the Tallah pumping station, remodelling of the Municipal Vaccine Laboratory, improvement of *khatals* and cattle-sheds, construction of new public latrines and the preparation of schemes for effective control of malaria in the city.

The directives were considered by the Corporation on the 23rd March last when it passed certain resolutions stating its disapproval of the directives being an invasion of the rights and privileges of the institution and calling upon Government for immediate payment of all dues to the Corporation to enable the same to effectively prosecute the health measures.

NOTICE

On account of the Christmas holidays there will be no issue of the "Calcutta Municipal Gazette" on the 29th December next.

The Market Prices current will, however, be issued on that date.

In pursuance of the directives, funds were, however, provided in the Budget for 1945-46

C. E. O.'s Statement

Following the last letter from Government in respect of the directives the Chief Executive Officer prepared a statement on the steps taken by the Corporation regarding those directives.

In the course of this statement it was pointed out that the work of remodelling the vaccine laboratory, which had been taken in hand, could not be speeded up owing to the difficulty of obtaining certain materials through permits. No arrangement for cold storage could be made owing to non-provision in the budget. As regards laying a new reserve unfiltered water main in the Park Circus area no actual work could be undertaken for want of funds. About structural improvements in the Motor Vehicles Department workshop work had been taken in hand.

Regarding the Government order relating to dustbins, it was stated that about 1,000 receptacles

for collection of refuse (sanitary house bins) had been kept ready in the central stores for sale to owners and occupiers of premises in Wards 16 and 17. The statement also added that a chlorinator had been shifted from the Pulta Pumping station to Taalah and a room to house it had been completed.

Earlier, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, had discussed over the letter with the prominent councillors and heads of the different departments.

"Submerge Politics In Municipal Affairs"

—W. A. Burns

Initiating the discussion Councillor W. A. Burns first referred to the *Calcutta Municipal Gazette* filler entitled "The City of My Birth" written by Poet Rabindranath Tagore. The passionate love for one's own city, said Councillor Burns, was far above party politics in municipal administration. He drew an example from the London County Council where the parties were all engaged upon the welfare of the city.

He requested the Councillors to submerge politics and concentrate on municipal affairs. He submitted that they had not gone up the line of distinction between politics in the national way and the municipal administration and said that it would be really dangerous if politics in the national way diverted their time, energy and efforts from their primary duties in the municipal sphere.

According to Councillor Burns, the Government letter was couched in mild language and written more in sorrow than in anger. He thought there was no difference of opinion that the measures recommended in the Government directives were for the benefit of the city and should be carried out. He requested the House to approach the matter in an objective way. If the Corporation was efficient there was nothing to fear from the Government. Action should be taken, he stressed; since long time had been lost, no more should be wasted.

He suggested that the Corporation should appoint a small committee, invested with full powers, to complete the directives within a short space of time.

Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury

Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury said that the Corporation stood self-condemned. The Councillors had no case to defend. They had mismanaged the Corporation to a very great extent. In this matter he accused not only the members of the Corporation but also the Corporation executives. They had not brought the matters before the Committees in time.

He remarked that it would be criminal on his part not to refer to the slipshod manner in which the executives had worked. Unless the Councillors had proper co-operation from the executives, no good would result

Councillor Roy Chowdhury suggested that the Mayor should be invested with all the powers, and not the Committee, to meet Government demands. "We have mismanaged the Corporation to a very great extent," he concluded.

"We Have Done Our Best"

—Dr. S. N. Sinha

Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha, who sponsored the resolution, said, "If we read the directives and compare what have been done, we may not have been able to do all, we have done our best."

Referring to the way of casting the whole blame on the executives and to the letter being couched in a mild language, Councillor Dr. Sinha pointed to the depleted finances of the Corporation and thousand other difficulties in its way.

Councillor Dr. Sinha also said that if the Secretary of the Local Self-Government had taken pains to go round the works which had been done by the Corporation in the face of countless obstacles he could not have written a letter like the one in question.

It appeared to him that Government had seen the whole thing through the eyes of a Dafardar. If Government had taken into consideration the financial position of the Corporation and the numerous difficulties with which it was confronted, Government would have taken a more sympathetic attitude. He asserted that the Corporation was not in default in carrying out the directives. The work might have been a little bit slow but it was bound to be slow in the circumstances in which the Corporation was placed. Lack of funds and lack of materials stood in the way of the Corporation in carrying out the directives.

The Corporation had for long been asking Government for payment of their legitimate dues. He maintained that Government could not expect the Corporation to carry out the directives without funds. If Government really desired co-operation from the Corporation in the matter of upkeeping the health of the city they should have come out with a helping hand.

Calcutta, he said, had been the only city that had suffered the worst ravages of the war. Times without number the Corporation had asked for money to Government. How Government could expect that the Corporation would carry out the directives with no fund? How could Government expect that they would have 80 lakhs of rupees out of the Amusement Tax, (a share of which had been claimed by the Corporation) while the Corporation would look that their matters would be efficiently run?

Referring to the condition in the Railways with no light, no requisite lavatory arrangements, he remarked that nobody took care of the difference.

Councillor Dr. Sinha expressed doubt if Government, while superseding the institution, would do well in view of what they had done with Food, Telephone and Railways.

Councillor H. K. Ganguli

Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli said that nobody else than Government themselves were responsible for the critical situation. It was upto Government to provide funds to enable the Corporation to carry out the directives.

The imported population, and not the ratepayers, was the cause of the unhealthy situation. "We should treat the directives with the contempt they deserve," he said

Here the Mayor wanted the members to put forward some concrete propositions.

Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi complained that when there was difference of opinion in the House they should be given enough time for debate.

"We Are More Interested In The Concern Of Our People."

—THE MAYOR

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, rising to speak before the House, expressed his disagreement with Councillor Burns in that the Government letter had really been written more in anger than in sorrow.

If Government were inspired by a desire to help the Corporation, they should have asked the Corporation as to what its difficulties were in carrying out the directives. Instead of doing that, Government had come to an *ex-parte* finding that the Corporation was in default and Government had referred the Corporation to Ordinance No. 9 regarding supersession. That fact gave rise to an apprehension in his mind that Government were preparing the ground for supersession of the Corporation. If that was in the mind of Government, they could say so openly.

The Mayor continued: "We are not anxious to continue as members of the Corporation. Let us know the mind of Government. We shall be glad to be away."

Many members of the Corporation, like Councillor A. A. Wise and Councillor Mohamad Rafique, had been helping the Mayor in looking after the condition in the various Wards of the city. It might be that the municipal administration was not above reproach but at the same time it should be remembered that the Corporation had been passing through critical days.

If Government wanted to be helpful, they should come and discuss the matter with the members and executives of the Corporation as to how best the directives could be carried out. Instead of conflict and controversy Government would have been reasonable.

"We are more interested in the concern of our people than the Secretary of the Department of Public Health and Local Self-Government" said the Mayor.

Government, who could not pay proper attention to the health and sanitation of the villages, seemed anxious to find fault with the Corporation. The strike of the Corporation workers was to a great extent due to the action of the Labour Commissioner, who put the Corporation in an embarrassing position.

WILL THE HOUSE STAND ADJOURNED?

At this stage, Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul proposed adjournment of the House till the next day in order to facilitate a unanimous opinion.

Alderman Siddiqi wanted to know the different opinions of the House.

Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury encouraged discussion on the floor of the House.

Councillor Paul changed his previous proposal and expressed his desire to go on with the business.

Alderman Siddiqi desired the Mayor to decide whether Councillor Dr. Sinha's proposition (resolution) could stand constitutionally in view of the fact that he spoke first and then moved his proposition.

The Mayor was of opinion that the item on the agenda was for consideration of the Government letter and then proposition thereon.

Councillor Rafique suggested that Councillor Dr. Sinha's proposition should include two points, progress of work and lack of funds.

Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee proposed adjournment of the House till Saturday.

Councillor S. M. Usman remarked that such adjournment would speak of their inefficiency.

Councillor N. C. Sen did not want to do anything hastily.

Councillor D. J. Cohen objected to the proposal for adjournment till Saturday, since that day was a Sabbath day for him.

Proposal was also made to adjourn the meeting till Monday but since that day had been declared a holiday under the Negotiable Instruments Act no meeting could be held on that day.

Councillor Mookerjee's adjournment motion was then put to vote and lost.

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THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

Thursday: 20*th December*

ALDERMAN A. R. SIDDIQI

When the House met, the Mayor Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee congratulated Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi on his success at the Central Legislative Assembly election.

BAFFLE WALLS

At the instance of several Councillors, the Mayor asked the Chief Executive Officer to pay early attention to the difficulties arising out of the baffle-walls in the city.

MUNICIPAL DEBENTURE LOANS

The renewal of the agreement with the Imperial Bank of India for the management of transactions in connection with Municipal Debenture Loans of the Corporation for a further period of five years from the 1st January, 1946, on the existing basis, *viz.*, on a commission of Rs. 3,500 and Rs. 100 per crore of loans per annum for management and transaction of the business and for printing charges respectively on the capital amount of the Debenture Loans shown in the books of the Bank on the 30th June and 31st December every year, the commission being payable and ascertainable every half year, was sanctioned by the Corporation.

Wednesday: 19*th December*

CONDOLENCES

The Corporation at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 19th December, condoled the deaths of Mrs. Induprava Devi, wife of the late Mr. Satish Chandra Mukherjee, the proprietor of "Basumati Sahitya Mandir"; of Mr. Hiralal Lohia, father of Dr. Ram Monohar Lohia, a prominent Congressman who is now detained in the Agra Central Jail as a security-prisoner and of Mr. Monilal Sen, who was for sometime a Solicitor to the Corporation.

Referring to the death of Mrs. Induprova Devi the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that the deceased by her various munificent gifts for the society proved her life to be very valuable to the city of Calcutta.

The meeting was then adjourned.

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Mahatma Gandhi In Calcutta

His Visit To The House Where Subhas Chandra Lived

Mahatma Gandhi paid a visit to the house in Elgin Road, where Subhas Chandra lived, at about 8 o'clock in the night on Monday, the 17th December and was there for some time.

On arrival, Gandhiji was received amidst the blowing of conch-shells and conducted upstairs into the room where Subhas Chandra used to work. On the chair in which he used to sit was placed his portrait, decorated with flowers.

Gandhiji next visited the room in the northern end of the first floor which Subhas Chandra used as his bedroom and where he used to live in complete isolation from members of his family for some 10 or 12 days before he mysteriously disappeared from his house in January, 1941. On a bedstead in the centre of the room on which Subhas Chandra used to sleep was placed his decorated portrait. On the floor, near the bed-stead, was spread a tiger's skin, with the Geeta and a picture of Mother Kali lying on it.

Gandhiji evinced keen interest in the articles in the room which were shown to him by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose and Mr. Suresh Chandra Bose. Gandhiji was accompanied by Rajkumari Amrit Kaur and his Secretary, Mr. Pyarelal.

GANDHIJI LEAVES CALCUTTA ON HIS TOUR PROGRAMME

A large number of ladies besides members of Mr. Bose's family, assembled at the house, while a small crowd gathered outside.

Earlier, Gandhiji paid a visit to Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose's residence at Woodburn Park and was there among members of his family for nearly half-an hour.

Gandhiji also called on Mrs. Basanti Devi, wife of Deshbandhu Chittaranjan Das at Beltala Road.

Mahatma Gandhi left Calcutta on Tuesday last on a two days' visit to Santiniketan.

Some Tour Facilities

Gandhiji travelled by a special train which ran from Sodepore Railway Station on the B. A. Railway, to Bolpur, on the East Indian Railway.

Arrangements for Gandhiji's visit to Midnapore are also being made. He returned from Santiniketan on the 20th December and will leave Calcutta on the 25th for Mahishadal, in Tamluk Sub-Division of Midnapore District, breaking journey at Diamond Harbour for a couple of hours. Gandhiji will visit Mahishadal and Contai in Midnapore District and return to Sodepore Ashram on the 3rd January.

It is learnt that the Government of Bengal are providing certain facilities for Gandhiji's tour so that the fatigue of travel and of meeting crowds may be reduced as much as possible. Two launches will be made available to Gandhiji and party for the Midnapore tour and certain other facilities will also be provided.

Salvation In Prayer

The view that participation in prayer with all the warmth of a devotee would lead mankind onward to the true path of salvation was emphasized by Mahatma Gandhi at the prayer meeting held at Sodepore Ashram *maidan* on the 13th December last.

Stressing the need of single-minded devotion at the time of prayer, Gandhiji said that those who took their seats there quietly simply because of his request would not be able to realize the greatness of God. He added that if they did concentrate their mind with single-minded devotion while offering prayers to God their knowledge would be complete. Without self-purification their knowledge would be imperfect and would not be conducive to the benefit of mankind.

Desire And Death

On the next day Mahatmaji took the song of Rabindranath, which was sung at the prayer as the theme of his after-prayer discourse.

He said that although almost all the songs which were sung at the prayer everyday were thoughtful, the particular song was of special significance. The introductory sentence could be interpreted in two ways. It spoke about the conquest of either "desire" or "death". Of the two, opinion varied as to which was potentially more deadly. Some people were of opinion that "death" was more frightful than "desire."

But, Mahatmaji added, if man could conquer his "desire" his spiritual victory was certain. But it was a hard struggle. Anybody, who had conquered his "desire (*karma*) need not fear anybody in the world, not even the Creator who is All-merciful. What man needed was God's mercy and he prayed to Him for that mercy. There was, therefore, no need to be afraid of God.

A number of Negro soldiers were among those who attended the prayer meeting.

Sardar Vallabhai Patel and Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghosh met Gandhiji at Sodepore and were with him for over two hours.

Among others who called on Gandhiji during the course of the day were the Consul General for France and Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq, *ex*-Premier of Bengal.

It was reported that London had telephonic communication with Sodepore after Gandhiji's prayer.

Importance Of Mother Tongue

The cultivation of the mother tongue in daily conversation and correspondence was emphasized upon by Mahatma Gandhi at the after-prayer discourse at Sodepore on Sunday, the 16th December.

Although, said he, to pick up a foreign tongue like English was good, the people of India generally did not realize the harm it caused when they used it in their conversation and correspondence. It was impossible to evaluate the damage that such a practice entailed.

Whenever a best-seller in any language was printed, continued Gandhiji, the book would be in a few days translated into English and thus would find its way throughout the English-reading public of the world. The English language was enriched on the one hand by the addition of such best books to their catalogue and on the other the English-reading society too was benefited because of the opportunity it got in coming in touch with the best thoughts of the world.

Why, asked he, should not the same practice and procedure be adopted for the enrichment of the Indian languages and enlightenment of the Indian society? There was the Rashtra Bhasa for India. It might be that this language would take time to be the medium of the best thoughts of the world for the benefit of the people of India. But there were mother-tongues of the people of India. Why not all the best books of the world be translated into them for the benefit of people whose medium they were?

Personally speaking, said Gandhiji, he usually and daily had many children around him and whenever there was any occasion for talking the English tongue he noticed that the children felt that they had missed an opportunity in not being able to speak that tongue. He always explained to them that that was not the case. They would not miss anything because of their failure to talk in English.

Legitimate Cause

Mahatma Gandhi did not address the gathering at the prayer ground at Sodepore on Monday, the 17th December, as his period of silence had not been over till then. But he gave a written message in Hindi which was read out by Mr. Kanu Gandhi.

The message contained :—

"I have been told that some of you travel without ticket on trains and even stop trains by pulling the alarm chain at will. The report has pained me. Both these things are illegal. But I do not want to dwell upon the legal aspect. These practices are contrary to the spirit of the prayer. All I can say is that those, who indulge in these practices, have not grapsed the meaning of prayer. If they will reflect on the hymn that has just been sung they will realize that they may not travel without ticket or pull chain without legitimate cause. I hope that such things will not occur again. If we continue to indulge in this kind of behaviour it will neither bring us independence nor enable us to retain it after it has been won. May God guide us aright."

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Tuesday : 18*th December*

PAYMENT OF DEARNESS ALLOWANCE

At the adjourned meeting held on Tuesday, the 18th December, the Corporation at the recommendation of the Finance Standing Committee decided

that the payment of the dearness allowance to staff of the Corporation drawing up to Rs. 2,000 per month according to the scale sanctioned by Government for their own staff and also food concessions as at present allowed, would continue from the 1st July, 1945, and that pending final decision in the matter, the amount necessary to meet the cost over and above the Government contribution of 80 per cent. of the total amount, be met out of the provision under B. I. 89 (ll).

that, since as regards the loss on sale of subsidized food-stuff the amount paid by Government was based on an estimated monthly cost of Rs. 35,000, whereas the monthly cost estimated by the Chief Accountant was about Rs. 43,000, the matter be immediately taksn up with Government with a view to coming to an agreed estimate.

To bring about an improvement in the present financial position of the Corporation, the Finance Standing Committee in view of the estimated receipts on sale of lands, realization of arrears in the Law Department and assessment of Council House not likely to materialize during the current year had suggested among others the preparation of a list of Corporation lands that might be sold, the Mayor's taking up the matter of the Council House assessment with the Governor, the Chief Executive Officer's report on how to increase the present sources of revenue and the Chief Accountant's report on the probable economics on the expenditure side.

The House also adopted the suggestions in the above.

WATER-WORKS ENGINEER

The recommendation of the Services Standing Committee No. I, in consultation with the Water-supply Technical Advisory Board, in the matter of appointing Mr. R. M. Gupta, Deputy Executive Engineer, Water Works, as Water Works Engineer, to be in charge of the Water Works and Pumping Station at Pulta and the supply mains from Pulta up to the intake point at the Tallah Pumping Station was confirmed by the House.

Friday : 14*th December*

MEETING ADJOURNED

The Corporation, on Friday, the 14th December, adjourned the meeting to Tuesday, the 18th December, on account of Mohurrum.

When the Corporation assembled, the Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shasmul Haque, moved for adjournment of the House on the above ground.

The House agreeing, the meeting was adjourned.

Sequel To Calcutta Firings

"Police Opened Fire Upon A Completely Unarmed Crowd"

THE *New Statesman and Nation* of London published a letter in connection with the last Police firings sent by a British officer from Calcutta.

The officer describing the situation as an eye-witness said that the police opened fire upon a completely unarmed crowd of young students and commented that that was the way order was being maintained all over South-east Asia.

The letter, dated the 22nd November, 1945, runs :—

"Last night in one of the main streets of Calcutta there was a procession of young students marching to hold a protest against the trial of the I. N. A. men. The police barred the way so they just sat down, hundreds of them, peaceably, on the road, blocking the traffic. They were like that prolonging time; I am watching them.

"Then the military police moved off all servicemen—presumably authorities do not want to have any unnecessary witness of their storm trooping prowess—so unfortunately I was unable to watch developments. Apparently from what I gathered to-day the deadlock continued for some time, student leaders asking permission for the procession to go on and the police refusing.

"Finally, students tried to march on and the police charged with their *lathis;* mounted police also charged and seized nationalist banners, causing casualties with their *lathis* and rode over the people with horses. Students threw books and anything they had at the Police : shortly afterwards a police van was set on fire. The police then opened fire upon a completely unarmed crowd of young students killing at least one and wounding over 60, some seriously. A sad comment on how we maintain order all over South-East Asia.

"To-day in protest Calcutta is almost at standstill: buses, trams and rickshaws are off the street and shops are shut. Crowds are everywhere and students considerably reinforced are still in possession of the Dharumtalla Street where they stayed even when the police fired. These are areas where my friends are now cut off, so I shall not be able to see any of them before I leave; we are confined to billets".

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose

Speaking to the students at the Carmichael College Re-union on the 19th December last, Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose referred to the services rendered by the students of the College to Victims of Calcutta firing. He said that he did not propose to go into the merits of the question which had agitated the minds of students. He believed that he had said enough to show that he had felt and he still felt that the students of Calcutta behaved in a most examplary manner.

Recalling that he had on their behalf and on behalf of the institution to which he belonged demanded the release of students who had been arrested in that connection and that he had also demanded that those who resorted to "unjustified firing" and *lathi* charge should be brought to book. Mr. Bose said: "It is true that the demands made on behalf of the students and the general public have not yet been acceded to but I have not the slightest doubt that they will be acceded to in the very near future. Suffice it for the present purpose to say that the students behaved in a most examplary manner.

"They showed an amount of courage which is rare in these days. They showed that when the time came they would be prepared to lay down their lives for the cause of Indian independence."

Mr. Bose extended his heart-felt sympathies to those who were victims of the firing and *lathi* charge and felt proud for what the medical staff and students of the College had done for them. He also paid homage to the memory of those, who had lost their lives in the incidents.

Coroner's Inquest

Mr. M. A. Haque, City Coroner, with a jury of five on the 19th December last held an inquest into the death of Rameswar Banerjee, the first victim of the police firing in Dhurrumtolla Street on the night of the 21st November.

Khan Saheb Dr. K. Hossain, Police Surgeon, who held the post-mortem examination on the body of the deceased, said he found a lacerated wound on the forehead at the end of the right eye-brow. This was a wound of entrance. He found another wound on the back of the head. This was a wound of exit. There was a third lacerated bone-deep wound in the palm of the left hand between the ring and little fingers. A bullet with a few hairs attached to it was found lodged inside this wound. Witness thought that the deceased had his left hand to his head when the bullet passed through the palm.

In the opinion of the Police Surgeon, death was due to shock and haemorrhage as a result of the bullet wound.

Inspector D. G. Hart, Arms Expert, stated that on December 5, he was taken to the residence of Khan Saheb Dr. K. Hossain, who opened a sealed packet and produced a fired 45 bullet. Witness identified the bullet produced in court. It was a revolver bullet. Witness could not say exactly from what range it was fired but it must have been from a fairly close range. The Coroner asked the Arms Expert to produce his examination report about the bullet.

Mr. S. Afzal, Advocate, on behalf of the Government, objected to this saying that it was a privileged document and could not be produced in court.

Coroner: Why do you shut out this report? I think this is not a confidential document."

Mr. Afzal: The report is a departmental communication and it was not published and any report which has not been published cannot be placed here."

Inquiry Into Firing

The Coroner held that the report was public property and would be necessary for helping the jury.

The Coroner then asked Mr. Afzal if he had any other witness present in court for examination.

Mr. Afzal submitted that he did not like to produce any other witness and wanted to close the evidence.

Mr. Afzal submitted that the court need not take into consideration whether the firing was justified or not.

The Coroner observed that according to the schedule to the Coroner's Act, the police could not stop him even from that inquiry and added that he would be obliged to any party and members of the public to produce evidence as to the shooting incident of that evening.

Mr. Afzal submitted that, regarding the cause of death in this particular case, the police had produced their evidence and had no other evidence. He suggested that the other side might now produce witnesses and after hearing them, if he thought any more evidence was necessary, he would consider the matter then.

Coroner: No. I will hear police witnesses first and then I will hear the other side.

The hearing was adjourned for further evidence till the 9th January next.

Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli

She Showed How To Die For A Cause

"JYOTIRMOYEE Ganguli taught the leaders of every province and the people of every province that women in the hour of crisis can leave their homes and take their rightful place in the battle of freedom." In these words Mrs. Sarojini Naidu paid her tribute to the memory of Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli presiding over a meeting held on Sunday morning, the 16th December, at the University Institute Hall.

A message from Mahatma Gandhi written in Hindi was read out at the commencement of the meeting. Mahatmaji wrote that he had no doubt that in Sister Jyotirmoyee's death the country had lost one of her best workers. The true perpetuation of her memory would be to emulate her example of service and sacrifice.



MISS JYOTIRMOYEE GANGULI
Ex-Councillor, Calcutta Corporation

The Mayor's Tributes

Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, in paying his tributes said that concern for the welfare of a limited number was a common social habit even among lower animals. It was the spirit of service and sacrifice, limited by no interest, that made man a better being. Jyotirmoyee's was a life dedicated to the service of the humanity at large. She was an embodiment of Indian ideal of service and self-sacrifice.

Referring to her service to the city as a Councillor of the Calcutta Corporation, the Mayor said that Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli displayed a remarkable courage and independence of spirit which, he hoped, should be an example to all other Councillors.

A Committee for raising a memorial to Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli was formed at the meeting with Mrs. Sarojini Naidu as President and Mr. Suresh Chandra Roy as Secretary.

Mrs. Naidu Speaks

Mrs. Naidu said that it was a pleasure and privilege to speak on that solemn occasion. Although she had sometimes collaborated with Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli in political activities, hers was not as intimate an acquaintance with late Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli as was of some of the speakers, who had spoken eloquently of her noble sacrifice and inspiring example. But all the same she knew that a great example had been set by that great lady.

Continuing Mrs. Naidu said that she particularly appreciated the great motherliness of Jyotirmoyee. Indeed she gave what could be given by a great mother. Jyotirmoyee knew that giving love was to create love. Mrs. Naidu referred in this connection to Jyotirmoyee's unhesitating sympathy with her young comrades in the recent Calcutta firings. Mrs. Naidu said that there was nothing in her that did not show her wisdom, courage and knowledge which were so badly needed to-day to tide over the storms of understanding, prejudice and hatred. She was like a lighthouse set upon a rock to show the right way to freedom.

Referring to the political activities of Miss Jyotirmoyee Ganguli, Mrs. Naidu said that she was a true and silent worker, who inspired and moulded the mind of countless people, herself remaining in the background. She believed in co-operative courage, co-operative discipline and co-operative action.

Her life as a teacher, proceeded Mrs. Naidu, taught that salvation was the redeeming of one's self from every form of political, economic and social bondage.

Referring to her tragic death Mrs. Naidu said that Jyotirmoyee showed how to die for a cause and taught the leaders of every province and the people of every province that women in the hour of crisis could leave their homes and take their rightful place in the battle for freedom.

Concluding Mrs. Naidu reminded all present that it would be a mockery to attend the meeting and go away without a resolve to emulate the example of the noble woman.

Calcutta Tramways Undertaking

General Terms And Conditions For The Corporation Agent

For the purpose of appointing an agent for running, maintaining, carrying on and working the Calcutta Tramways Undertaking the Corporation received four tenders, as it could be gathered, upto Thursday, the 20th December, which was the last day for receiving.

The general terms and conditions (as prepared by the Chief Engineer) of the Contract of Agency to run, maintain and work the undertaking of the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited to be purchased by the Corporation of Calcutta, hereinafter referred to as the Corporation have been as follows :—

I. The Corporation intend to purchase from the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited, the entire undertaking belonging to the said Company together with all tramways, plant, machinery, land, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith belonging to the Company on the 1st day of January, 1946, in exercise of the right to purchase the same as vested in them under the Agreement dated the 9th December, 1899 and made between the Corporation and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited as modified by the Agreement dated the 3rd September, 1945, made between them.

II. The Corporation propose to appoint an Agent for running, maintaining, carrying on and working the undertaking and to enter into a contract with him for that purpose inter alia on the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned

1. The Contract shall commence on and from the date of purchase by and delivery to the Corporation of the undertaking and shall be for a period of 30 years, provided always the Corporation shall be entitled to terminate the contract upon the expiration of the 10th, 15th, 20th and 25th year of the contract upon declaring their intention so to do in writing not less than six calender months before the expiration of the said 10th, 15th, 20th and 25th year as the case may be.

2. Subject to the superintendence and control of the Corporation and subject to the directions as may from time to time be given by the Corporation the Agent shall run, maintain, carry on and work the said undertaking including all improvements, additions and extensions thereto in a proper, efficient and workmanlike manner strictly in accordance with the Tramways Acts, laws and rules made thereunder for the time being in force and such other acts, laws and rules as are or may be applicable.

3. The Agent shall maintain all the tramways plant, machinery, land, building, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith in good and serviceable order and condition and shall comply with all requisitions that may be made by the Corporation from time to time in that behalf.

4. The agent shall pay to the Corporation a sum approximately Rs. 4 crores and 50 lakhs as and by way of *salami* the exact amount to be determined by the Corporation on or before the execution of the formal agreement mentioned in Clause VII hereof and shall also furnish security to the Corporation for a sum approximately Rs. 50 lakhs.

5. Save as otherwise herein expressly provided the Agent shall bear and pay all costs and expenses, capital working or otherwise for running and working the undertaking in a proper, efficient and workmanlike manner, including inter alia all costs necessary for the proper upkeep, repairs maintenance, renewal and replacement of and additions to the tramways, plant, machinery, rolling stock and the electrical equipments thereto and land, buildings, stores and everything connected therewith as also power, traffic and general expenses and other outgoings including compensation for accident and employer's liability insurance.

6(a) The Agent shall on the requisition and at the cost of the Corporation lay and construct tramways on such new route or routes as the Corporation may direct, and provide requisite equipments therefor and on the opening of such tramways for public traffic, the Agent shall pay to the Corporation such annual sum as may be fixed by the Corporation in that behalf.

(b) In the event of the Agent failing to comply with such requisition as aforesaid, it will be lawful for the Corporation to employ any other person for the purpose aforesaid and to make such arrangements as they may think proper.

(c) Any tramway or tramways to be constructed under this clause shall be constructed in accordance with the drawings and specifications to be approved by the Corporation and subject to their superintendence.

7. The cars and carriages to be run under this contract shall be subject to the approval of the Corporation and shall be worked with electric traction by means of overhead and underground wires of such description as may be approved by the Corporation or by such other improved method as the Corporation may decide.

8. The Corporation shall have power at all times to make such regulations as to the rate of speed, number of passengers and mode of use of the said track as the convenience and safety of the public using the streets may require.

9. The fares and tariff of charges at which the Agent shall be bound to carry passengers and do other transport work by the tramway system shall be the same as were in force and were charged by the Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd., on 1st October, 1943 and shall be subject to such modification and variation as may from time to time be agreed upon between the Corporation and the Agent.

10. The Agent may for the purpose of constructing and maintaining any tramways under this contract open and break up the soil and pavement of all streets and bridges in the city of Calcutta, and therein lay sleepers and rails, and from time to time repair, alter or remove the same, and may for the purposes aforesaid, remove and use all earth and materials in such streets and bridges and do in and on such streets and bridges all other acts which they shall from time to time deem necessary for constructing and maintaing such tramways subject to the following conditions :—

(a) He shall give to the Corporation notice in writing of his intention to open or break up any such street or bridge specifying the time at which he will begin to do so and the portion of the road proposed to be opened or broken up; such notice to be given at least three days before the commencement of the work.

(b) He shall not open or break up or alter the level of any such street or bridge except under the superintendence and to the reasonable satisfaction of the Corporation for which superintendence the Agent shall pay all reasonable expenses.

(c) He shall not, without the consent of the said Corporation, open or break up at any one time a greater length than a quarter of a mile on any one line of tramway.

(d) He shall, with all convenient speed and in all cases within six weeks at the most, unless the Corporation otherwise consent in writing, complete the work for which the said street or bridge shall be broken up and fill in the ground and make good the surface and to the satisfaction of the Corporation, restore the street or bridge in as good condition as that in which it was before it was opened or broken up, and clear away all surplus materials or rubbish occasioned thereby.

(e) He shall make good all damage done to the gas and water pipes and sewers whether belonging to the Corporation or to private individuals by the disturbance thereof.

(f) He shall in the meantime, when such street or bridge is opened or broken up, cause it to be fenced and watched, and to be properly lighted at night.

11. The Agent shall, at his expense at all times, maintain and keep in good condition and repairs to the reasonable satisfaction of the Corporation, the rails of which any of the tramways shall for the time being consist and also, so much of any such street or bridge whereon any tramways belonging to them is laid as lies between the rails of the tramway, and in the case of double lines or turnouts or sidings the portion of the road between the tramways and in every case so much of the road as extends 18 in. beyond the rails of and on each side of any such tramway, and in the course of carrying out these repairs, it shall not be necessary to give notice thereof to the Corporation.

12. In exercising the powers given to them by clauses 10 and 11 hereof, the Agent shall arrange his work so as to afford the least possible obstruction to the ordinary traffic of the streets, and so as also to admit of as free and unrestricted entry at all times into the sewers through the manholes and lampholes for the time being in use, as is possible under the circumstances, and also so as to enable proper repairs to be made to water or gas pipes by the direction of the Corporation.

13. If the Agent shall commit any breach of clauses 10 and 11 hereof it shall be lawful for the Corporation in their discretion where such breach shall be in the execution of any work or repairs at any time after seven days' notice to the Agent, to do and execute such work or repairs at the cost and expense of the Agent and the certificate of the Chief Engineer of the Corporation as to such cost shall be conclusive.

14. The Agent shall not discontinue to work the existing tramways or the tramways to be hereinafter constructed under this contract or any part thereof without the consent and approval of the Corporation first had and obtained in writing.

15. Upon the termnation of this contract the Agent shall make over to the Corporation the entire tramways, plant, machinery, land, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith is good and serviceable order and condition to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer of the Corporation.

16. On the termination of this contract the Agent shall be entitled to a refund of the amount deposited by him as security with the Corporation for the due performance of this contract. Provided that in case the Agent shall fail to make over to the Corporation the said undertaking in terms of the preceding clause hereof the Corporation will be entitled to deduct out of the said security such sum by way of depreciation as may be determined by the Chief Engineer of the Corporation and the Engineer to be appointed by the Agent.

17. In the event of earlier determination of the contract as contemplated in clause 1 hereof the Agent will in addition to the refund of the security deposit as mentioned in the preceding clause hereof, also be entitled to refund of such sum as bears the same proportion to the sum paid as 'salami' as aforesaid as the number of unexpired years bears to the full term of 30 years.

18. (*a*) The total revenue derived from the undertaking shall be applied as follows :—

(*i*) Firstly, for payment of all usual working expenses and other usual outgoings.

(*ii*) Secondly, for payment of a sum of Rs. 10 lakhs per year towards a fund to be created by the Agent and to be called "Reserve Fund" which shall be utilised for making improvements, renewals and replacements. The balance unspent of such fund at the termination of the contract shall belong to the Corporation.

(*b*) Out of the balance of the said total revenue after the aforesaid payments 50 per cent. shall be paid to the Agent and the balance shall belong to the Corporation and shall be appropriated to the Municipal Fund.

19. The Agent shall indemnify and keep the Corporation indemnified against all loss and damages that the Corporation may suffer, sustain, incur or be liable to by reason or on account of any act or omission on the part of the Agent, his employees and servants or for non-observance and non-performance of any of the conditions herein contained and of the provisions contained in the Tramways Acts and other relevant Acts and rules and byelaws made thereunder for the time being in force or for any maladministration or negligence in running the undertaking.

20. The Agent shall keep and maintain proper books of account in connection with the working of the undertaking under this contract and shall furnish the Corporation with an abstract of such accounts once in every six months and shall upon reasonable request allow the Corporation to inspect and examine the said books of accounts and if necessary, to get them audited by an Auditor to be appointed by the Corporation in this behalf.

21. If the Agent fails or neglects to carry on and work the undertaking according to the terms and conditions contained herein to the entire satisfaction of the Corporation or fails or neglects to perform, observe or comply with any of the provisions herein contained, or if the Agent become insolvent or go into liquidation, then and in any of the said events, the Corporation shall be entitled to determine the contract and take over the undertaking from the Agent without being liable to pay any compensation for such earlier termination to the Agent and without prejudice to any other rights the Corporaion may have against the Agent under the Contract.

III. The tenderer is advised to inspect at the office of the Chief Engineer the Balance Sheets of the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited with a view to get an idea of the possible capital expenditure (*i.e.*, Block Account) and the expected return on the same.

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IV. The tenderer may suggest such modification as he may consider necessary in respect of the terms contained in clauses 17 and 18(b) hereof. The terms contained in the other clauses shall not be varied in any event.

V. Earnest Money: The tenderer shall deposit as earnest money a sum of Rs. 3,00,000 with the Treasurer, Calcutta Municipal Corporation. Only Municipal Debentures or cash will be accepted as payment of earnest money. Earnest money should be paid at least one day before the date of opening the tender.

VI. The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender and reserve the right to negotiate with each and every tenderer, and also to alter or modify the terms herein contained prior to the final acceptance of the tender.

VII. The successful tenderer will have to execute a formal agreement within three months from the acceptance of the tender.

VIII. Interest of Corporation Employees with the Tenderer: No tender shall be accepted from a tenderer in whose business a Corporation Officer or servant has any share or interest directly or indirectly either by himself or his partner, or employer or employee and an accepted tender may be cancelled by the Corporation at any time if such officer or servant is found to have such share or interest either before or after the acceptance of the tender. The tenderer shall make a declaration as to the above in his tender.

IX. Relationship declaration: The tenderer shall make a declaration in the tender as to whether he is related by blood relationship to or is closely connected by marriage with the Mayor, Deputy Mayor or any Alderman or Councillor, or any Officer of the Corporation and if so, the tenderer shall notify in writing such relationship or connection in the tender.



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Medical Men's Role In National Life

Mr. Sarat C. Bose's Address At The Carmichael Medical College Re-Union

THE need for Indians of all religions and creeds feeling that they were Indians first, Indians second and Indians last was stressed by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose opening an exhibition of medicinal products and instruments, organized at Carmichael Medical College grounds, on Wednesday last in connection with the celebration of the 14th session of the College Re-union.

Cent. Per Cent. Indians

Mr. Bose said in the course of his speech :—

"In our public life as well as private life we still are not cent. per cent. Indians. We have to be so. We must feel more and more that we are Indians, that we have a place in the world order. That place may be denied to us for the moment but that place we are destined to fill in the near future. Superstitions of India have an attraction for me. I believe in old-world ideas because the modern world has little attraction for me. I want India of the past back to life."

Admitting the need for modernization, Mr. Bose said that it did not mean however that they should discard the spirit of the past—of service and sacrifice which was India's—the spirit of non-violence which was India's.

Recalling that India had never in the past dipped her hand in her neighbour's blood, Mr. Bose said that she had to do this in the last war but that was in spite of their protest.

"I want India of the past to come back to life with all the modernization which is necessary to make us citizens of the world to-morrow," he added.

Pharmaceutical Industry

Stressing the need for development of pharmaceutical industry, Mr. Bose said that this industry was still in its infancy.

"I should have thought," he said, 'that during the years of war the foundation would have been laid for developing that industry on a scale that it would not be necessary any more to look to other countries for drugs and medicines. Unfortunately that was not done. That would have been done if the country had been our own, if we had a National Government of our own."

Appealing for concerted action to achieve self-sufficiency in this industry, Mr. Bose said:

"You and I in the meantime have to do our best to develop the pharmaceutical industry, to expand it in such a way that our needs may be supplied by our own country. India is an epitome of the world and there is no reason why all our medical needs should not be satisfied by our own country, why a single phial of medicine should be imported from outside.

"There are numerous things which are grown on our soil from which we can meet our own needs I mean that Ayurveda has to be developed and developed by our medical students by patient research so that indigenous medicines which have been lost to us may be revived.

"We are a poor country and the medicines and equipments of the West are priced in such a way that it is difficult for these things to reach the poorest of the poor."

Mr. Bose expressed the hope that the students, after coming out of the College, would contribute their share to the development of pharmaceutical industry so that not only the things that were manufactured in the West would be manufactured in India but also indigenous medicines would be produced in such a way that they might reach the poorest of the poor.

Referring to the organization of a pharmaceutical exhibition in connection with the Re-union Mr. Bose said that pharmaceutical industry was important for the development of the country and the medical profession as a whole.

"I have always believed that the needs of a country can be met out of the same country's soil," he said. "You may call it a superstitious belief but it is there."

NEW DRUG FOR MALARIA

A British Discovery

Britain has a new drug called "Paludrine" which is claimed to be a complete cure for malaria and makes wiping out malaria-carriers in isolated areas possible, announced Dr. D. G. Davey, an Imperial Chemical Industries biologist.

"Paludrine" cured 64 soldiers in 10 days out of 65 who were treated, Dr. Davey says, adding that only Britain had the formula for Paludrine, but that it will be given to the world and made avavilable to the public in 1947.

He appealed to medical and non-medical men to be alive to their duties and responsibilities for the development of pharmaceutical industry.

Explaining the interest he takes in medical education, Mr. Bose said: "I have always felt and I still feel that medical students and medical men are in a sense insurance agents.

"They not only insure their own lives and the lives of their families but they also insure the lives of the wider public, they insure the lives of our children and our children's children, they insure the lives of remote posterity; in short, they insure the life of the nation today and the nation to-morrow."

Slums And Bustees

Pointing to the wretched condition of the slums and bustees, Mr. Bose referred to the achievements of Vienna under the Social Democratic Party for amelioration of the condition of the poor.

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

MOHURRUM CELEBRATIONS

Calcutta Muslims observed the ninth day of Mohurrum in the customary manner on the 15th December last.

Numerous processions carrying multi-coloured "Tazias" and banners, embalazoned with the Crescent of Islam, accompanied by music and cries of "Hassan," paraded the streets throughout the night and up to an early hour of the next day.

For the first time after three years of black-out restrictions, the night sky was lit with the glare of burning torches carried by the processionists. Mock *lathi* fights were also a prominent feature.

Mowlali Darga, where all the processions converged, was a blaze of light and colour. Regulated by the police, the *Akharas*, as the different processions are called, wended their way to Mowlali and after a brief halt there, returned to their mohallas (localities). The streets were thronged with thousands of spectators including many women and children.

SOUTH CLUB SILVER JUBILEE

The Calcutta South Club celebrated its Silver Jubilee in gorgeous manner on Sunday, the 16th December, at their Club courts at the Woodburn Park. The pavillion was illuminated and the entire hard-court was laid out in artistic manner to hold the garden party and in the rear a big *shamiana* was put up to serve the purpose of an auditorium with an improvised stage for oriental and cabaret dancing.

His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey accompanied by Mrs. Casaey attended the function.

Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, after felicitating the Club on its brilliant contribution in the realm of tennis, National and International, observed that the Corporation of Calcutta rendered valuable assistance to the Club most materially by allotting space from a public park for the purpose of a private club, which required considerable thinking and judging. It caused resentments from the public but after seeing what the Club has done, he is pleased to declare that the Corporation's decision was not unwise.

The Club owed, said the Mayor, a great deal to his predecessor-in-office the late Mr. J. M. Sen Gupta, who was largely responsible in making the Corporation agree to allot this space to the South Club. Mr. Sen Gupta was a great Mayor, a great sportsman and above all a great patriot, who played an equally important role in the struggle for liberation of our Motherland.

The Mayor paid high tribute to those who, from the very small beginning made the Club what it is to-day. "My advice to you is—Play the game, play fast, play fair play clean. And in the larger game of life do likewise." concluded the Mayor.

Mr. Brooke Edwards, the Hony. Secretary, on behalf of the All-India Lawn Tennis Associaton felicitated the South Club. He paid great tribute to the Club and being intimately associated with the Institution, he spoke with emotion, that the South Club has done much more than anybody else to draw the map of India in the international tennis.

RICKSHAW STRIKE ENDS

The 15-day rickshaw strike in Calcutta ended and the men returned to work on the 15th December last following an assurance from owners that the daily hire charges would be Re. 1 and As. 14 respectively for new and old vehicles instead of Re. 1-2 and Re. 1 as at present.

SIR BROJENDRA NATH SEAL

High tributes were paid to the memory of Sir Brojendra Nath Seal at a meeting held on the 15th December last at the Brahmo Sammilan Samaj Hall in observance of the 7th death anniversary. The Hon'ble Justice Mr. S. R. Das presided.

After a short prayer Dr. Radha Kumud Mukherjee gave touches from the every day life of Sir Brojendra Nath Seal which were so significantly illuminating of the life lived by the great savant.

Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Bose said that although the proposal of naming a Calcutta street after Sir Brojendra Nath had already been under the slow and lengthy passage of the Calcutta Corporation, he thought that it would but be an insignificant homage to the great savant if something was not done to give the younger generation a knowledge of the rich legacy left by Sir Brojendra Nath.

DEATH OF MR. MANI LAL SEN

The death occurred on the 15th December last at his residence, 44, Ram Kanta Bose Street, of Mr. Manj Lal Sen, a well-known Calcutta Solicitor at the age of 76. He had joined the Calcutta High Court in the year 1898 and he was a solicitor of the Calcutta Corporation from 1904 to 1925 when he retired. He was co-opted a member of the then Legislative Council of Bengal at the time when the Calcutta Municipal Act was sponsored by late Sir Surendranath Banerjee.

The late Mr. Sen was connected with various institutions and was also an active member of the Indian Association, Calcutta Orphanage and Bagbazar Library and was also

EX-ALDERMAN SARAT CH. BOSE ELECTED

To Central Legislative Assembly

Ex-Alderman Sarat Ch. Bose was declared elected to the Central Legislative Assembly from the Calcutta Non-Muhammadan Constituency by securing 7,290 votes as against only 88 votes polled by his opponent ex-Mayor Sanatkumar Roy Chowdhury and 20 votes polled by Mr. Rashbehari Sarkar.

Out of about 16,000 votes in this constituency, 7,438 votes were polled of which 10 were rejected.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

Total mortality during the week ended December 15, was 819, a drop of 29 from the previous week's figure. During the corresponding two weeks last year the average was 1,035.

Cholera also showed a considerable decline, attacks and deaths being 20 and 10, respectively, against 69 and 24 in the preceding week. Last year's average for the corresponding weeks was : attacks 25, deaths 11.

There was no attack and no death from small-pox during the week against one each the week before. In the same period last year attacks averaged 129 and deaths 93.

Malaria caused 27 deaths during the week against 45 the week before. The average for the corresponding period last year was 98.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 120 against 142 the week before.

the President of Maharaja Cassim Bazar Poly-technic school for a long time. He married a daughter of late Mr. Bhupendra Nath Basu, former President of the Indian National Congress, and a former member of India Council in London.

The late Mr. Sen was a very well-known sportsman in the city and was a senior Vice-President of the Mohan Bagan Athletic Club. He was one of the founder-members of the club and captain of the first football team of the Mohan Bagan Club. In cricket, he was a member of the team that played against the visiting Australian side in the eighties. He was a first over-hand bowler in cricket, as during his time all Indians used to bowl under hand He also played for Town Club for some time. He was a great philanthropist and a man of saintly and simple character. He left behind him his widow, two daughters and a son Mr. D. B. Sen who is also a solicitor and a well-known cricketeer in Calcutta.

DEATH OF MR. ANATH GOPAL SEN

The death took place on Sunday night of Mr. Anath Gopal Sen, Private Secretary to the Maharaja of Cossimbazar of heart failure at the age of 59. Mr. Sen had been suffering from heart trouble for some time past and was doing his normal work when suddenly he felt unwell in the evening and expired at night.

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A brilliant student of the Calcutta University the deceased who hailed from Ostogram in Mymensingh, was a well-known figure in Calcutta literary circles. He was an able speaker as well as an efficient writer, and his writings in Bengali on the currency problem extorted admiration of all. He was also a lecturer in economics in the commerce department of the Calcutta University. He was for many years the life and soul of the Milani Club, a well-known social organisation in Calcutta.

In his early life the late Mr. Sen started practice at the Mymensingh bar which he gave up during the Non Co-operation Movement and threw himself heart and soul to national work and courted jail.

He leaves behind his widow, three sons, a married daughter, his mother-in-law Mohini Devi and a wide circle of friends and admirers.

ELECTION TO THE CENTRAL ASSEMBLY.

Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi, the Muslim League candidate, was declared elected to the Central Assembly from the Calcutta and Suburbs Mahommedan Constituency. Mr Siddiqi polled 4580 votes against 520 secured by his opponent, Mr. S. Wajid Ali (Nationalist Muslim).

48 votes were declared rejected and Mr. Wajid Ali forfeited his deposit money.

The total number of votes polled was 4,948.

Two Congress candidates, Mr. N. Mukhopadhyay and Mr. S. S. Sanyal, from Calcutta Suburbs non-Mahommedan and Presidency Division non-Mahommedan constituencies, respectively have been declared elected to the Central Assembly. Their rivals, nominees of the Hindu Mahasabha, lost their deposits.

Mr. Mukhopadhyay secured 10,216 votes against 346 cast in favour of Dr. Shyama Prasad Mookerjee, President, All India Hindu Mahasabha. Dr. Mookerjee, it will be recalled had retired from the contest owing to his illness a few days before the polling.

Mr. Sanyal defeated his rival, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, by 9,751 to 138 votes.

A BRITISH VISITOR IN CALCUTTA

One of Britain's famous scientists is visiting Calcutta this week. He is Dr. Joseph Needham, F.R.S., Sir William Dunn Reader in Biochemistry at Cambridge and specialist in Chemical and Experimental Embryology and Morphology.

For the past two years Prof. Needham has been in China as head of the Sino-British Science Co-operation Bureau. There he was later joined by his wife, Dr. Dorothy Needham also a biochemist, who helped him with the aid of a small band of specialists. She is on her way to England to resume her work at Cambridge.

Prof. Needham will return to China very shortly, there to arrange to hand over to a successor, after which he too will return to England to continue his own research at his parent university.

JOINT MEETING OF THE LABOURERS' UNION ASSOCIATIONS OF THE CALCUTTA CORPORATION

A joint mass meeting of all the labourers' and employees' Unions and Associations of the Calcutta Corporation was held on the 13th December last, just by the side of the Central Municipal Office building under the Presidentship of Councillor Ganapati Sur, and resolutions paying sincere thanks to the Corporation authorities for their kindly granting increased Dearness Allowances and requesting the authorities to apply their best attention and judgment regarding revision of grades, etc., were passed. It was also resolved that the 13th December would be observed every year as "Employees' Victory Day."

Councillor Sur delivered a nice speech regarding demands of the Unions.

MRS. NAIDU AT NARI SEVA SANGHA

High appreciation of the excellent works done by Nari Seva Sangha was made by Mrs. Sarojini Naidu presiding over a women's gathering at the Sangha home at 164, Lansdowne Road on Monday last.

Mrs. Naidu gave her blessing to the workers of the Sangha who had done fine work and hoped that when she would again come she would find the Nari Seva Sangha a real centre for the womanhood of Bengal not only in the material matters of industry but also in high matters of their moral and spiritual uplift. She said that it could not be possible for an organisation like Nari Seva Sangha to forget the tragedy that befell the womenfolk of the province during the last Bengal famine and it should continue its good work. But, for carrying out these works it needed workers and money. She knew it was not difficult for the workers to continue to work in a spirit of earnestness and devotion and she would like that the people of Calcutta and Bengal would help the organisation with money. She did not want Rs. 10,000 from one but she wanted that the same amount be given from a lakh of persons. She appealed to all to give whatever they could for a work that had already proved how it was possible to lift the women who had been beaten and broken to death and to set them on their feet and enable them to win honour, spirit and independence, by their own efforts.

POTATOES IN ABUNDANCE.

In view of the plentiful arrival of potatoes in the Calcutta market during the last few days and the expectation of a still larger supply during the next four months, the Government of Bengal have decided to give up the existing arrangements for the retail sale of potatoes through selected dealers in the Calcutta market says a Press Note.

It is hoped that in a free market the downward tendency of the prices will be maintained. If, however, it is found that the price is artificially kept up by the trade, licensed shops will be restarted.

BURMA RICE FOR BENGAL ARRIVES

The first shipload of Burma rice for Bengal arrived on the 30th November last, at the Kidderpore Docks in the "Urbino" from Rangoon. The ship carried a load of about 7,000 tons of Burma rice.

It will be remembered that the Additional Commissioner of Civil Supplies, Bengal, stated at a Press Conference on the 9th November last, that in addition to quotas from other parts of India, Bengal had received a definite allotment of 100,000 tons from outside India, and that it was hoped that this quota would be materially increased. This shipload is the first instalment of the quota of imports from abroad allotted to Bengal by the Government of India. Two more ships carrying Burma rice are expected to arrive later this month.

The second shipload of Burma rice for Bengal totalling about 7,000 tons arrived in Calcutta on the night of Sunday, the 2nd December, at Kidderpore Docks in the "S. S. San Wingeu."

"STUDY OF INDIAN CULTURE"

At the monthly luncheon of the Milanee at Great Eastern Hotel on the 15th December last, Dr. Kalidas Nag gave a talk on "A study of Indian culture in the last 200 years."

Dr. Nag said that the Royal Asiatic Society would shortly hold the bi-centenary celebration of Sir William Jones, who might be called a truly great champion of "milanee" of men with man, culture with culture. He was born in the year 1746 when dark clouds of war were gathering over Europe and India. The period following the year witnessed a number of great

wars in Europe and the passing of India into the hands of the British. It was the endeavour of Sir William Jones to study Arabic, Persian, Chinese, Sanskrit, Pali, Prakrit and bring out the monumental book on comparative linguistics which brought the European culture in close touch with the great Asiatic culture, particularly with the Indian culture. Through his efforts he had built up the imperishable monument of the science of Indology which consisted essentially of the comparative philosophy, literature, and comparative mythology of the Asiatic and European culture. The gateway of the Asiatic culture had been opened to him through the two great languages—Persian and Sanskrit. Sir William Jones died in 1792.

Concluding Dr. Nag appealed to the members to form themselves into groups and study the great Asiatic and Indian lore.

DONATIONS BY BIRLA FAMILY

Donations amounting to Rs. 1,00,000 for scholarships to Bengalee students, tenable for four years, have been announced by the Birla family on the occasion of the marriage of Mr. Ganga Prasad Birla, son of Mr. B. M. Birla, with Srimati Vimala, daughter of Mr. Motilal Jhawar.

The ceremony was solemnized at the residence of the bride's father in Calcutta on the 12th December last.

STATUE OF LORD DUFFERIN

As it is considered probable that the position of the Lord Dufferin statue which was moved from the Red Road when the latter was taken over for war purposes was such as to obstruct traffic, the statue will not for the present be replaced. The Provincial Government will, after taking observations, decide whether the statue shall be replaced in its original position or elected on a new site.



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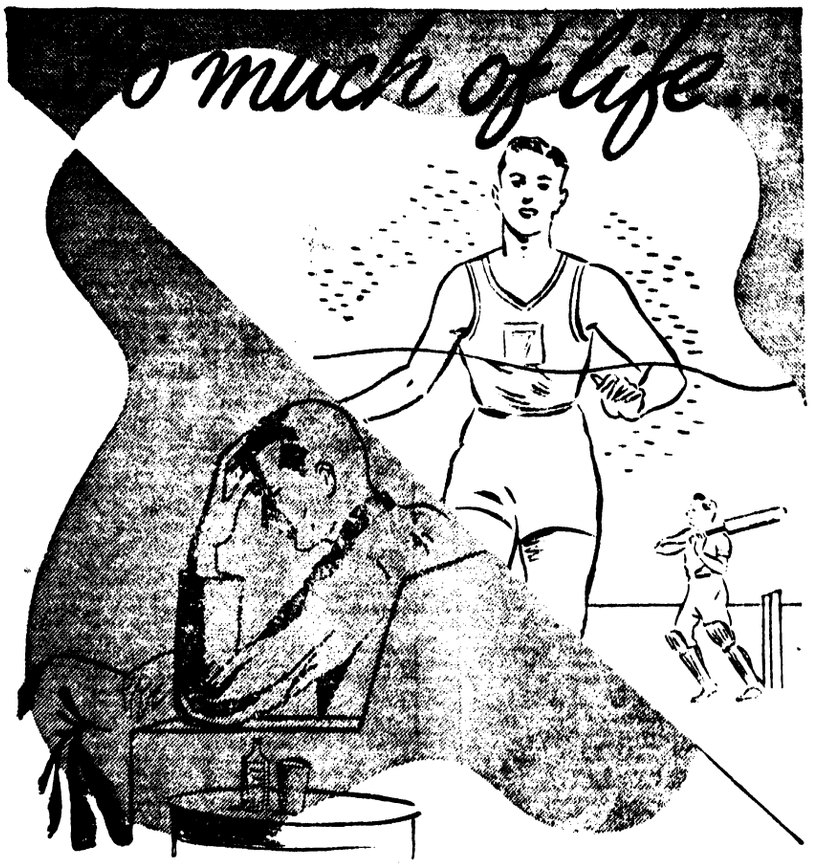
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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 15th December, 1945.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN AND SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 819 against 848 and 909 in the two proceeding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 216. The general death-rate of the week was 16.91 per mile.

Town (Wards 1—27).

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 15th December, 1945 was 690 against 725 and 789 in the two preceding weeks. There were 9 deaths from cholera against 24 and 14 in the two preceding weeks. There was nil death from small-pox during the week against 1 in the previous week. There were 4 deaths from influenza against nil in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 49 and 89 respectively against 76 and 97 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 16.27 per mille per annum.

There were 24 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 15.70.

There were 148 deaths from respiratory diseases against 130 in the previous week.

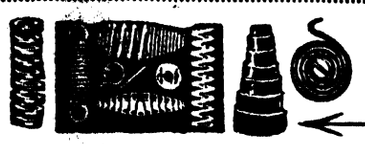
There were 34 deaths from tuberculosis against 44 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32).

The number of deaths registered was 129 against 124 and 120 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 1 was from cholera, nil from small-pox, nil from influenza, 23 from fevers 18 from bowel-complaints and 19 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 21.42 per mille.

There was 1 imported death. Excluding these, the death-rate was 21.26.

There were 4 deaths from tuberculosis against 9 in the previous week.



CORPORATION NOTICES

Warehouse License

The Government of Bengal, under the powers conferred on them by Section 40 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, 1893 (Bengal Act 1 of 1893) have declared that any building or place within Calcutta as defined in clause (11) of Section 3 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923 (Bengal Act III of 1923), which is used for the storing or keeping of rubber, asphaltum, candle and wax in any form, shall be a warehouse within the meaning of and shall be subject to the operation of the said Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, 1893. It has also been declared by the Government of Bengal, under the powers conferred on them by sub-section (2) of Section 45 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, 1893, that within the limits of Calcutta as defined in clause (11) of Section 3 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, (Bengal Act III of 1923) the following shall be deemed to be a small quantity of rubber, asphaltum, candle and wax in any form within the meaning of the said Act.

1. Rubber and Asphaltum—25 mds.
2. Candle and Wax in any form—2½ cwts.

Persons and firms storing the above articles exceeding the small quantity are required immediately to apply for license to the undersigned under the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act with a plan in duplicate of the place of storage drawn to a scale of 8 ft. to an inch and take out license under the said Act.

S. GHOSHAL,
License Officer.

Central Municipal Office.
The 18th December, 1945.

Drain Land Closed

Notice is hereby given for the information of the public that in pursuance of a resolution passed by the Corporation at their meeting held on the 22nd November, 1944, in exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 252 of the Calcutta Municipal Act III B.C. of 1923, the portion of the public drain land lying to the north and east of premises No.. 138, Karaya Road in Ward 20, measuring about 3/4 kottah has been permanently closed with effect from the date of Corporation resolution noted above.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 17th December, 1945.

Drain Land Closed

Notice is hereby given for the information of the public that in pursuance of a resolution passed by the Corporation at their meeting held on the 10th May, 1944, in exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 252 of the Calcutta Municipal Act III B.C. of 1923, the filled-up drain land, excluding portion affected by the Corporation alignment, adjoining premises Nos. 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 69, 71, 73 77 and 79, Palm Avenue and 37, Bondel Road in Ward No. 21 and delineated in the map or plan prepared in this behalf and thereon coloured green, has been permanently closed with effect from the date of Corporation resolution noted above.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 17th December, 1945.

Plumbing Examination

Re. holding a House Drainage Contractor's License under Chapter XVIII of the Calcutta Municipal Act of 1923.

It is hereby notified that the above Examination will be held on Friday, the 4th January, 1946, at 1 p.m. at the District No. II, Engineer's Office, at 22, Mirzapur Street. An Examination Fee of Rs. 15 (which on no account shall be refunded) shall have to be deposited with the District No. II Engineer's Office, at 22, Mirzapur Street, on or before Thursday, the 3rd January, 1946, by each candidate, failing which the candidate will not be allowed to sit for the Examination. Intending candidates should submit three copies of photographs, together with a certificate from a licensed plumber, showing that they have undergone practical training for a period of three years under him. Each candidate shall bring his own drawing instruments, pen and pencils and shall produce the cash receipt for the deposit of Examination Fee at the Examination Hall.

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II.

District Eng.'g II Office,
The 18th December, 1945.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received for the registration of the names of Messrs. Jagannath P. Singh, Jogendra P. Singh and Jagadish P. Singh, sons of Mr. Bechu Singh, as occupiers of stall No. 26 in Block D and that of Mr. Bechu Singh as occupier of stall No. 27 in Block D in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market in place of Messrs Issar Singh and Bechu Singh, the recorded occupiers of both the above stalls. Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette*.

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S. S. Hogg Market,
The 21st November, 1945.

S. S. Hogg Market

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that goods seized in the branch office of Messrs. Dominion Bank Ltd., situated at Stall No. 9 in Block 'New Building' in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market, in pursuance of a Distress Warrant issued for non-payment of rent and additional rent due from them in respect of the above stall, will be sold by public auction at 12 noon on the 29th December, 1945.

P. C. BHATTACHARJEE,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market.
The 18th December, 1945.

Final Electoral Rolls

Bengal Legislative Assembly

The public are hereby informed that fresh electoral rolls for the Calcutta North (General), Calcutta East (General), Calcutta West (General), Calcutta Central (General), Calcutta South (General) and Calcutta South (General) constituencies of the Bengal Legislative Assembly have been revised and finally published on the 19th December, 1945, under the Bengal Legislative Assembly Electoral (Preparation, Revision and Publication of Electoral Rolls) Rules, 1936.

A complete set of the rolls for the said constituencies can be inspected either at the Chief Presidency Magistrate's Office, 2, Bankshall Street, Calcutta, or at the Central Municipal Office (Election Department), Calcutta, and copies of such rolls are available for purchase at the Records Department of the Calcutta Corporation at the Central Municipal Office.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.
Calcutta Corporation.
(Registering Authority).

Central Municipal Office,
The 19th December, 1945.

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PARK CIRCUS MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				
A—3	0 8 0	Do.	...	...	...

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—8 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 283-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

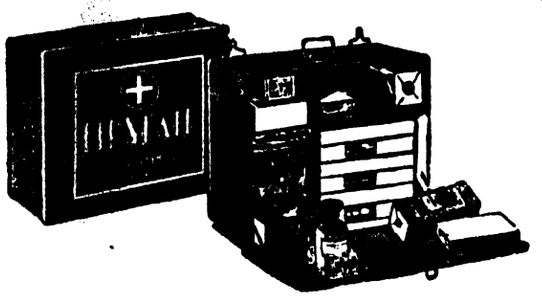
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
B. (New) ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-2	8 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	3 10 0	Do
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhanguar ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhetki ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Parsey ...	0 2 0	
Crab each		
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl's eggs ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (Freneh) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer ...		0 10 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Rauchi) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. (Country) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Turnip ...		0 10 0
*Carrot ...		0 12 0
*Beetroot ...		0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 12 0	1 0 0
,, (Darjeeling) per seer (Contd.)	0 10 0	
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each —	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—8 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score —	1 0 0	
Oranges 8 to 16 —	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 12 0
Sugarcane each -	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate —	1 8 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,, —		
Ghee Lakhee —		
Do. Bhadwa —	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree ...	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,, —		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1 —		
Atta Brown per seer —	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar ,, ...	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb. —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Gur (Dates) per seer —	0 10 0	
,, (Sugarcandy) ,, —	0 12 0 (Ration Shop)	
Suji —	0 8 0 (Con.)	
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ...	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga ,, ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,, ...	0 6 6	
Biuli ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
,, (Sona) per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Mattar ,, ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) ,, ...	0 2 9	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. —	1 6 0	
Coal ,, ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. ...		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley —		
Cobra Boot Polish ...	0 12 0	1 0
Jelly —		

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET
Rates quoted on the 19th December, 1945

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted peer seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb —	3 12 0	4 12 0		

MUTTON.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Chops per seer ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat —	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamón Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, —		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 8 0	4 10 0

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ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chicken (Broth) . (8oz)	1 8 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 8 0	3 14 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 14 0	4 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	4 0 0
Goose ,, ...	24 0 0	26 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	55 0 0	70 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	30 0 0	40 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) ...	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 8 0	2 14 0
Fowls, fresh, per score	2 14 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) per score	3 4 0	4 0 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	6 0 0	7 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 10 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score	1 4 0	1 12 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 14 0	1 0 0
Ginger ,, ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Do. (Large) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Onions, (New) per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. ,, white ,,	1 13 0	1 15 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan —		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...		
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	15 0 0	18 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0.
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	0

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Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra —	0 14 0	1 8 0
Do. Country per seer —		
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 3 6	0 4 6
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	0 4 6
Do. (Simla) per seer	1 8 0	2 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	1 8 0	2 4 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 14 0	1 12 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 14 0	1 12 0

Do. Simla ,, ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,, —	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...		
Do. Kidney hill per seer	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital —	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 4 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,		
Do. Ranchi ,,	1 0 0	1 8 0
Do. Shillong ,,	1 0 0	1 8 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 14 0	1 2 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tarai per seer —		
Kankrole per seer —		

Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)	24 0 0	26 0 0
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...		
Do. Golapkhash —		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 10—16 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 16—20	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Siugapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Calasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 8—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 8—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rose Apple per score —		
Sofata 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score —		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb. ..		
Tamarind per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each —		
Do. Kabul —	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer —		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. pecket ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— 9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 2, 5 & 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 8	Betel leaves.
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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,, ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,, ...	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	4 0 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) ,, ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	5 0 0	6 0 0
Cutla per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut pieces) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Rohi per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 4 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Butter fish per seer ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) ...	2 14 0	3 8 0
Lobster ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Mackerel ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Gajal (Entire) ...		
Shrimp per seer ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,, ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,, ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland ,, ...		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unmixed, ,,		
Cream per lb. ...	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red ,, ,, ...		
Wheat ,, ,, ...		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) ,, ...		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) ...		
Rice per seer (retail) ...		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer ...		
Chinisakkar per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,, ...		
Kamini rice ,, ...		
Palmal (table) per seer ...	0 10 0	
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer ...		0 9 0
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 0
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer ...		
Arahar ,, ...		0 12 0
Chola ,, ...		0 8 0
Khari Masoor ,, ...		0 13 0
Khasari ,, ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) ,, ...		0 13 0
*Salt ...		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. ,, ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. ,, ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,, ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) ...	1 1 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk ...	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,, ...	0 0 6	
80 ,, ,, ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md.	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	0 13 0	0 14 0 to 1 0 0
Halud ,, ...	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. ...	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet ...		
Milk Chocolates slab ...		
Assorted Chocolates per lb.		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins ,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb. ...	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. ...	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin ...		
Nice 2 lb. tin ...		
Petit Beurre tin ...		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese ...		
Gem ...		
Gem Iced ...		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. ...		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) ...		
Marie ...		
Milk ...		
Mixed (Household) ...		
Nice ...		

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.		
Nimki —		
Petit Beurre —		
School ...		
Thin Arrowroot „ ...		
Water „ —		
Zoological —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin.		
Cow & Gate Milk Food ...		
Cow & Gate Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk—		
per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only ...	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 5 ...	0 2 0	
Dereszke per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pkt.	0 6 0	2 0 0
„ „ (magnum)		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50		4 0
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 ...	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 36 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.				
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0			
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —				
Soups, Assorted Small tin				
Tart Fruits, Bott. —				
Isinglass per pkt.				
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —				
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 3 0			
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...				
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin				
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0			
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —				
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle				
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb.				
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...				
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...				
Indian Oats per tin. ...				
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —			Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —			0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...			1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box				1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...			2 4 0	3 15 0
*Bisurated Magnesia,large			1 12 0	
*Elerman's Embrocation			1 8 0	
*Zam-Buk —			1 2 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm			1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...			1 6 0	1 14 0
*Sloan's Liniment ...			2 11 0	
*Kruschen Salt ...				
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin			0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „			1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „			2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „			4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „			24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag			125 12 0	
PAINTS.				
Enamel Paint English per doz.				
Do. (India) per doz.				
Do. (Japanese) „				

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PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 7th November, 1945.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Jhinishakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...	0 6 0	
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Biswaswar) ...		4 6 0
Do. (Buffalo) ...		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 0
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,, —		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes (Control) ...		0 10 0
Gauhati ...		
Madras ...		

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Brinjal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas —		
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...		
Ginger ...		0 10 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —		
Prawns —	1 4 0	2 0 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab per pair —		
Koi —	2 8 0	3 3 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 4th December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE.		
Gawa per seer ...		*6 0 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
*Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) ...		0 6 0
*Atta		0 5 0
*Do. B — ...		
*Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 0
FRUITS.		
Apples 4—8 —		1 0 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 10—25 ...	1 6 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		8 0 0
Dates Arab —	1 4 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati 6—8 ...		
Mango 2 ...		
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Potatoes New ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Potatoes (Gauhati & Madras) Controlled	0 10 0	
Brinjal —	0 8 0	0 4 0
Ginger —		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pona ,, }	1 12 0	
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }		2 4 0
Bagda ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki ,, —	1 12 0	
Crab (each) —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		2 4 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		2 0 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Crackers		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats ...		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

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PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 19th December, 1945

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	2 6 0	
Fowls „ —	2 10 0	
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 0 6	0 1 6
Ladies finger per seer —	0 12 0	
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 0	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer		0 12 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer		
Do. (controlled) ...	0 8 0	
Do. Madrasi „ ...		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country ... —		
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	1 4 0	
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 8 0	
Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 14 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ ...	0 8 0	
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 12 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bubokhara per seer ...	2 8 0	
Apricot „ ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 4 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	3 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	2 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ..		
Jamrul „ „ —		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		0 8 0
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer —		0 8 0
Safata 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel ...		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	12 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 2—3 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—20 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—25 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Peata Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	}	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—16 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 12 0	1 8 0
Peaches ..		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 8 0	
Bedana (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...		
Do. Sultuna „ ...	2 8 0	
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...		6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...		3 8 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		3 2 0
Mazafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...		2 0 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Galda ...	2 0 0	

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) „ ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker—		
Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan—		
Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk „		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 8 6	Controlled shortage
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 3rd October, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsay ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 8 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	...	3 0 0
Mutton „ ...	...	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	3 0 0	3 2 0
Fowl's eggs ...	3 0 0	3 2 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —	...	...
Brinjal „ ...	0 6 0	
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 12 0	
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —		1 4 0
Cucumber per score —	1 8 0	0 12 0
Ginger per seer ...	...	1 4 0
Garlic „ —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Green Chilly ...		0 8 0
Onion „ ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 8 0	
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —	1 0 0	
Grapes —		1 8 0
Alubokhora per seer ...		
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond „ ...	2 8 0	
Lime per score ...	0 1 6	0 3 0
Orange 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 8 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras „ ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk „		0 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana „ ...	0 6 0	
Masoor „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai „ ...	0 7 0	
Biuli „ ...		
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
„ (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor „	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) „	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal „ (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel „ —	3 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 19th December, 1945

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Silong —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Lobster —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton „ —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid „ —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —		2 3 0
Fowl's Eggs „ —		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled). ...	0 12 0	
Brinjal „ —	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (English ...	0 8 0	
Cauliflour „ „ —	0 5 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
Do. (Nainital) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score —	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer —		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) „ —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi „ —	0 8 0	
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 0 0	0 12 0
Ladies finger „ —		
Raddish „ —	0 3 0	
Squash „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White „ „ —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —	0 10 0	Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra „ —		
Amra (Belati) per score —		
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes „ —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz. —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) „ —	0 8 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee „ —		
Do. Bhadwa „ —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree „ —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Cooperative) per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 8 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat „ ...	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
„ „ „ "B"	0 6 0	
„ „ „ "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) „ —		
Do. (Atap) „ —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) „	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil „ (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana „ —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree „ —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai „ —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli „ —	0 7 0	0 6 0
Mug Katch „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) „ —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor „ —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) „ —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 8 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET

Rates quoted on the 25th September, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	2 12 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)		3 0 0
Bilong	2 8 0	
Lobster	2 0 0	
Bagda		
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	2 8 0	3 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	
Cauliflower		
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 3 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	1 4 0	
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer		
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each	0 6 0	3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 4 to 6	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos.	0 8 0	
Papaya each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Pineapple ,,	0 3 0	0 8 0
Plums per score	0 4 0	0 12 0
Raisins	0 3 0	0 6 0
Roseberry per score	2 8 0	3 0 0
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer	0 2 0	
Walnut ,,	0 1 3	2 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100	4 0 0	6 0 0
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10	1 0 0	
Langra 4—8	1 0 0	
Bombay 6—8	1 0 0	
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fatli 4—6		
Prnes-S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,	0 10 0	0 11 0
Bhanga	0 10 0	
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,		
Do. (Sona) ,,		
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 9
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 10 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
36A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
32 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
2 Stall	25 0 0 (Monthly)				
27	0 0 Daily				

N. M. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
13	8 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
" 89C	0 10 0	Do.
" 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
" 52	0 6 0	Do.
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
" 57	0 6 0	Do.
Cocoanut Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
" 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
" 30	0 4 0	Do.
" 31	0 4 0	Do
" 39—40	1 0 0	Do
" 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	4 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	8 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range		
" 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Do.
" 42		Kerosene Oil.
" 43	28 0 0	Misc. goods.
" 32	35 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 58	43 0 0	
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-130		
" 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg 4	1 8 0	Egg
" 9	0 8 0	Do
" 10	0 8 0	Do
" 18	0 8 0	Do
" 19	0 8 0	Do
" 25	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
" 35	0 4 0	Do
" 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. N. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 33	0 5 6	Do.
" 57	0 5 6	Do
" 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
" 38	0 5 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		
" 3 & 6	0 4 0	Suet
	0 5 0	Do
" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range		
" 2	0 8 0	Betel
" 12	1 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee
" 13—14	1 0 0	Mustard Oil
" 86	1 12 0	Miscellaneous Goods.

A few srat spaces are available. Apply to Market office for terms & conditions

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 8 0	Vegetables
						30 ,,	0 8 0	,,
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 8 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS







(Inside Municipal Markets)

Marks for
BUFFALO MEAT







BEEF







MUTTON







VEAL

(Outside Municipal Markets)







Marks for
COW & BUFFALO MEATS







Marks for
SHEEP & GOAT MEATS

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THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

A SHORT RECORD OF THE MORE IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF AND DISCUSSIONS AT THE CORPORATION MEETING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 4, 1946

Purchase Of The Tramways Undertaking

Company Cancels The Contract Under Which Corporation Was To Purchase It

A letter from the Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd.,—informing the Corporation that in view of the fact that the Corporation had been unable to obtain assent of all parties concerned in the matter of purchase of the tramways undertaking, namely, Howrah and South Suburban municipalities, Calcutta Port Commissioners and the Government of India; to obtain enactment of proposed legislation in regard to formation of a Transport Board, or to obtain the moneys necessary for the payment of the purchase price under terms of the contract, the contract under which it was to purchase the tramways from January 1, 1946, was cancelled and the arbitration should not be proceeded with,—was placed before the House by the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, at the meeting held on Wednesday, the 2nd January, 1946

The Company's letter was received by the Chief Executive Officer on Wednesday, and could not hence be included in the agenda for the meeting fixed for that date.

At the suggestion of the Mayor, the House decided to hold a Special Meeting on Monday, the 7th January, next for consideration of the Company's letter.

AT a Special Meeting held on Friday, the 28th December last, the Corporation had considered:

(1) the letter of the Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd., regarding the purchase price of the undertaking;

(2) the question raised by the Commissioners for the New Howrah Bridge regarding assignment of the benefit of the contract between them and the Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd., in connection with the purchase of the undertaking;

(3) the tenders received for the appointment of an Agent to run, maintain and work the Tramways undertaking.

PRICE DISPUTE REFERRED TO ARBITRATION

The Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd., having failed to accept the Corporation Chief Engineer's valuation, the dispute as to the proper purchase price for the undertaking was referred to arbitration in terms of an agreement entered into between the Corporation and the Company.

The Corporation had appointed Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose as its arbitrator, while the Company appointed Mr. W. J. Younie of Messrs. Price, Waterhouse, Peat & Co. as its arbitrator in the matter.

The arbitration proceedings were to commence very soon.

The legal question raised by the Commissioners of the New Howrah Bridge related to whether the Corporation possessed statutory authority to fulfil the terms of the agreement between the Commissioners and the Tramways Company.

The Chief Executive Officer in his letter in reply maintained that the Corporation had such authority. The action of the Chief Executive Officer was approved by the Corporation.

The Mayor informed the House that the Public Utilities and Markets Committee was considering the four tenders already offered to run, maintain and work the undertaking of the Tramways after the undertaking was purchased by the Corporation.

The Committee was directed to conclude its deliberations and place its recommendations before the Corporation soon.

THE QUESTION OF CORPORATION'S AUTHORITY TO RUN TRAMWAYS ON NEW HOWRAH BRIDGE

The Price Dispute

The Corporation at its meeting held on the 6th December last approved the valuation made by the Officiating Chief Engineer of the Calcutta Tramways undertaking at Rs. 3,69,35,200 and decided that the Company be informed of the said valuation.

The Corporation also resolved that in the event of the Company not accepting the said sum the difference or dispute be referred to arbitration as provided in Clause 11 of the agreement dated the 3rd September and that Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose be nominated and requested to act as Arbitrator on behalf of the Corporation in the matter.

In pursuance of the above resolution the Calcutta Tramways Company was addressed accordingly. In reply, the Company informed the Corporation that the matter had been referred to the Home Board for instructions.

As the Company under instructions from the London Board of Directors failed to accept the valuation made on behalf of the Corporation, the Chief Executive Officer called upon the Company to appoint its own Arbitrator.

When the Company's letter declining the proposed purchase price computed by the Corporation, along with all the correspondence on the subject that had passed between the Chief Executive Officer and the Company, was placed before the House, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that another letter had been received from the Tramways Company intimating that they had appointed Mr. W. J. Younie as their Arbitrator.

It may be recalled that the Corporation offered Rs. 3,69,35,200 as the purchase price of the Tramways undertaking which was not accepted by the Company who valued their property at Rs. 8,51,59,075.

The letters written by the Chief Executive Officer to the Calcutta Tramways Co. Ltd., were recorded.

New Howrah Bridge

With regard to the question whether the Corporation had the statutory authority to run tramways on the New Howrah Bridge, a bunch of correspondence passed between the Chief Executive Officer and the New Howrah Bridge Commissioners. The Corporation approved the contents of the letters written by the Chief Executive Officer.

The Commissioners of the New Howrah Bridge had no objection to the Tramways Company assigning the agreement to the Corporation provided the latter were able to satisfy them that the municipality possessed statutory authority to fulfil the terms of the agreement. They suggested that the Corporation should obtain the Advocate-General's opinion in addition to the legal opinion already sent by them.

The Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, said that he had replied to the Howrah Bridge Commissioners' letter pointing out that the question whether the Corporation had the statutory authority to fulfil the terms of the agreement did not concern the Commissioners. It was a matter between the Corporation and the Tramways Company.

TO OUR READERS AND WELL-WISHERS

The "Calcutta Municipal Gazette" extends its warm felicitation to its readers, advertisers and well-wishers on the approach of a NEW YEAR that hails in peace and prosperity after long and dark years of war, famine and pestilence.

Tenders For Corporation Agent

Consideration of the tenders received by the Corporation in response to its advertisement for an Agent to run the Tramways undertaking on behalf of the municipality from 1st January, 1946 was postponed.

The House was informed that the Public Utilities and Markets Standing Committee which was considering the tenders, had not yet concluded its deliberations.

The Corporation had received the following tenders for the appointment of an Agent to run, maintain and work the undertaking of the Calcutta Tramways Company :—

Transport Syndicate (6, Old Post Office Street), Anandram Gajadhar (51, Vivekananda Road), Ballygunge Building Society Ltd. (220-A, Rash Behari Avenue) and S. K. Roy & Co. (2, Dalhousie Square, East).

EX-COUNCILLOR A. C. BANERJEE

The Corporation condoled the death of Mr. A. C. Banerjee, who was a Commissioner of the old Corporation for about 20 years and was also a Councillor of the new Corporation for a term. As a mark of respect to his memory, the House adjourned for 15 minutes.

The death occurred on the 26th December last at the Calcutta residence of Ex-Councillor A. C. Banerjee.

Mr. Banerjee was for some time a member of the old Bengal Legislative Council. During the anti-partition movement he was one of the Chief Lieutenants of the late Sir Surendranath Banerjea. He was also connected with many other public associations.

Born in 1886, he was called to the English Bar in 1890, and was for many years an Assessor of the Calcutta Improvement Trust Tribunal. He is survived by his only son, Mr. Abani Banerjee, Barrister-at-Law.

The Mayor while referring to the death of Mr. Banerjee recalled his valuable services to the Corporation.

Cancellation Of Contract

A letter of the Tramways Company under the signature of its Agent, dated the 2nd January, 1946, and addressed to the Chief Executive Officer, was received on the 2nd January, the day for which the Corporation meeting was fixed. The letter stated *inter alia* :—

"We have to bring to your notice the fact that, since the Corporation of Calcutta has been unable to obtain the assents mentioned in Paragraph 7 of the Contract, dated the 3rd September, 1945, or to obtain the enactment of the legislation to which reference is made in Paragraph 8 of such Contract, or to obtain the money necessary for the payment of the purchase price under such Contract, the Contract is cancelled in terms of Clause 8 thereof.

"We have, therefore, to request that since by reasons of this fact the submission under which the arbitrators were appointed is also cancelled, the said arbitration should not be proceeded with.

"We shall be glad to have your acknowledgment and your assurance that no steps will be taken in the arbitration.

"Our solicitors, Messrs. Orr Dignam and Co., have this day intimated the above facts to the arbitrators and stated that they will of course be pleased to appear before the arbitrators if the latter desire to put any questions with a view to elucidating further facts in consequence of which the Contract is cancelled."

The provisions which the Corporation had failed to comply with referred to obtaining consent from the Government of India to run the tramways on Government land and on the New Howrah Bridge, to get enacted legislation as was necessary to enable the Corporation to purchase and run the tramways. It was also said that the money which was necessary for the purchase of the undertaking was also not available.

Placing the letter before the House the Mayor said that after this letter the Corporation was to decide what course of action the Chief Executive Officer would take in the matter. He suggested the holding of an emergent meeting for coming to a decision.

Law Officer's Opinion

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul suggested that the Law Officer's opinion on the matter should be made available to the members when they met on the next occasion to consider the matter.

The Law Officer should also be asked to give his opinion as to whether the objection of the Port Commissioners could at all interfere with the right of Corporation to purchase the tramways undertaking.

The Mayor assured Councillor Paul that the Law Officer's opinion would be obtained and circulated among the members.

The House then decided to hold a Special Meeting on Monday, the 7th January next for consideration of the Company's letter.

BENGAL PUBLIC HEALTH SCHEME

Sir Dalal's Discussions

Sir Adeshir Dalal, Member for Planning and Development, Government of India, who left Calcutta on the 25th December last had discussed on development plans with the Bengal Government officials

After detailed discussion of the agricultural schemes, the medical and public health schemes, particularly anti-malaria measures, were considered. The necessity of re-organizing the Public Health Department to cope with the public health measures required in the Province was emphasized. The education plans were then discussed.

Sir Ardeshir suggested that an industrial plan for the Province should be prepared, not so much with the idea of the Provincial Government taking a share in the management of the industries, but to help and guide industrial development in Bengal.

GOVERNMENT DIRECTIVES TO CORPORATION—II

(*Continued from the Issue of 22nd December, 1945*)

The proposal moved by Councillor Dr. Sinha was read out and the same was seconded by Councillor Dr. M. N. Sarker.

COUNCILLOR A. SATTAR

Councillor Abdus Sattar referring to the 2nd paragraph of the Corporation resolution dated the 23rd March last opined that Government be informed that all that was possible was being done.

COUNCILLOR J. L. SAHA

Whereupon Councillor Jogindra Lal Saha calling attention of the House to the 3rd paragraph of the resolution, dated the 23rd March, pointed out that the Corporation should also draw the attention of Government for payment of their dues to the Corporation.

Councillor Rafique suggested reiteration of the previous resolution of the House.

"SUPERIOR GOVERNMENT CAUGHT US NAPPING"

—S. M. USMAN

The Mayor having, in answer to questions regarding Councillor Dr. Sinha's motion, declared the same to be perfectly in order, Councillor S. M. Usman said that they were simply evading their duty. If they really meant business, they should devise ways and means for the betterment of the city. "We are shirking our duty. Superior Government caught us napping."

Councillor Usman blamed the Corporation executives for not carrying out their duties. He said that the assessment department had become a serious scandal and that was why the Corporation could not find out means to carry out the directives in spite of the fact that provision had been made for them in the budget.

COUNCILLOR J. H. METHOLD

Councillor J. H. Methold thought that the Corporation was in default in carrying out the directives. They should ask the executive to carry out the directives as quickly as possible.

The money, he said, must be found out and incomplte work should be finished as quickly as possible to prevent any eventuality.

COUNCILLOR J. A. PARKS

Councillor J. A. Parks said that if they passed the resolution as moved by Councillor Dr. Sinha they would simply be asking Government to take over the Corporation immediately.

Councillor Parks proposed to direct the Chief Executive Officer to inform Government in detail what action had so far been taken by the Corporation and what actions could not be taken due to lack of funds and to enquire to what extent Government were prepared to assist the Corporation in implementing the directives.

"CORPORATION HAD BEEN CONDEMNED UNHEARD"

—D. MOOKERJEE

Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee complained that the Corporation had been condemned unheard. Government were fully aware that the Corporation had to tide over a crisis of a magnitude which had not taken place during the recent, if not also the past, history of the Corporation.

"Why this nasty haste on the part of Government to drive us to a corner and put their feet down upon us when Government themselves are not prepared to help us tide over our difficulties?"—Councillor Mookerjee asked. After the issue of the directives, the Corporation tried its best to implement them, but Government did not come forward with a helping hand which the Corporation expected of them.

COUNCILLOR M. A. H. ISPAHANI

Councillor M. A. H. Ispahani said that the Corporation should admit that it was in default. It could, however, point out to Government the difficulties that stood in the way of proper execution of the directives.

COUNCILLOR A. A. WISE

Councillor A. A. Wise observed that the Corporation had not fulfilled its obligation as it should have done. But as there was no necessity of washing the dirty linen, he appealed to the Councillors of all parties to get together and work as a team.

COUNCILLOR P. S. BASU

Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Basu complained that the Corporation had always received stepmotherly treatment from Government, although it had been doing its duties consistent with the funds available.

He mentioned that during the period of war the Corporation had supplied water not only to the people of the city but also to a large number of military personnel. Still, Government had not given a copper for that. From 1888 up till to-day Government had been giving only Rs. 4,100 to the Corporation for the maintenance of the fire brigade, whereas the revenues out of amusement tax, motor vehicles tax, sales tax, etc., went fully, or in major portions, to the Government coffer.

COUNCILLOR B. K. BANERJI

Councillor Bejoy Kumar Banerji, accounting for the slow progress of the Corporation work, recited the various difficulties lying before the institution. And the worst of all, it was impossible to find money.

"ACKNOWLEDGE MISTAKE AND ASK FOR HELP"

—A. R. SIDDIQI

Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi, characterising the Government letter as damaging to the Corporation, observed that the House must find out how best their civic rights could be safeguarded.

Referring to the Mayor's statement regarding the Government letter being an *ex parte* document, he pointed out that the Chief Executive Officer's report did not support the Mayor's contention.

"I never hold the Corporation in high esteem," said Alderman Siddiqi. "Its birth took place in politics in the days of C. R. Das, who took charge of it."

A municipality or a Corporation was a subordinate body, and, therefore, such a subordinate body had to accept directives and had to submit to the superior body, Government. No Corporation could claim complete independence from Government. During the last two years Government had given the Corporation perhaps a crore of rupees in various ways but its progress had been the progress of a rake.

Government had condoned crime after crime; dishonesty after dishonesty. The Corporation had become a sink of immorality, dishonesty and a stink to the nostrils of the rate-payers. The Corporation had come to a state of bankruptcy because of its incapability.

Had the rate-payers paid their rates correctly, he believed the Corporation would have received a crore of rupees more. Alderman Siddiqi charged that the Corporation officers were neglectful of their duties.

Alderman Siddiqi suggested, as the case was, that they should admit that they had gone wrong. That would be honest. The courageous attitude for them to adopt would be to acknowledge their mistake and ask Government to extend a helping hand in an effort to re-build their position.

He asked the House to accept Councillor Parks' motion.

"We Are Prepared To Go Out"
—S. C. Ray Chaudhuri

Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, calling attention of the House to the occasional visits of Alderman Siddiqi for blaming the executives and abusing the fellow Councillors, remarked that the game was started by the Muslim League Ministry, during the time they held office, with a view to supersede the Corporation. During that time the Corporation demand for a little amendment in the Municipal Act for facilitating the purchase of the tramways was refused by Sir Nazimuddin. They also persistently opposed the acquisition of the tramways.

In view of the fact that it was Government alone who were responsible for over-population in the city, damages to roads by military lorries, etc., he demanded release of the Corporation from the hands of Government.

"If Government want to supersede the Corporation, let them come out and say so openly. We are prepared to go out and take our stand by the side of the people." He thought that the directives were mere devices and subterfuges to prepare the ground for supersession of the Corporation.

Continuing Councillor Ray Chaudhuri emphasized that without enhancing the rate they had carried on so long but now it had become an impossibility unless other avenues for increasing the revenue were opened up for them .

He then moved a rider to the original motion of Councillor Dr. Sinha which was accepted by the original mover.

The Mayor

Winding up the debate, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, informed the House that 4 out of the 16 directives had already been carried out. Work in connection with eight others had been taken in hand and would be completed in due course. Explanation had been given by the Chief Executive Officer why the remaining four had not been taken in hand. The executive did their best to carry out the directives, and if they had failed, it was because of lack of funds.

He appealed to the members of the House that they should all put their heads together and work as a team to improve the condition in the city.

Councillor Parks' motion was then put to vote and lost.

The original motion of Councillor Dr. Sinha along with the rider put forward by Councillor Ray Chaudhuri was adopted.

Middles

Mahatma Gandhi In Calcutta

Pandit Nehru's Busy Engagements In The City

MAHATMA GANDHI'S prayer congregation was resumed at Sodepore Khadi Pratisthan on the 21st December evening, after three days, during which Gandhi had been away from the Ashram on a tour to Santiniketan and Rampurhat.

"We Are All Travellers"

Addressing the prayer gathering Mahatmaji said :—

"We are all travellers. I had been to Santiniketan for two days. I have returned and will stay here for two or three days and again I will go to Midnapore.

"We are all travellers. Sooner or later we will have to undertake a long journey. This is the preparation for the long one. We must not be sorry for any travelling, short or long. But we do feel sorry for the long journey because we do not understand the significance of life and death, which are equal.

"To-day's song conveys the idea appropriately (Ai Korechho Bhalo Nithur, Ai Korechho Bhalo). This is a prayer to God to burn our passion. And only when we have succeeded in that, we will have no sorrow for the long journey".

Earlier that day Gandhiji interviewed the Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee.

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose called on Mahatma Gandhi in the afternoon and was closetted with him for about two hours.

Among others who met Mahatmaji were Lady Henderson, wife of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice A. G. R. Henderson, and Mr. D. K. Lahiri Choudhury, M.L.A. (Central).

"To Be Fearless"

"We do not want to live on the mercy of anybody except God," said Mahatma Gandhi addressing the congregational meeting at Sodepore on the 22nd December last.

"Gita teaches us to be fearless", he added "If you could win that, nobody would be able to keep you down. If anybody asks me to bow down my head- I am an old man and anybody can push me or knock me down—but, if I say, I won't, utmost he can do, he can kill me. This fearlessness is Swaraj. If everybody acts in the same way or feels in the same spirit, Swaraj is there. It, however, does not mean that Government will go away to-day but it means that no power can make us bow down our head. We would not achieve independence by simply repeating the word like a parrot. Our deed must be on the same line."

Explaining the evening song, Gandhiji said that it was not an easy task to select an appropriate song out of the many composed by Gurudev (Rabindranath Tagore). In this particular song, the Poet asked them not to be coward. They were in a small boat

and God was their helmsman. When God was their helmsman they should not be afraid of anything. His hands were not shaky and He would safely escort them to their destination.

Gandhiji asked his audience to have faith in God. They would have to swim across the ocean of life. After all, what was fear. The word itself frightened them. He, therefore, advised them that they must take the essence of the song to their heart. Gandhiji asked them not to leave him nor, he said, would he leave them so long as he was in Calcutta. He also advised them to take part in the prayer by singing in chorus with him?

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose had another two-hour talk with Mahatma Gandhi.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru also saw Gandhiji.

Fifty members of the Indian National Army Corps presented a guard of honour to Mahatma Gandhi, while he was on his way to the evening prayer ground. Mahatmaji acknowledged their salute with his usual smile.

Fifth Interview Between Gandhiji And Mr. Casey

Mahatma Gandhi had an interview with H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, at Government House on the 22nd December last.

Mahatma Gandhi arrived at Government House at about 7-45 P.M. and left at 9-45 P.M.

This was the fifth interview between Mahatma Gandhi and Mr. Casey.

The day on which Kasturba had died was quietly observed in Sodepore Ashram on the 22nd December. Mahatma Gandhi was present. The eighteenth chapter of the Gita was read in observance of the day during prayer time in the morning.

A congregational spinning in memory of the deceased was held later in the day which was conducted by Mahatma Gandhi. It lasted for about an hour.

Mr. Sailo Kumar Mukherji, Chairman of the Howrah Municipality, had an interview with Mahatma Gandhi during his morning walk. Mahatma Gandhi advised Mr. Mukherji and all Congress Councillors to closely study his articles and writings on municipal administration and try to follow those principles in their civic duties.

"Presence Of God"

In his after-prayer discourse on the 23rd December last at Sodepore Gandhiji explained the inner meaning of the famous poem of Rabindranath entitled "You have broken open the door and come to me, Oh Effulgent One" (Bhengecho Duar, Ashecho Jyotirmoy) which was sung during the prayer.

Gandhiji said that they should understand the spirit of the song. In it the devotee was welcoming the Effulgent One, signifying God, for breaking open the door of his heart. In the ordinary case what did they find? They had seen that when a thief broke into a house the householder got frightened and raised an alarm. But in this case the devotee instead of getting frightened was inviting the One who would break the door of his heart open. What was the reason? It was because the devotee knew that the door of his heart ought to be broken in order to make it clean for the abode of God. He knew that unless his heart was clean he would not be able to realize God and that was why he was so fearless. When the devotee's heart was clean and purified and when he began to feel the presence of God in his heart he became absolutely fearless. If they could make their heart clean and purified, their attitude of life would be changed and even their greatest enemy would have a change of heart by coming in contact with them. That was why he would ask them to digest the inner meaning of the Bhajan.

Mahatma Gandhi met about 100 workers of the Bengal Congress Committee at an informal conference.

The Day Of Silence

The day of silence of Gandhiji came on the 24th December last. So the prayer was conducted by Mr. Kanu Gandhi, who at the conclusion of the prayer read out the written message of Gandhiji.

In the message Gandhiji said that Monday, the 24th December, was a great day for the Christians. The day following would be Christmas Day and that was the reason why they had heard in the Bhajan a translation of one of the best English songs from the Book of Psalms. They should understand the meaning of the song. It depicted one of the many who had lost his way and was penitent for going on a wrong track. Now after a period he had been able to realize his mistake and he implored to God to guide and show him the right way. He appealed to God to illumine his way in order that he might not fall into numerous pits which covered all his way. Wistful as he was to realize God, he fervently appealed to Him to take him to the other world. He knew that it was God alone who was able to take him from darkness to the kingdom of light.

Mr. L. G. Thatte, General Secretary, All-India Anti-Pakistan Front with a party of about 25 went to Sodepore at noon to offer picketing before Gandhiji's cottage at the Sodepore Khadi Pratisthan Ashram. They carried Swastika flags and shouted anti-Pakisthan slogans.

The demonstrators did not enter the Ashram but waited near the gate.

There was no interference with them.

Mahatma Gandhi left Calcutta on his tour over Midnapore and other places.

"The Intentions Of Britain Are Well-known To India" —Pandit Nehru

THE proposed Parliamentary delegation to India would serve no useful purpose, declared Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru addressing a mammoth meeting of Calcutta citizens at Deshabandhu Park on the 21st December last.

The British Parliament, Pandit Nehru said, had been ruling over India for the last 150 years, and, if it had not been possible for it to know the Indian mind, he failed to understand how a delegation sent by it could serve any useful purpose.

Panditji considered it derogatory to his own self-respect as well as to the self-respect of the Indian nation that a delegation of this kind should be sent out to India to study the Indian situation.

Panditji considered the delegation to be a huge joke and a device to shelve the real question.

An Undemocratic Bill

Proceeding Panditji said that he understood that a Bill was going to be passed in Parliament which would give power to Central Government so that its actions could not be criticized by any Court.

There was absolutely no justification for this undemocratic Bill, Panditji said, even in war-time, not to speak of peace-time. This measure, he said, was being enacted simply to tie down the hands of the Congress Ministries which the world knew were going to be established after the elections.

They paid little heed to what was being done in England concerning India, because the intentions of Britain were well-known to Indians, Panditji said.

Panditji recalled that while he was in detention in Ahmednagar Fort he had read about Mr. Branden Bracken announcing in the House of Commons that the question of India was in the cold storage.

To that his reply was that the question of India could brook no delay as their problems had stood in need of immediate solution. Otherwise, the storm which was brewing would sweep over India.

Need For Discipline

Young men's need for discipline and training for service in the cause of the country was emphasized by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru speaking at a crowded students' meeting in Sraddhananda Park, Calcutta on the 22nd December last.

The period of studentship, he said, was essentially a period of training one to do a job well, whatever it was. Students should try to understand politics and economics in relation to the day-to-day knowledge of what was happening in fields and factories and other spheres of life. This was necessary because they would have to shoulder the burden in the India of to-morrow. What future India was going to be like ultimately depended on young men and women.

Pandit Nehru explained that politics of India to-day concerned two things, political freedom and rapid economic advance. It was a politics of revolutionary change,—change in the condition of people's way of living.

An All-India Outlook

Addressing another meeting at Girish Park, the same day Pandit Nehru expressed the view that provincialism, sectarianism and isolationism stood in the way of India's freedom and progress.

Pandit Nehru said that they must sink their differences to achieve freedom which alone could solve their problems, political, social or economic, which were all inter-linked. They must cultivate an all-India outlook.

A purse of Rs. 50,000 was presented to Pandit Nehru.

He also formally opened the Seth Anandram Jaipuria College at Raja Naba Kissen Street.

Dr. D. N. Chatterjee, Blood Transfusion Officer, Bengal, collected his blood for the Calcutta Blood Bank shortly before he left for the reception given him at Girish Park.

Deshabandhu C. R. Das

Pandit Nehru installed the same day a marble bust of Deshabandhu Chittaranjan Das at Kalika Theatre, in South Calcutta.

Dr. B. C. Roy who presided over the function said that the stone representation of one who was the very embodiment of life was a very unsatisfactory thing. He gave his all for the relief of the distressed and the poor Chittaranjan would never die. He lived in the hearts of his countrymen.

Pandit Nehru said that when he was asked to come to a theatre he was rather surprised. But when he learnt that he was to unveil the bust of Deshabandhu he could not resist the request. He had the fortune to be associated in work with Deshabandhu. When one has to work with great souls one imbibes some of his qualities. When he recalled the old memories of 20 to 30 years back his heart was filled with joy as well as sadness. Even if Deshabandhu's bust was installed in a small place, he believed it had its utility.

Panditjj was presented with a cheque of Rs. 6,000 by the authorities of the Theatre to be spent in aid of hospitals.

Prior to his departure for Santiniketan Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru along with Dr. B. C. Roy witnessed the screening of "Ameeree", a picture depicting bustee life.

As Pandit Nehru could not reach the railway station in time he left Calcutta on the night of the 22nd December for Santiniketan by car. From Santiniketan he proceeded to Patna.

Mr. Sarat C. Bose's Advice to Princes

The hold of British Imperialism on India was bound to end very soon, and the people was in no mood to tolerate any misrule any longer; the rulers of the Native States should take note of that fact, observed Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose presiding over a public meeting largely attended by the people of Bikaner at Maheswari Bhawan on the 28th December last. The meeting passed a resolution protesting against the "repressive measures adopted by the Bikaner Government to suppress people's consciousness for political advancement" and also viewed with concern the hunger strike of Magharam Baidya and other political prisoners in that State which had been going on for the last 40 days.

Addressing the meeting, Mr. Bose said that for the last 200 years the people of British India had been facing problems similar to that faced by the people of Native States. It was regrettable that the rulers of the Native States who were themselves Indians should copy the laws and ordinances of the British India and promulgate them in their own Governments.

Mr. Bose also added that he would like to tell the rulers of princely India that they should give up the way of running administration on the bureaucratic model as prevailing in India. They should realise that the Maharajas or Rajas ruled in the country in name only; the country belonged to kisans and mazdoors, Maharajas or Rajas might come and go, but the kisans and mazdoors remained there and the Government should be run in a way best suited to their interest. The rulers, if they were to be red rulers, should be imbued with the spirit of serving the kisans and mazdoors.

Tea and Industrial Output

FEW matters have received such detailed attention since the war began as the efficiency of industrial production. In India the problem has been greater than in most other countries because, to meet the basic needs of the fighting forces, a great new industry has had to be created without the help of either a large machine tool industry or a large mass of skilled labour accustomed to factory conditions.

That tea—India's own product—has played a valuable part in achieving unprecedented output is a matter of no small satisfaction. The part that tea has played—is playing, and will continue to play—is to promote concentration. Not so long ago it was accepted by factory executives without questioning that output must fall towards the end of a working shift. To-day this theory has been discarded as unsound, for repeated experiments have proved beyond question that tea served to the workers on the job renews concentration and flagging energies with the result that output remains at its peak level *right to the end of the shift.*

Our considerable experience in these matters is at the disposal of all employers. A short pamphlet entitled *Canteens for the Workers'* has just been issued on this subject, which will be sent free on application to the Commissioner, Indian Tea Market Expansion Board, 101, Clive St., Calcutta.

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CALCUTTA : OLD AND NEW

Sir Philip Francis

(By B. V. Ray, M.A.)

ONE of the outstanding figures in English Society in Calcutta during the latter days of the 18th Century was Sir Philip Francis, one of the four Councillors appointed under the New Regulating Act passed by the British Parliament to form the Council of the Governor-General, Warren Hastings. He arrived here in 1774 and by his own personal qualities as well as by reason of his exalted position, became one of the leaders of English Society. From the beginning the four Councillors (Francis, Col. Monson, General Clavering and Richard Barwell) divided themselves into two groups in the Council, one group supporting Hastings, and the other against him. I need not go into the causes of this divided faction and for my present purposes it is sufficient to mention that Francis was against Hastings. The famous duel he fought with Hastings is well known, and I have already described it in detail in the pages of the *Calcutta Municipal Gazette*.* In this article I will deal with another matter connected with Francis' career in Calcutta *viz.*, the criminal case in which he was involved (Grand *vs.* Francis) and for which he had to face trial at the newly established Supreme Court.

Before going on to the trial and the affair leading up to it, I will deal with the question, where was Francis' house in Calcutta? His brother-in-law, Alexander Macrabie came out with him to India as his Private Secretary, and was later appointed Sheriff of Calcutta. Macrabie kept a diary, and under date 21st February, 1776 he wrote: "We have at last engaged a capital house, the best in town, but such a rent! £100 a month is enormous!" A rent of £100 a month came to rupees one thousand at the then prevailing rate of exchange and was certainly an "enormous" sum to pay. Francis himself also wrote to John Burke in England: "Here I live, in the finest house in Bengal, with a hundred servants, a country-house, and spacious gardens, horses and carriages." The position of this house was made clear by the evidence of a witness in the case to which I have alluded above (Grand *vs.* Francis), when the *khidmutgar* of Mr. Grand in identifying Francis said "Mr. Francis the Counsellor who lives behind the Play-House." At that time the Play House or Theatre was situated at the corner of the present-day Lyons' Range and Clive Street, and the house rented by Francis lay "behind" or to the north of it. In recent times the site was occupied by the New Oriental Bank and was purchased in 1893 by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce for construction of the Royal Exchange, which occupies it now. I may mention in passing, that the Royal Exchange building was constructed at a cost of five lakhs of rupees and was formally opened by Lord Ronaldshay, Governor of Bengal, in 1918. A bronze tablet is affixed to its walls, stating that it occupies the site of the Town House of Sir Philip Francis, Member of Council 1774-1780.

As regards the "country-house" mentioned by Francis in his letter to Burke, it bore the name of the "Lodge," and Mr. Busteed, the historian believed it to be the Magistrates' House in Alipore, now the official residence of the Collector of 24-Parganas. It was described by Macrabie in his diary as "consisting of a spacious hall and four chambers, surrounded by a veranda and a colonnade, standing in the midst of twenty acres of ground." Francis purchased it in 1775, and later sold it (in April 1780) to Mr. Livius for Rs. 90,000.

Coming now to the famous case, it concerns a gentleman named G. F. Grand, who first came out to India in 1766, and after serving for a short period in the Military establishment of the East India Company, went back to England. Then having secured an appointment as Writer in the Civil Service of the Company he came out again in 1776. He married a young and exquisitely beautiful girl named Miss Verlee (or Werlee) at Chandernagore, and both lived in Calcutta. Mrs. Grand has been described by contemporaries as very beautiful, and Busteed says: "In face, form, figure and gracefulness of carriage, she seems to have presented a combination quite unrivalled. And beyond this she was dowered with that rare and special beauty, which perhaps ranks highest in the scale of female attractions—a glorious head of hair." At the time she was married to Grand (July 1777) she was only 15 years of age. As regards Sir Philip, Busteed says: "To him also nature had been prodigal of her gifts. In addition to his rare mental endowments, he was remarkable for an exterior described as "strikingly handsome." His contemporaries speak of his tall, erect, well-proportioned figure, his classical features, his small, delicately moulded ears and soft, shapely hands, etc." He was then 38 years old. He met the lady at social functions and as is natural, the preference and attentions paid by him, a handsome and experienced man of the world, to a girl in her teens, gratified her and made her look upon him with favour. "Specially in India, such a man's getting into further favour is facilitated especially by high official position." No doubt it was extremely flattering to the young girl to be the object of such marked attention from such a high personage as Sir Philip Francis, Member of the Council of the Governor-General.

For what follows, we have Grand's own description in his published memoirs:

> "On December 8, 1778, I went out of my house about nine o'clock the happiest, as I thought myself, of men; and between eleven and twelve o'clock returned the same night to it as miserable as any man could feel. I left it prepossessed with a sense that I was blessed with the most beautiful as well as the most virtuous of wives, ourselves honoured and respected, moving in the first circles, and having every prospect of speedy advancement. Scarcely had I sat down to supper at my benefactor Mr. Barwell's society . . . . than I was struck with the deepest anguish and pain. A servant, who was in the habit of attending Mrs. Grand, came and whispered to me that Mr. Francis was caught in my house and secured

*"Duelling in Old Calcutta" published in the *Gazette* dated the 27th May, 1944.

by my *Jemadar* (an upper servant exercising a certain authority over other servants). I rose up from table . . . . and sent for a friend out, whom I requested to accompany me."

He then took Major Palmer (Hastings' Secretary) with him, but on reaching his house they were surprised to find, not Francis, but Mr. Shee (afterwards Sir George Shee) held down on a chair in a lower apartment, with two more gentlemen there, all entreating the *Jemadar* to let Shee go. (These two were Mr. Shore, afterwards Lord Teignmouth, and a Mr. Archdekin). The *Jemadar* explained to Grand that Francis had been in his mistress' apartment on the upper floor to which he (Francis) had gained access by means of a ladder. The servants' suspicions had been roused on finding the ladder, and Mrs. Grand's apartment locked on the inside, and they had created a turmoil. Francis had then come downstairs, where, in answer to his whistle, the other gentlemen had scaled the compound wall and rushed in, having been evidently waiting in readiness to help Francis if necessary. A scuffle between them and the servants had followed, in which Francis succeeded in making his escape, and the *Jemadar* had only been able to hold down Mr. Shee.

The next morning Grand sent Francis a challenge to fight a duel, as the custom of the time demanded in order to vindicate his honour, but Francis refused to fight. Grand writes thus in his own narrative:

"I wrote to Mr. Francis that, void of every spark of principle and honour as I deemed him, still I trusted he would not deny me the meeting which I summoned him to immediately, with any friend he might choose to bring. His reply was laconic and easy. It was couched in these terms: that, conscious of having done me no injury, and that I laboured under a complete mistake, he begged leave to decline the proposed invitation, and that he had the honour to remain my most obedient etc. etc."

This exasperated Grand, who then filed a "plea" in the Supreme Court against Francis for seducing his wife, claiming damages amounting to fifteen lakhs of rupees. The case was taken up in February, 1779 and lasted for nearly a month, many witnesses being examined. In the course of his deposition, Grand's *Khidmutgar* stated that "when Mr. Francis came out he said "give me that thing" (the ladder), "I will give you money," "I will make you great men." He spoke to the *Jemadar* and all the servants. He also said "Don't you know me? I am Mr. Francis" etc. etc. (The interested reader will find a complete account of the case in Busteed's "Echoes from Old Calcutta"). The case ended on 6th March, 1779, when judgment was pronounced against Francis, damages amounting to 50,000 sicca rupees being awarded to Grand. It may be mentioned that the amount was paid by Francis.

Grand obtained a transfer to Patna and later went to Tirhoot, where he started an Indigo manufacturing concern. His career afterwards is of no interest but the subsequent career of Mrs. Grand is interesting. Three months after being divorced from her husband, she passed into the "protection" of Francis. Later, she went to France and when the French Revolution broke out, she succeeded in escaping from France to England. Going back to France again in 1797, she came under the notice of Prince de Talleyrand, the famous diplomat, who was then Foreign Minister. She lived with him for some time, and later, was married to him in 1802 at the intercession of the Empress Josephine, Consort of Napoleon Bonaparte. She thus became Princess de Talleyrand and lived till 1835. It is because of her long residence in and connection with France that she is referred to by historians as "Madame" Grand instead of Mrs. Grand.

HEALTH & HYGIENE

Water And Its Purification.

(By M. B. Sen Gupta)

THE necessity for water purification, in its truest sense, has been felt with the advance of human civilization. It is evident that primitive people did not consider it to be of pressing importance as long as they had provision for securing and storing a constant supply of water. The people of China were familiar with the sinking of Artesian wells, but the first of their kind in Europe was sunk in a city of Northern France in 1126. The necessity for proper arrangements for the supply of water made itself felt when, with the increase of population, people began to congregate in cities. Collection and storage of water in suitable reservoirs and its conveyance to the consumers followed. By the invention of the steam engine, power and machinery for pumping water were made available. Cast iron pipes replaced wooden mains in 1800. In fact, the birth of the Water Works and the gradual improvements in operation began from the year 1800. Sand filters came into use in England in 1829 and rapid sand filters with coagulants in 1885. The use of Chlorine and its compounds for disinfection of water were introduced in Belgium in 1902.

Pure Water

At one time people were satisfied with water, from which obvious suspended impurities had been removed, and accepted fairly turbid water. But to-day, those responsible for water supply cannot rest content with merely supplying clear and transparent water; it should be tasteless and odourless, should be harmless to the distributing mains, should not give trouble to the housewife in domestic work, should not consume soap in excess and, last but not least, should be available in abundance.

We generally have our water from river, lake, well or spring. Water is a universal solvent, deriving its soluble ingredients from its source and the strata through which it travels. Some waters contain more of lime, some more of iron. This is due to the fact that water while flowing through

strata of these ingredients dissolves a certain proportion of them. Pure distilled water, which has no dissolved contents in it, has no taste at all. When minerals and organic substances in water exceed a certain proportion, they are termed "impurities." The river, on its flow, carries along with it the washings of the soil, plants and trees, excretions of the human body and decayed matter of animal and vegetable origin. It is therefore natural that such water may contain injurious substances and bacteria. These bacteria, which are invisible to the naked eye, bring upon us untold sickness, suffering and loss of life.

Boiled Water

It is a popular belief that water once boiled is free from germs. This is not always the case: on the first boil, completely germinated organisms no doubt die, but certain bacteria having special resistive capacity may survive and even thrive under favourable conditions. For this reason, water has to be boiled for two or three successive days to make it pure. However, to our great relief, it may be mentioned that all pathogenic germs are generally short-lived and are killed by a little heat or even in inclement weather.

Typhoid, Cholera and Dysentery are water-borne diseases. In fact, "Spirilum Cholera" of Asiatic Cholera, "Bacillus Typhosus" of Typhoid fever and "Bacillus Dysenteria" of Dysentery have all been detected in contaminated water. Spirilum Cholera is weaker than Bacillus Typhosus and cannot survive long outside the human system. It is killed within ten minutes at a temperature of 60 deg. C and can be very easily destroyed by chemical disinfectants. Poor people are generally victims of these diseases because of their unhygienic mode of living. They bathe in streams and lakes which frequently serve as carriers of infection.

Water Purification

Water purification consists in removing impurities in water. Boiling is undoubtedly the best method but is impracticable for various reasons. There are three stages in purification, which are:

(*i*) Making the water clear and transparent by the removal of suspended matter;

(*ii*) Removing Calcium and Magnesium salts, if present; and

(*iii*) Sterilizing.

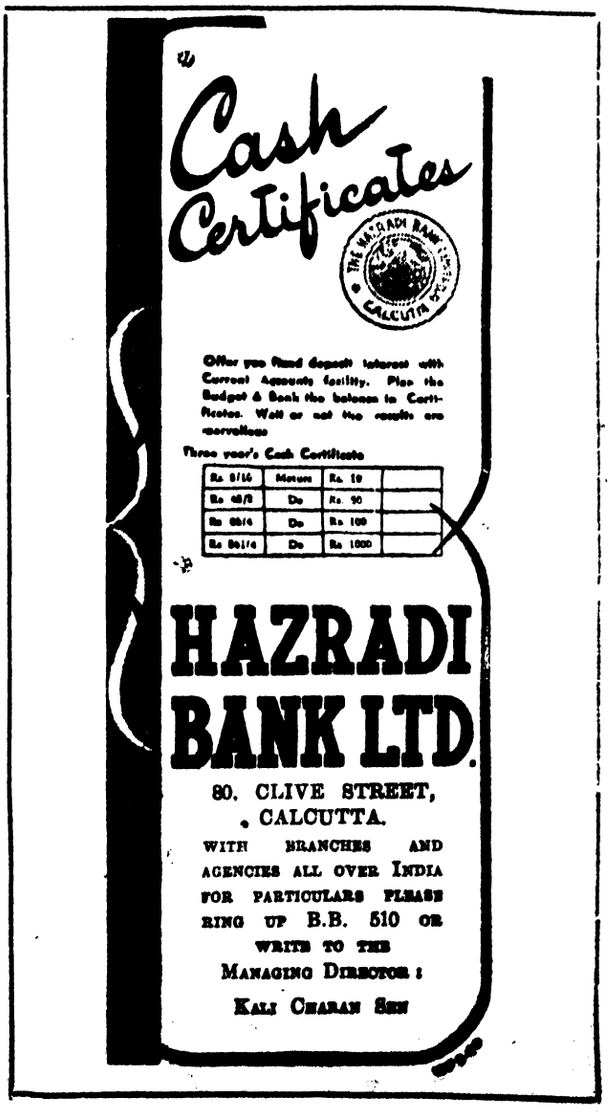
Even ancients felt the desirability of removing suspended particles. Though they could not conceive of any chemicals for this purpose, they noticed that these particles settled down by themselves, if the water was allowed to remain quiescent for a time. The upper layers of water could then be decanted and used. This process is called "Sedimentation." But there is another kind of impurity which evenly mixes with the water and becomes, so to say, one with it. This is termed "Colloidal impurity." Scientists are of opinion that this kind of impurity always remains floating in water on account of an electric charge, and settles down only when the charge is neutralized. Neutralisation can be achieved by the addition of various chemicals, the best known amongst them being Alum which can be safely used without impairing the quality of water.

Filtered Water

After removing suspended impurities to a considerable extent by the above method, the water is made transparent by passing through filters. There are several types of filters such as (1) Slow Sand filters, (2) Rapid Gravity filters and (3) Pressure filters. There is difference of opinion as to which is the best, but without going into technical details, it can be said that Slow Sand filters are best suited for the removal of bacteria. Water, after having passed through Slow Sand filters at a proper rate, can safely be used without any sterilisation, the bacteria being unable to penetrate the thin film of Aluminium Hydroxide on the filter bed. The disadvantage of this type of filters is that enormous space is required to build a filter bed, which is rather a problem in big cities. In the case of other filters, as water is passed through by pressure about fifty times more water can be filtered through each square foot area of the filter bed. Although the bacteria are reduced considerably after this stage of purification, they are not eliminated altogether, so that the risk of infection still exists. To remove this infection, additional plants are necessary for sterilization of the water.

The water which consumes more soap and does not lather freely, is called Hard Water, *i.e.*, it contains excessive quantities of calcium and magnesium salts. Very hard water tastes bad and if taken for a continued period results in digestive troubles. The water, which is neither soft nor hard, is considered to be the best for drinking purposes.

(To be continued)



Engineering & Architecture

Development Of Calcutta

Which Way The City Can Extend ?

SCHEMES for rapid and planned development of the major Indian cities are being considered by the different provincial governments and the municipalities of the respective cities.

The Government of Sind propose to invite an expert in town planning from abroad to carry out the scheme for "Greater Karachi" and the development of towns in Sind. The Town planning and Improvements Committee of the Madras Corporation have approved the proposal of the Commissioner for including within the city limits the areas administered by the Saidapet Municipality including Guindy race-course and certain other adjoining areas. A survey, along the lines of the new survey of London life and labour and the social survey of Merseyside, will be soon taken up by the Punjab Board of Economic Survey consisting of several economists, professors and students for Greater Lahore with nearly a million population spread over 140 square miles.

"Cleaner Calcutta"

Calcutta is also striving for proper development and more so, when the population of the City has vastly increased and slums have grown in enormity and filthiness.

The question of "Cleaner Calcutta" has since sometime engaged the attention of the Government, particularly, His Excellency the Governor of Bengal. Recently, the Bengal Slum Improvement Bill was made public for proper criticism and appreciation. Only sometime ago the Corporation, Government and the Improvement Trust executives published their long and short term schemes for development of Calcutta.

As is evident, attention has been given to intensive development of the city—entailing slum clearance, which will also necessitate the city's extensive development. Some interesting letters are being reproduced below with respect to Calcutta's development in size.

Mr. Snaith's Suggestion

Mr. I. F. Snaith wrote from Shillong some time ago to the *Statesman* :—

"Unlike cities of the West, Calcutta has not spread out tentacles, and the vast increase in population is mainly gathered in an area that was adequate for the 1903 population of 8,50,000 but totally inadequate for the 2—3 millions of to-day

"A comparison with some of the cities of the U. K. is enlightening :—

	Acreage	Population
Greater London ...	4,48,301	8,000,000
Glasgow ...	30,000	1,088,417
Birmingham ...	46,687	940,000
Liverpool ...	20,120	855,000
Manchester ...	21,690	766,000

"These are 1932 figures and the cities have grown in area since then.

"Great industrial expansion is foreshadowed in India after the war. Obviously Calcutta badly needs a new development area. Where is it to be located? The Southern end is largely residential, the North a bottleneck, the East impossible by reason of the vast Salt Lake area; so it would seem that the new town must be West Calcutta absorbing Howrah and reaching out North, South and West. Admittedly it is a task of great magnitude but Calcutta itself has grown out of a swamp, the Lake area and Barrackpore Park are reclaimed paddy fields.

"I visualize a 30-year plan. In this period the *jheels* of Howrah could be converted into beautiful lakes with tree-lined avenues. An extensive new industrial area might lie to the north-west in the area served by the Bally-Burdwan Chord Railway, the Taikessen Railway and the two light railways. The first essential would be a new Grand Trunk Road taking off from the existing Trunk Road south of Chandernagore and linking up with the Orissa Trunk Road west of Ulubaria. Imagine this a wide arterial concrete road which would accord access to a very large area for both industrial and residential expansion.

"The project should embrace the whole area between the Hooghly and the Damodar. A large lake to the west might serve as an airport for flying boats. The water supply could come from the Damodar. The possibilities for development of Calcutta west are unlimited, and with the advantage of starting more or less from scratch with careful planning and foresight a great and beautiful city could emerge."

Mr. Gurner's Proposal

Pointing to Mr. Snaith's assumption that "development of Calcutta towards the East is impossible by reason of the vast Salt Lakes area," Mr. C. W. Gurner, Chairman, Calcutta Improvement Trust, stressed :—

". . . . . months ago a Committee appointed by Government, of which I was Chairman, examined the problem of the reclamation of the Salt Lakes and came to the conclusion that this was within certain limits, a practical and realizable objective. The report, submitted to Government in April 1944, fluttered quietly into its pigeon hole and has not re-emerged. But it is now essential that the general conclusions reached should be made known to the public.

"The main recommendations made may be summarized as follows :—

(*i*) A well-defined area of about 18 sq. miles immediately to the east of the New Cut Canal could be reclaimed by cut and fill methods to provide 8 or 9 sq. miles of good building land eminently suitable for an entirely new urban settlement with open spaces, lakes and other amenities. (ii) Steps should be taken to acquire as soon as possible the whole of this area with a view to extinguishing all future claims for compensation and obtaining complete control of its future development. The estimated cost of this acquisition (including a small portion added on subsequent consideration) should not exceed one crore. (*iii*) Utilization of 2½ sq. miles of land already vesting in Government on the edge of the Salt Lakes should be controlled against development or commitment adverse to the general scheme. (*iv*) A permanent organization should be established for accurate estimating of the cost of reclamation and subsequently proceeding with the scheme.

"Preliminary estimates of the cost of the project are three crores for reclamation and 14½ crores for engineering works. This expenditure would be distributed over a long period and would be largely recouped by the sale of developed building land.

"Plans accompanying the report, prepared from correlation of field survey with air photographs, well illustrate the accessibility of the reclaimable portion of the Salt Lakes from Calcutta and the scope for its urban development.

"There has recently been some indication of renewal of interest in these recommendations, and proposals for adapta-

tion of the Salt Lakes area to the extension of Calcutta, which have now been under discussion on and off for the last 100 years, may, it is hoped, before long be brought one step nearer towards realization."

Mr. Khan's Views

In support of Mr. Smith's views Mr. Z. Khan was of opinion :—

"Greater Calcutta can only expand across the Hooghly, Calcutta lacks such natural features as sea or wooded hills or a mountain range in the background which add so much to the scenic beauty of a big city. All the more reason, therefore, why makers of Greater Calcutta should make the most of the only natural feature—the Hooghly—in planning the Calcutta of the future.

"This will involve the provision of more and better means of communication across the river, and in this the architects will have a wonderful opportunity of giving play to their imagination and skill. Presumably it is not beyond modern engineering science to incorporate such features as an artificially created pleasure island in the middle of the river or a traffic tunnel under it as well as a few more bridges.

"Another amenity which could easily have been provided long ago and which would add so much to the joys of the otherwise drab and colourless life of the citizens, is a river-side promenade with rows of pavilions and restaurants and proper bathing enclosures. Jetties and warehouses should not cover the whole river front as they do at present, but should be removed to points North of the New Howrah Bridge or South of Takhtaghat. The whole area along the Strand between the New Howrah Bridge and the Fort should be laid out as a Public Park and recreation ground. This will also bring to light the beautiful facades of many buildings on the Strand, such as the new Customs House

"Let us feel proud of living in a riverside city and let us not think of the Hooghly as only a commercial highway where one can also wash one's sins away."

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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

BENGAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Ten elected members of the Bengal Legislative Council representing the various constituencies, including Calcutta General Constituency, will vacate their seats in the Upper Chamber early in April next, says a *Press Note*. Election to fill these seats, and also by-elections to fill two vacancies in the European constituency resulting from the resignation of Messrs. J. S. Graham and James Orr and another vacancy in the Calcutta and Suburbs (Mohammedan) constituency caused by the death of Mr. Yakub H. S. Sattar, will be held simultaneously. The detailed programme will be announced shortly.

ALL-INDIA TELEGRAPH UNION

A resolution that, constitutional methods for the redress of the fundamental grievances of Telegraph employees regarding pay, pensions, allowances, etc., having failed, "no option is left to the subordinate staff but to resort to cessation from work until and unless their just and legitimate demands are met," was adopted by a meeting of Telegraph Department employees on the 21st December last.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the All-India Telegraph Union at the Central Telegraph Office, Calcutta. Prof. Humayun Kabir presided.

The meeting pledged its support to any action jointly decided upon by different service organizations for launching a strike without any avoidable delay.

LATE MR. KALINATH ROY

The Executive Council of the Indian Journalists' Association at their meeting held on the 22nd December last passed the following resolution :—

"The Indian Journalists' Association records its deep sense of sorrow at the death of Mr. Kalinath Roy, Editor, *The Tribune*. A great Bengalee and a prince among journalists he had rendered invaluable services to the cause of journalism as well as to the country for more than a quarter of a century. Nature's born gentleman, he won the heart of everybody by his sterling character, childlike simplicity and unassuming manners. While offering sincerest condolences, the Association thinks that the best way to pay homage to the memory of the illustrious deceased is to follow the ideals he placed before us.

"That a public meeting be held at an early date under the auspices of the Association to mourn his loss.

"The Association requests the Trustees of *The Tribune* to take adequate steps to perpetuate the memory of Mr. Kalinath Roy who had served the paper for about 30 years and made the paper what it is to-day. This Association offers its whole hearted co-operaton to the Trustees in this matter."

INCREASED PATROL RATION

While, according to the *Statesman*, it is considered most unlikely that petrol rationing will cease so soon, there is understood to be a possibility of an increased ration being made available early next year.

DEAF-MUTES' INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION

The need for greater public support to the cause of education for deaf-mutes in Bengal was stressed by Mrs. Casey opening the annual deaf-mute artisans' Industrial Exhibition in Calcutta on the 21st December last.

The Exhibition, which was organized by the Convention of the Teachers of the Deaf in India (Bengal Zone) at the Deaf and Dumb School remain opened at 71, Tarak Pramanik Road till the 27th December last.

Mrs. Casey said that although the Bengal Government had recognized the need for helping the education of the deaf and dumb yet it was really public contributions with which the schools could be maintained. She hoped that there would be no lack of voluntary effort and service for this noble cause which was bound to attract sympathy and liberal support.

LABOUR M. P. IN CALCUTTA

Mr. Harold Davis, Labour M.P., who is touring India to acquire first-hand knowledge of India and her many problems, politically, economically and socially met some Press representatives in Calcutta on the 23rd December last to ascertain their views on the Indian situation.

Mr. Davis said that the younger elements in the Labour Party were watching the situation in India. They were going to force the Indian issue at the next Labour Party Conference in June and insist on a decisive step being taken to bring the deadlock to a satisfactory end.

CALCUTTA-DELHI AIR SERVICE

With the relaxation of priority control on air traffic, Indian National Airways propose to introduce a daily service between Delhi and Karachi and Delhi and Calcutta, and also a tri-weekly service between Delhi and Peshawar. Half the carrying capacity will, it is stated, be available to the public on a non-priority basis.

CHRISTMAS IN CALCUTTA

Despite the general shortage of essential consumer goods and high prices, Calcutta seemed to have had as good a Christmas as could be expected under the circumstances. Last minute buying on the 23rd and the 24th December, when the Sir Stuart Hogg Market was packed to capacity, helped the city's celebrations this season, the first Christmas after six years of war.

The city's main thoroughfares on Christmas Eve and the 25th December were thronged with people of all communities. Not a few of the merrymakers belonged to the city's shifting population, members of the Allied Forces, to whose enjoyment the various Service restaurants and hostels contributed much.

LORD WAVELL IN CALCUTTA

His Excellency the Viceroy and Lady Wavel arrived at Calcutta on the 26th December at 1-15 p.m. by air from Delhi.

Their Excellencies, accompanied by Mr. G. E. B. Bell, Private Secretary to His Excellency, arrived at the Alipore Air Port and were received by H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, and promient officers of the Bengal Government.

Their Excellencies drove to Government House. Later Their Excellencies proceeded to the Calcutta Race Course where they were received by the stewards of the Royal Calcutta Turf Club. His Excellency watched the race for the Viceroy's Cup and gave away the cup to the winning owner, Mrs. Susan Sopher. His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey and Mrs. Casey were also present at the race course.

INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS: SILVER JUBILEE

The need for establishment of more training schools and colleges for engineers and the establishment of a research institute on India's water problems was stressed by the Viceroy in his address at the opening of the Silver Jubilee session of the Institution of Engineers (India) the next morning (the 27th December).

India had owed much, said His Excellency, in the past to the skill and devotion of Engineers. In the present, she had a greater need than ever of their services, to further that wide development of her agricultural, industrial and economic progress which it was within her power to make. Such general progress required scientific planning; and it was here that the institution of engineers, which dealt with all branches of Engineering, seemed well fitted to make its contribution.

"The factor that is likely to put the brake on the development of Bengal in the next 10 years is not the usual disability, lack of money—but the much more difficult one of lack of trained and qualified engineers and technicians," said His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey, speaking as chief guest at the annual dinner of the Institution of Engineers (India) in Calcutta on the 28th December last.

He emphasized that young men of this country should train themselves for the practical and constructive professions and occupations—engineering, medicine, agriculture, forestry, fisheries, etc. "It is these professions—and not the law—that are necessary to build up this country."

COLD WAVE IN CALCUTTA

Calcutta experienced a cold wave for a couple of days since the night of the 25th December.

The minimum temperature in Calcutta on the 26th was 47 degrees and the maximum 75. The lowest minimum temperature recorded during the last 11 years in Calcutta is 45 degrees on the 19th January, 1934. It touched 47 on the 8th January, 1945.

On one occasion in the last 35 years, the minimum temperature in Calcutta has gone below 47 degrees. This was on the 24th December, 1910, when the temperature fell to 46. The lowest ever recorded up-to-date was 44.4 on the 20th January, 1899.

MUSLIM LEAGUE VICTORY DAY

"The Muslim nation in India is determined to be free. It is a power to reckon with, and not all the thunders and threats from Delhi, Allahabad or Sevagram can suppress that urge for independence which is part and parcel of its very existence," said Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy addressing a gathering of Muslims, one of the biggest in recent years, in Calcutta Maidan on the 27th December last.

The occasion was the launching of the election campaign by the Bengal Muslim League for the provincial legislature and observation of "Victory Day" for the success of League candidates in the Central Assembly.

Mile-long processions coming from different parts of the city and suburbs conversed on the meeting ground. Waving of multi-coloured flags with League emblems, shouting of slogans, such as "Pakistan Lae Ka Rahange" (we will fight for and win Pakistan), display of lathis, playing of music were features of the processions, which temporarily dislocated vehicular traffic along some of the main thoroughfares leading to the Maidan the *Statesman* writes describing the procession.

"False is the calumny that our organization is one of rich people. I claim that the League, founded on the loyalty and support of the poor, cannot but have only one aim in view, namely, the betterment of the lot of the poor and the oppressed," said Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy.

"To the Hindu peoples I offer my hand of friendship and regard, and I trust they will never have any cause to entertain any sense of grevance at the hands of Muslims. I, therefore, ask the Congress to leave us alone. They have sufficient evidence of the fact that they are not wanted by Muslims."



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Khwaja Sir Nazimuddin said that the result of the Central Assembly elections in Muslim constituencies had demonstrated that the claim of the League—the only representative organization of Muslims—could no longer be refuted or challenged.

"We demand that the British Cabinet should be ready to announce, immediately provincial elections are over, the setting up of two constituent assemblies, one for the Pakistan zone and the other for the rest of India."

Referring to the coming provincial elections, Sir Nazimuddin said that the League had no objection to the setting up of Muslim candidates by the Congress. They would welcome it as it would enable them to further strengthen the organization of the League and demonstrate more fully the solid support it enjoyed of the Muslim masses.

CONGRESS DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATION

"A fear persists with the advocates of Pakistan that if India remains undivided the Muslims cannot escape oppression at the hands of the Congress. Such misgivings are due to want of confidence." Thus observed Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, Member, Congress Working Committee, in a call to his countrymen to put up a united fight against British imperialism while hoisting the national flag at Deshapriya Park on the 28th December morning on the occasion of the Diamond Jubilee Celebration of the Indian National Congress.

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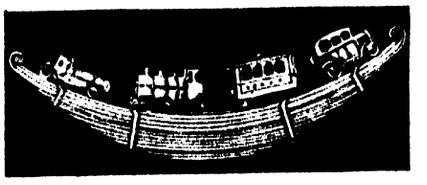
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The Bengal Provincial Congress Committee observed the occasion by hoisting the national flag at its premises in the morning. Mr. Surendra Mohon Ghosh, President of the B. P. C. C., hoisted the flag and Mr. Kalipada Mukherjee, Secretary of the B. P. C. C., explained to the gathering the significance of the flag.

Hoisting the national flag and addressing the gathering at Deshapriya Park, Dr. Ghosh said :

"On this day 60 years ago the Congress began its work. It was then limited within a handful of men. But to-day after 60 years it is the organisation of the people. It has worked and grown from strength to strength but has not yet been able to reach its ideal of winning independence. It is true that it has gone far during the last 25 years under the leadership of Mahatma Gandhi but the goal has yet to be reached."

Continuing Dr. Ghosh said that some might say that the British were now weak but he thought that it was none of their concern whether the British were weak or strong, the Congress had but one task before it and that was to win freedom. The Congress did not want that any country in the world should be ruled over by another. It wanted to liquidate dependence and oppression in a final manner and wanted freedom for all. Dr. Ghosh said that they wanted to be friendly with the British. They had no objection to their remaining in India but there should not be a single Britisher here in India as their master.

In explaining the significance of the National Flag Dr. Ghosh said that it was in 1921 that the idea of National Flag was first conceived of. But in variegation of colours it differed from the present one which was an emblem of purity, courage and sacrifice.

The inscription of *charka* on it signified economic liberation of the people of which an overwhelming percentage was steeped in poverty. The Congress stood for vindication of the rights of the poverty stricken people whether they were Hindus, Muslims, Christians, Parsees or Jains. It stood for equal rights for all.

DEATH OF DR. AJIT MOHAN BOSE

The death took place in Calcutta early this week of Dr. Ajit Mohan Bose, a well-known medical man of the city. Nephew of Sir J. C. Bose, Dr. Bose was regarded as an authority on Naturopathy and a pioneer among private medical practitioners in Bengal in the introduction of X-Ray, electrotherapy, hydropathy and other forms of treatment in Calcutta.

He was the first Indian doctor to attend the Radiological and Naturopathy Conference in Berlin in 1936, and was in charge of the X-Ray and Electrotherapy Department of Chittaranjan Seva Sadan.

The late Dr. Bose, who was 62, leaves a wife and only son, Mr. Dilip Bose.

RELEASE OF POLITICAL PRISONERS

Immediate legalisation of Forward Bloc, Congress Socialist Party and Kisan Sabhas was urged in a resolution adopted at a largely attended public meeting held at Jorabagan Park on the 30th December last.

The meeting also adopted another resolution urging the immediate and unconditional release of all political prisoners and officers and men of the Indian National Army.

In another resolution the meeting protested against the proposal for retrenchment of workers from factories, railways and other places and called the Government to see that nobody was retrenched.

PROBLEM OF ACCOMMODATION

While Calcutta continues to be a major base for the armies of occupation and an important port on the lines of communication, the utmost consideration is being given to releasing property requisitioned for military purposes. Up to the end of November, 150 residential and 149 non-residential premises were released.

The Standing Quartering Board which functioned in war time to adjust demands, having full regard to the requirements of the public, continues to exercise full control and co-ordination of the general problem.

The Board meets once every week and reviews in detail every demand for accommodation and decides the properties and lands which should be put forward for de-requisitioning. Six civilian members are included in the Board of whom three are Government officials.

During the first half of December the following civilian properties have been released : Residential premises 22, non-residential 22.

This brings the total of released properties to 172 residential and 171 non-residential.

KEROSENE RATIONING TO BEGIN IN JANUARY

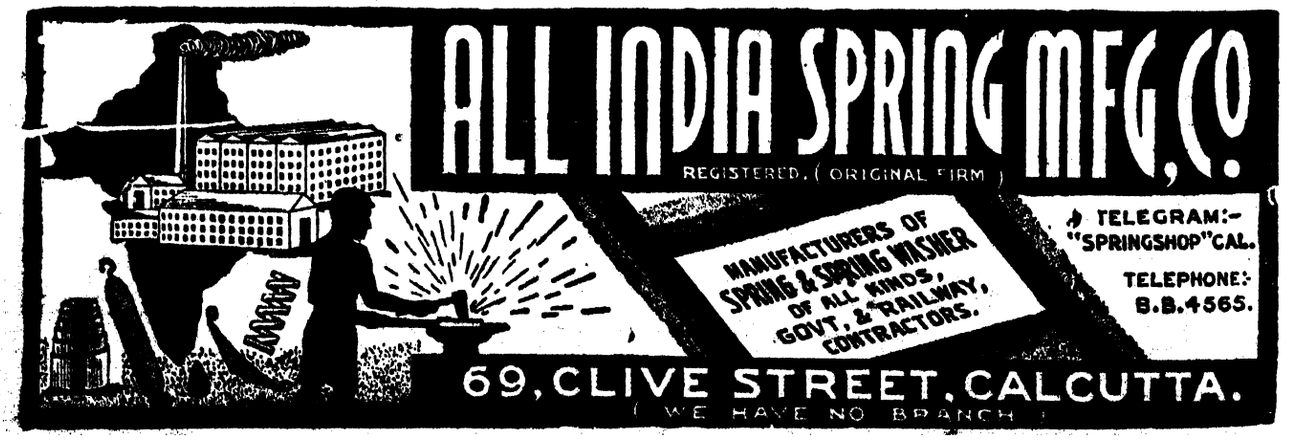
A Bengal Government *Press Note* says : The rationing of kerosene in Calcutta, which was to have started on December 31, 1945, will now begin four weeks later, i.e., on January 28, 1946. The postponement, however, means the loss of only one rationing period as rations are to be drawn only once every four weeks.

The postponement was necessitated by unexpected delay over the linking of specific blocks of streets, roads and lanes or sectors of holdings to individual kerosene retail shops with the result that the distribution of all ration cards before December 31, 1945, was not found possible.

Previous announcements with regard to kerosene permits for cooking and refrigeration and for vehicles and boats may thus be considered cancelled. Permits will now be valid from February, 1946, and monthly thereafter.

ECHO OF "CALCUTTA FIRINGS"

The India League conference in London is reported to have adopted a resolution protesting against "the wanton firing on peaceful and unarmed student demonstrators in Calcutta and elsewhere in India", calling upon Government to institute a searching inquiry into the conduct of the officials concerned.



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Concluding Dr. Ghosh exhorted all present to try to realise the ideal the National Flag stood for. Dr. Ghosh said the National Flag would be no better than a piece of cloth if the ideas and ideals associated with it were not intelligently understood. To honour it was to honour the country.

A public meeting was held in the evening at Sraddhananda Park. Mr. Bepin Behari Ganguly presided, and among others Mr. Kalipada Mukherjee, Mr. Jnanjan Neogy, Mr. Raj Kumar Chakravarty addressed the meeting.

Mr. Surendra Mohon Ghosh, President, B. P. C. C., also hoisted the National Flag in the morning at Hazra Park. The function was held under the auspices of the South Calcutta District Congress Committee.

A meeting was held at Beadon Square in the afternoon under the auspices of the North Calcutta District Congress Committee. Mr. Amar Krishna Ghose presided.

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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending
25th December, 1945

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN AND SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 770 against 819 and 848 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 218. The general death-rate of the week was 15.87 per mille.

Town (*Wards* 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 22nd December, 1945, was 646 against 690 and 724 in the two preceding weeks. There were 7 deaths from cholera against 9 and 24 in the two preceding weeks. There was 1 death from small-pox during the week against nil in the previous week. There were 2 deaths from influenza against 4 in the previous week. The mortality from fever and bowel-complaints amounted to 56 and 74 respectively against 49 and 69 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 15.24 per mille per annum.

There were 25 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 14.65.

There were 151 deaths from respiratory diseases against 148 in the previous week.

There were 34 deaths from tuberculosis against 34 in the previous week.

Suburbs (*Wards* 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 124 against 129 and 124 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, nil from cholera, nil from small-pox, 1 from influenza, 23 from fever, 20 from bowel-complaints and 23 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 20.59 per mille.

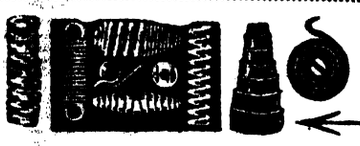
There was no imported death. Excluding these, the death-rate was nil.

There were 5 deaths from tuberculosis against 9 in the previous week.

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S. M. YAQUB,
First Deputy Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 22nd December, 1945.

Special Notice

In exercise of the power vested in the Corporation of Calcutta under Section 372 (1) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, and in supersession of all previous notices in the matter, it is hereby notified for the information of the public that all rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in all premises situate in Wards Nos. 16 and 17 within the respective boundaries specified hereunder including or excluding premises abutting on streets or roads (hereunder marked as "included" or "excluded" as the cases may be) forming boundaries of the said Wards, according as such streets or roads are or are not included within the said Wards shall be collected by the occupiers of such premises and deposited in one or more suitable receptacles, as may be necessary, of the kind prescribed hereunder, which should be kept ready by 8 a.m. for removal of the contents once in a day, at a suitable place near the entrance to or within the premises where open space is available affording easy and free access to the Corporation Staff engaged for the purpose. Failure to comply with the aforesaid requisition within 2 months of the date of this notification shall render the defaulter liable to prosecution under Section 372 (1) read with Section 488 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923 and to the penalty provided therefor.

Note :—"It will be in the interests of occupiers of premises held in severalty to arrange amongst themselves and jointly provide a number of receptacles which will be sufficient to cope with the total quantity of rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in the entire premises."

Boundaries of the above Wards, the street or road being marked "included" or "excluded" according as premises abutting thereon are intended to be included or excluded in the Ward for purposes of this notice.

Ward No. 16:—
North—Kyd Street (excluded); thence to Free School Street (excluded) and thence to Ripon Street (excluded).
East—Wood Street (excluded) and Wellesley Street (included).
South—Theatre Road (excluded).
West—Chowringhee Road (included).

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S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 14th December, 1945.

Final Electoral Rolls

Bengal Legislative Assembly

The public are hereby informed that fresh electoral rolls for the Calcutta (General) Women's Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Assembly have been revised and finally published on the 29th December, 1945, under the Bengal Legislative Assembly Electoral (Preparation, Revision and Publication of Electoral Rolls) Rules, 1936.

A complete set of the rolls for the said constituency can be inspected either at the Chief Presidency Magistrate's Office 2, Bankshall Street, Calcutta, or at the Central Municipal Office (Election Department), 5, Surendra Nath Banerjee Road, Calcutta, and copies of such rolls are available for purchase at the Records Department of the Calcutta Corporation at the Central Municipal Office.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer,
Calcutta Corporation,
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Central Municipal Office,
The 29th December, 1945.

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,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
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,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.			Mudikhana			
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
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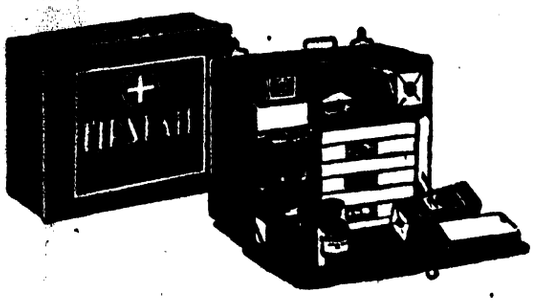
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New) ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12 Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each ...	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl's eggs ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer ...		0 10 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Rauchi) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. (Country) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Turnip ...		0 10 0
*Carrot ...		0 12 0
*Beetroot ...		0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 12 0	1 0 0
,, (Darjeeling) per seer (Contd.)	0 10 0	
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each —	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score —	1 0 0	
Oranges 8 to 16 —	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 12 0
Sugarcane each —	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate —	1 8 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,, —		
Ghee Lakhee —		
Do. Bhadwa —	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree ...	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,, —		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 6 0	(Con.)
Atta White No. 1 —		
Atta Brown per seer —	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 8 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar ,, ...	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb. —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer —	0 10 0	
,, (Sugarcandy) ,, —	0 12 0	
Suji —	(Ration 0 8 0	Shop) (Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ...	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga ,, ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,, ...	0 6 6	
Biuli ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
,, (Sona) per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Mattar ,, ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) ...	0 2 9	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. —	1 6 0	
Coal ,, ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. ...		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley ...		
Cobra Boot Polish —	0 12 0	1 0
Jelly —		

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET

Rates quoted on the 19th December, 1945

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Hump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class From	3rd Class
VEAL (s)	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A P
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 8 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 12 0	4 12 0		

ARTICLES.	1st Class.		2nd Class	3rd Class.
MUTTON.				
Chops per seer ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lunchoon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 8 0	4 10 0

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES	From	To
*POULTRY.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 8 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 8 0	3 14 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 14 0	4 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	4 0 0
Goose ,, ...	24 0 0	28 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ..	55 0 0	70 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ..	30 0 0	40 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 8 0	2 14 0
Fowls, fresh, per score	2 14 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) per score	3 4 0	4 0 0
GAME.		
Dove each ..	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	6 0 0	7 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 10 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 14 0	1 0 0
Ginger ,, ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Do. (Large) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Onions, (New) per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. ,, white ,,	1 12 0	1 15 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...		
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	15 0 0	18 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. * Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra —	0 14 0	1 8 0
Do. Country per seer —		
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 3 6	0 4 6
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	0 4 6
Do. (Simla) per seer	1 8 0	2 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	1 8 0	2 4 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 14 0	1 12 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 14 0	1 12 0

Do. Simla ,, ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...		
Do. Kidney hill per seer	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbul (Patal) per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 4 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tomato per seer ..	0 10 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,		
Do. Ranchi ,,	1 0 0	1 8 0
Do. Shillong ,,	1 0 0	1 8 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 14 0	1 2 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tarai per seer ...		
Kankrole per seer —		

Do (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)	24 0 0	26 0 0
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ..		
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. —		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 10—16 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 16—30	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore „ ...		
Do. Ceylon „ ...		
Do. Madras „ ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling „ ...		
Pomegranate Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban „ ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritsagar „ ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul „ ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country „ ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Calasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches American dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do S. African per lb. ...		
Do Punjab „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rose Apple per score —		
Sofata 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score —		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each —		
Do. Kabul —	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad „ ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer —		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. „ 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) „	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 2, 5 & 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 8	Betel leaves
			About 2 cottahs of open land on Beltola Rd.	To be fixed by the authority.	To be approved by the authority.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,, —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,, ...	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer — ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	4 0 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) ,, ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	5 0 0	6 0 0
Cutla per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut pieces) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Rohi per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 4 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Butter fish per seer ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	2 14 0	3 8 0
Lobster —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Mackerel —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Gajal (Entire) ...		
Shrimp per seer —	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,, ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,, ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland ,, ...		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed. ,, }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. ...	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red ,, ,, ...		
Wheat ,, ,, —		0 5 3
Wholemeal (Flour) ,, ...		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		
Rice per seer (retail) —		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ..		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ..		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,, ...		
Kamini rice ,, ...		
Palmal (table) per seer ...	0 12 0	
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer ...		0 9 0
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 0
***DAL, Etc.**		Control Price Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar ,, ...		0 12 0
Chola ,, —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor ,, —		0 13 0
Khasari ,, ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) ...		0 13 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. ,, ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. ,, ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,, ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) ...	1 1 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 30 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,, ...	0 0 6	
80 ,, ,, ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — ...	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	0 13 0	0 14 0
		to 1 0 0
Halud ,, —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. —		4 0 0
Short bread per lb —	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins ,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb. ...		
Assorted Patties per dos.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 1 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
* Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices according to supplies

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.		
Nimki —		
Petit Beurre —		
School ...		
Thin Arrowroot „ ...		
Water „ —		
Lucological —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin.		
Cow & Gate Milk Food ...		
Cow & Gate Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk—		
per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only ...	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 5	0 2 0	
Deresske per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	2 0
„ „ (magnum)		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 ...	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ ...		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott.		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 3 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1- 2 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 0
*Bisurated Magnesia,large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	123 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. up to 31st December, 1945.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Nos. 4, 5, 6, 15, and 16	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 7th November, 1945.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Kora)		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chinishakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dadkhani		
Deshi Boiled		
Dudhkalma		
Control (Medium)		
,, (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole)		
Gram (Dal)	0 6 0	
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 8 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,,		
Pabna ,,		
Ghee (Bisweswar)		4 6 0
Do. (Buffalo)		
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 0
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,,		0 5 0
Suji		
Gur (Beli) (control)		0 5 6
,, Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes (Control)		0 10 0
Gauhati		
Madras		

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal	0 10 0	0 12 0
Brinjal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas		
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each		
Ginger		0 10 0
Onion	0 5 0	0 6 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	3 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 4 0	2 0 0
Prawns	1 0 0	2 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki		
Crab per pair		
Koi	2 8 0	3 8 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	2 14 0	3 0 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	2 14 0	3 0 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
DAL.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kasha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits)	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer		6 0 0
Ranchi ,,		
Sree (Mark)		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled)	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do.	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
***SUGAR & FLOUR.**		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata)		
*Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
*Atta ,,		0 5 0
*Do. B ,,		
Gur (Bheli)		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
BUTTER.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer		4 0 0
Milk		0 10 0
Cows' Head		
Condensed Milk		
Milk Maid		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer		2 0 0
Oranges 12—80	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,,		10 0 0
Dates Arab	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer		
Naspati		
Mango		
,, (Langra)		
Pomegranate per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer		
Potatoes New	0 8 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanital)	0 10 0	
Brinjal	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer	1 8 0	
Pona ,,	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,,	1 12 0	
Bagda ,,	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,,	1 12 0	
Crab (each)	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
MEAT	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do.		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin		
Cocoa Hornby		
Coffee Poison's lb.		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb.	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do.		
Household per tin		
Jacob's Cream Crackers		
**Rice		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin.		
Pearl Barley (C. B.)		
Sago (Pearl)		
Quaker's Oats		
Pascal's Lozenges (Glass) each		
Jam		
Jelly		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin)	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin		
Do. per bottle		
Do. ,, bulk		
Rising Sun		
Do. per bottle		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 2nd January, 1946.

ARTICLES	From Rs.A.P.	To Rs.A.P.
MUTTON		
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd " " —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	
Fowls " —	1 8 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	
Ginger " —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 0 6	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —	0 12 0	
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 0	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer		0 12 0
Do. Bombay " ...		
Do. Country " —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer		
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi " ...		
Do. Gauhati " ...		
Country ... —	0 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly " ...		
Cabbage " ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling " ...	0 14 0	
Do. Deshi " —		
Beans " —	0 10 0	
Squash " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato " ...	0 8 0	
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 12 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—3 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bukhara per seer ...	2 8 0	
Apricot " ...	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza " ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab " —	1 12 0	
Do. Bagdad " ...	1 0 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta " ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer " ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi " ...		
Khobani " " ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts " ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	2 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ..		
Jamrul " ...		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeta 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel ...		

ARTICLES	From Rs.A.P.	To Rs.A.P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh ...		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—26 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	}	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—25 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Country each ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Peaches ..		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Sultuna " ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	6 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled " —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground " ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay " " ...	2 4 0	
Aligarh " " ...	2 4 0	
Jessore " per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur " " ...	3 8 0	
Pabna " " ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga " " ...		
Mazafferpur ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Prawns " ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa " ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Rohi " ...	1 8 0	
Rohi (cut pieces) " ...		2 0 0
Small fish " ...		1 8 0
Chetal " ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Galda ...	2 0 0	

ARTICLES	From Rs.A.P.	To Rs.A.P.
RICE		
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) " ...		
Patnai (Atap) " md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund ...		
Peshwar Rice per md. —		
Dhaki Chata " ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse " —		
Medium "		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java " " ...		
Cocoanut Oil " ...		
Mustard Oil " ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour " ...		
Atta " ...		
Sujee " ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal " ...	0 10 0	
Arhar " ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari " ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) " ...		0 10 0
Mator " ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal " —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 8 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk "		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
" " Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White)	0 8 0	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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The largest quarry owners in the Mirzapore District
Supply Mirzapore and Chunar Stones of every description

PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 22nd December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Orab each ...	0 2 6	0 8 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	3 0 0
Mutton „ ...	—	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —	—	
Brinjal „ ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 8 0	
Garlic „ —	1 0 0	
Green Chilly ...		0 6 0
Onion „ ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	1 0 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...		
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond „ seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras „ ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk „		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana „ ...	0 6 0	
Masoor „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai „ ...	0 7 0	
Biuli „ ...		
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
„ (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor „	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) „	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal „ (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel „ —	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 2nd January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Orab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton „ —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid „ —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —		2 3 0
Fowl's Eggs „ —		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 12 0	
Brinjal „ ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (English) „ ...	0 8 0	
Cauliflour „ „ ...	0 5 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
„ (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score —	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly „ —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) „ —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi „ —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger „ —		
Raddish „ —	0 3 0	
Squash „ —	0 5 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White „ „ —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 8 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra „ —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes „ —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) „ —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee „ —		
Do. Bhadwa „ —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree „ —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Co-operative) —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 8 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat „ ...	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
„ „ „ "B"	0 6 0	
„ „ „ "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) „ —		
Do. (Atap) „ —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) „	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil „ (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana „ —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree „ —	0 5 0	0 8 6
Kalai „ —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) „ —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor „ —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) „ —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 —
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 8 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 25th September, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	2 12 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)		3 0 0
Silong	2 8 0	
Lobster	2 0 0	
Bagda		
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	2 8 0	3 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	
Cauliflower		
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	1 4 0	
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer		
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each	0 6 0	3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 4 to 6	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos.	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple	0 2 0	
Tamarind per seer	0 1 3	2 0 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10	1 0 0	
Langra 4—8	1 0 0	
Bombay 6—8	1 0 0	
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 8 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL,		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,	0 10 0	0 11 0
Bhanga	0 10 0	
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,		
Do. (Sona) ,,		
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 9
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 10 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
38A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
32 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
2 Stall	25 0 0 (Monthly)				
27	0 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
13	3 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do.
,, 46B	0 12 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
,, 89C	0 10 0	Do.
,, 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
,, 52	0 6 0	Do.
,, 55	0 6 0	Do.
,, 56	0 6 0	Do.
,, 57	0 6 0	Do.
Cocoanut Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
,, 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
,, 30	0 4 0	Do.
,, 31	0 4 0	Do.
,, 39—40	1 0 0	Do.
,, 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	1 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	8 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range		
,, 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	30 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	28 0 0	Business to be
,, 32	35 0 0	approved by the
,, 58	43 0 0	Committee.
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	33 0 0	Do.
,, 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-130	1 4 0	Do.
,, 75-78		
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	8 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 8 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
,, 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, 9	0 8 0	Do
,, 10	0 8 0	Do
,, 18	0 8 0	Do
,, 19	0 8 0	Do
,, 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,, 35	0 4 0	Do
40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. N. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 33	0 5 6	Do.
,, 57	0 5 6	Do.
,, 72-73	0 11 0	Do.
,, 38	0 5 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
,, 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
	0 5 0	Do
,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range		
,, 2	0 8 0	Betel
,, 12	1 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee
,, 13—14	1 0 0	Mustard Oil
,, 86	1 12 0	Miscellaneous Goods.

A few arat spaces are available. Apply to Market office for terms & conditions

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs.As.P.			Rs.As.P.			Rs.As.P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff.	30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do			Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 3 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B. Chandney	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS







(Inside Municipal Markets)

Marks for BUFFALO MEAT







BEEF







MUTTON







VEAL

(Outside Municipal Markets)

Marks for COW & BUFFALO MEATS













Marks for SHEEP & GOAT MEATS

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Chronicle & Comment

FIRST CIVIC ELECTION IN CHINA.

Chungking's first populace election after the war has recently been held. Hundred and thirty-eight candidates including women contested 85 Municipal Council seats.

Though qualified quarters consider that there is not yet a machinery for national election in China the fact that nearly a quarter million out of a population of one and a quarter million (every citizen has a right to vote) thronged 250 polling booths from dawn to dusk testifies to the desire of the people in Chungking.

Most voters were illiterate but there were authorized substitute writers on hand.

Condidates had to meet following requirements: More than 25 years of age; secondary education, and some years in public or social work.

The popular council has powers to make laws for the municipality, examine the annual budget and allot powers vested in similar councils in Britain and America.

HONOUR TO AMERICAN GENERALS

The new U.S. Postal Guide shows that fourteen towns have been renamed in honour of Gen. Marshall, but none for Gen. Eisenhower. In case he feels neglected, Texas has bought his birthplace in Denison, and will maintain it as a permanent memorial to him.

LONG-LOST RUSSIAN TOWN EXPLORED

Guided by folk legends Soviet archaeologists have discovered a long-lost 1,500-year-old town and fabled castle in the Central Asian deserts of the Kara-Kalpakain Republic. Previously unknown to scientists this town, Kurgancha, is often mentioned in the folk-lore of the local population. These stories say it was built by Koblandy-Batyr, the national hero of Kaba Kalpak. Some of the arched, two-storey buildings were in such a good state of preservation that they could be entered without preliminary excavations.

In the same area the expedition discovered the ruin of Barak Tau Castle. Legends relate that after the death of a local ruler, Barak, a dragon occupied the Castle. For many years superstitious tribesmen were afraid to go near the sinister pile.

Further south, in an area called by Professor Sergei Tolstoy, leader of the expedition, "A preserve of primitive cultures", the scientists unearthed 18 more sites of ancient habitations in addition to the 7 previously found here. These settlements are remains of the Kherfzm civilization, which flourished in the early centuries and are situated in the desert, north of the present town of Turtkul.

The Week In The Corporation

Purchase of The Tramways Undertaking

Company Cancels The Agreement

AT its emergent meeting held on Monday, the 7th January last, the Corporation directed the Chief Executive Officer to send to the Agent of the Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd., a suitable reply, in terms of the advice given by the Counsel, bearing upon the Company's letter to the Chief Executive Officer informing him that the agreement entered into between the Company and the Corporation on the 3rd September, 1945, (which is reproduced as supplement to this issue of the *Gazette*) stood cancelled and that arbitration should not be proceeded with.

The Company's Letter

[*In the matter of an arbitration between the Corporaion of Calcutta and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited, in terms of the submission contained in a contract between the parties dated the 3rd September, 1945, and the said contract dated the 3rd September, 1945.*]

"We have to bring to your notice the fact that since the Corporation of Calcutta has been unable to obatin the assents mentioned in paragraph 7 of the above contract, or to obtain the enactment of the legislation to which reference is made in paragraph 8 of such contract, or to obtain the moneys necessary for the payment of the purchase price under such contract, the contract is cancelled in terms of Clause 9 thereof.

"We have, therefore, to request that, since, by reason of this fact, the submission under which the arbitrators were appointed is also cancelled, the said arbitration should not be proceeded with.

"We shall be glad to have your acknowledgment and your assurance that no steps will be taken in the arbitration.

"Our Solicitors Messrs. Orr. Dignam and Co. have this day intimated the above facts to the arbitrators and stated that they will of course be pleased to appear before the arbitrators if the latter desire to put any questions with a view to elucidating further the facts in consequence of which the contract is cancelled."

In The Background

According to Clause 7 of the Agreement executed between the Company and the Corporation, the Corporation approached the Government of India regarding the tramways in the Maidan area, the Chairman, Tollygunj Municipality regarding the Tramways within the limit of that Municipality, the Chairman, South Suburban Municipality and the Chairman, Howrah Municipality, for the same reason, the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation Ltd., regarding the contract for the supply of electrical energy, and the Commissioners for the New Howrah Bridge regarding the tramways over that bridge.

The Government of India informed the Chief Executive Officer on the 27th December, 1945, that they had referred the matter to the Government of Bengal and further communication would follow as soon as they received the reply.

The Chairman of the Tollygunj Municipality informed that no agreement had been made between the said Municipality and the Company.

The Chairman of the South Suburban Municipality informed that the Commissioners of the said Municipality approved of the Tramways undertaking being taken over and run by the Corporation—the details being settled after further negotiation.

The Chairman of the Howrah Municipality informed that the said Municipality agreed that the Tramways undertaking be taken over by the Corporation and that the benefit of their agreement with the Company be assigned on such terms and conditions as might be agreed upon between them and the Corporation. They nominated Messrs. S. K. Mukerji and B. C. Kar as their representatives to discuss the matter with the Corporation.

The Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation Ltd. informed that their present contract was binding on them and their successors and would remain in force till it was determined by either party. Evidently, in the event of the Corporation stepping into the shoes of the Calcutta Tramdays Co Ltd., the agreement would continue as an agreement between them and the Calcutta Corporation—the Calcutta Corporation being bound by the obligations of the Calcutta Tramways Co. Ltd. They further informed that, though not apparently necessary, it would be advisable to execute a short supplementary agreement recording the transfer.

The Commissioners for the New Howrah Bridge intimated that they would have no objection to the assignment of the agreement provided the Corporation were able to satisfy the Commissioners that the Corporation possessed statutory authority to fulfil the terms of the agreement. They further insisted that the opinion of the Advocate-General should be taken in this case. Approval of the Local Government was also sought in this case. The Local Government informed that the question of Government approval would arise after the consent of the Bridge Commissioners had been obtained.

In respect of clause 8 of the agreement the Corporation was advised by Mr. P. R. Das, Bar-at-law, that no such legislaton was necessary. So no action was taken in that connection.

Regarding the payment of the purchase price the Corporation was advised that the expenditure could be met from the amount of *Salami* to be realised from the Agent who will be appointed by the Corporation to run the undertaking. Tenders were invited for the appointment of an Agent, and 4 offers have been received from parties who are agreeable to pay a *salami* of Rs. 44 crores approximately.

The Corporation Chief Engineer valued the Tramways undertaking at Rs. 3,69,35,200 and the Corporation, in the event of the Company not [illegible] the said sum, appointed Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose to act as Arbitrator on behalf of the Corporation.

The Company, who valued their property at Rs. 8,51,59,075, appointed Mr. W. J. Younie, to act as arbitrator on their behalf, and informed the Corporation of their decision in their letter dated the 27th December, 1945.

Lastly, on the 2nd January, 1946, the Corporation received the Company's letter cancelling the agreement made between the Corporation and the Company dated the 3rd September, 1945. At the Corporation meeting the Mayor read out that letter before the House, which subsequently decided to hold a special meeting on Monday, the 7th January.

When the Company's letter came up for consideration by the House, Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul pointed out the inconsistency in the Company's letter. He said that in one part of the letter it was stated that the contract was cancelled while in another part it was stated that the solicitors of the Company would be pleased to appear before the arbitrators if the latter desired to put any questions with a view to elucidating further the facts in consequence of which the contract was cancelled. That showed that the Company had not yet made up their mind if the contract had been really cancelled or not. The agreement between the parties was quite explicit.

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that as the agreement between the parties and the whole case would come up before the arbitrators it would not be proper for them to hold a discussion over it.

Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi maintained that Councillors were within their rights to discuss the matter.

The Mayor disagreed as he considered the matter to be *sub judice*.

The House eventually came to the decision that the Chief Executive Officer should give a suitable reply to the Agent of the Calcutta Tramways Co., Limited in terms of advice given by the Counsel.

The Mayor then called out the next item.

At this stage Alderman Siddiqi wanted it to be recorded that the members of his group present at the meeting would not be responsible for any financial imposition in case the matter was attended with any loss or surcharge.

The Mayor agreed but pointed out that along with this it would also be noted that Alderman Siddiqi had wanted the thing to be noted after the meeting concerning the item had been declared to be closed.

Councillor J. H. Method also, on behalf of his party, expressed the same opinion as that of Alderman Siddiqi.

DEATH OF DR. S. C. BASAK

End Of A Brilliant Legal Career

The sudden death of Dr. Sarat Chandra Basak, Senior Government Pleader of the Calcutta High Court, was mourned at a Full Court meeting of all the judges, presided over by the Chief Justice, Sir Harold Derbyshire, at the Calcutta High Court on Monday, the 7th January last.

Dr. Basak was returning from Kalimpong to Calcutta and died of heart failure in the train near the Jalpaiguri station on the previous night. He was aged 70 years.

Out of respect to the memory of Dr. Basak, all the members of the Bench and the Bar stood for two minutes in silence.

Dr. Basak was the senior government pleader in the High Court. Dr. Basak had a very distinguished career at the Bar. He was enrolled in 1901 and after a very extensive practice in 1929 he succeeded Mr. Justice Guha as senior government pleader when the latter was promoted to the Bench, and he filled the office of the senior government pleader with great distinction. He was a scholar in the widest sense of the word. He was a lawyer, who was well-versed in many branches of the law. He was an Advocate who always knew his case and conducted it wisely

It was a great loss to this province that he with his kindly disposition, his learning, his experience and his wisdom had been taken away at this time.

His body reached Calcutta on Monday morning, the 7th January last, and was taken to his residence at Bhawanipore from where it was carried to Keoratola Burning Ghat for cremation

Wreaths were presented by many associations including the Calcutta High Court Bar Association.

After a brilliant academic career, Dr. Basak obtained his M.L. in 1908, standing first class first, and D. L. in 1909.

He leaves behind him his widow, six sons, three daughters and numerous friends and relations to mourn his death. His eldest son, Mr. K. C. Basak, I.C.S., is a secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Monday : 7th January

CONDOLENCE

The Corporation condoled the death of Dr. S. C. Basak, Senior Government Pleader, Calcutta High Court, and as a mark of respect to his memory the meeting was adjourned for 10 minutes.

Mentioning the death of Dr. Basak, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that Dr. Basak graduated about 50 years ago and after obtaining his M.A. degree in Natural Science as a contemporary of Mr. P. N Brahma, *ex*-Mayor and Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq joined the High Court later on. He made his mark in the High Court within a few years and won confidence and respect not only of the Bar but also of the litigant public.

Proceeding the Mayor said that while coming down to Calcutta from Kalimpong he felt uneasy in the train and died of heart failure before the train reached Jalpaiguri on Sunday night (the 6th January).

WATER WORKS ENGINEER

A requisition meeting which sought to rescind a previous resolution of the Corporation appointing Mr. R. M. Gupta as Water Works Engineer fell through as leave was refused by 38 votes to 27.

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Wednesday : 9th January

IMPROVEMENT OF CORPORATION ADMINISTRATION

For effecting improvement in the administration of the various departments of the Corporation, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, at the meeting held on Wednesday, the 9th January, last, stressed the necessity of co-operation between the Councillors and Aldermen on one side and the executives of the different departments on the other.

The Mayor informed the House that some Councillors had met him in his room and decided that they would do the work of inspection of supervision of various departments among themselves.

In this matter those Councillors sought the co-operation of other Councillors. The Mayor hoped that every member of the House would be willing to co-operate with them and the Mayor for effecting whatever improvement was possible in the circumstances.

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul, proceeded the Mayor, was complaining that in spite of his best efforts as Chairman of the Services Committee No. 1, he did not get the necessary help and co-operation from the executive.

Such thing, the Mayor remarked, must not continue. He suggested that besides taking part in the deliberations of this House they should informally meet from time to time and see what they could do to improve things

With the approval of the House, the Mayor wanted to ask the Chief Executive Officer to give such facilities as might be required to carry on the work of inspection.

The Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, assured the Mayor that the executive would lend their whole-hearted co-operation in the matter.

Whereupon the Mayor asked Councillors not to proceed in a fault-finding spirit but to see to it how they could establish complete co-ordination between the Councillors and the executive with a view to improving the municipal administration.

CONDOLENCES

The Corporation condoled the deaths of Rai Bahadur Aghorenath Adhikari, well-known Bengalee educationists; Mr. Sundarlal Daga, an *ex*-Councillor of the Corporation and *ex*-member of the Council of State; Dr. Satyendra Nath Sen, retired Chemical Examiner of the Government of Bengal and a leader of the Nababidhan Brahmo Samaj, and Mr. Jogjiban Ghosh, a pioneer patriot and prominent political figure of Bengal.

The House adjourned its business for 10 minutes as a mark of respect to the deceased.

SCARCITY OF FILTERED WATER

Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen referred to the scarcity of filtered water even in winter season.

COMBUSTIBLE ARTICLES

Government having already issued notification including candle and wax in any form, rubber and asphaltum in the list of combustible articles, the Corporation requested to declare that within the limits of Calcutta as defined in Clause 11 of Section 3 of Calcutta Municipal Act of 1923, 1 cwt. of candle and wax in any form to be a small quantity within the meaning of Section 45 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, 1893 instead of 2½ cwts. as already declared.

MAP OF CALCUTTA

The Corporation approved the following Government suggestion regarding the re-allocation of the contribution to be levied on the different Public Utility Concerns in connection with the preparation and maintenance of the map of Calcutta under Section 551 (3) of the Calcutta Municipal Act.

ADMINISTRATION OF SHANGHAI

The Chinese Government has decided to appoint a permanent advisory committee of representative citizens of Shanghai to advise on the administration of the city, *Reuter's* political correspondent says.

The committee of fourteen will consist of seven Chinese members, three British, three American and one French.

Invitations to serve on the committee as British members have been sent to Sir Robert Calder Marshall, former Chairman of the British Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai, Mr. J. H. Liddell, who was Chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council (governing body of the International Settlement) at the time of Pearl Harbour, and Mr. John Keswick, former Political Adviser to Adm. Mountbatten, Allied Supreme Commander, S-E Asia.

Before Pearl Harbour Shanghai was divided into a Chinese-administered area and the International Settlement, run by a Council consisting of representatives of Britain, the U.S.A., Japan and France. Following the renunciation of extra-territorial rights by the Powers concerned the whole city has now passed under Chinese administration.

CORPORATION TEACHERS' UNION

20TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 20th Annual General Meeting of the Calcutta Corporation Teachers' Union was held on the 23rd December last under the presidentship of Mr. Jotindra Nath Bhattacharya. The annual reports of the Union and the audited accounts of the said Union were unanimously passed.

The following office-bearers and the members of the Executive Committee for the year 1945-46 were duly elected :

Mr. Madan Mohan Barman, President; Messrs. R. N. Gaggar, Md. Ismail, Bama Charan Chakravarty, Rabindra Narayan Ghose and Dr. M. N. Sarkar, Vice-Presidents; Mr. G. D. Sinha, Secretary; Mr. B. S. Mukherji and Mr. Abdul Majid, Asst. Secretaries; Mr. J. B. Ghose, Chief Accountant; Mr. Biren Kushary, Asstt. Accountant; Mr. Tarapada Kushary, Treasurer and Messrs. Singhi and Co., Auditors.

COST OF LIVING IN RANGOON

"The cost of living and general living conditions in Rangoon do not warrant my advising any Indian refugee to return to Burma at present," says Rao Bahadur Maneklal Kapadia, member of the Civil Supplies Board, Government of Burma. The cost of food per head in Rangoon amounts to Rs. 250 to Rs. 270 per month, he adds :

Some of the prices are ((all prices per lb.) : wheat, *atta* Rs. 2; besan (gram flour) Re. 1-2, betelnuts Re. 1, ghee Rs. 6, groundnut oil Re. 2-8, cocoanut oil Re. 2, dry prawns Rs. 4, black pepper Rs. 2, onions Rs. 3, green ginger Re. 1-4, corriander seeds Re. 1-4, garlic Re. 2-8, mutton Rs. 3-8, fresh prawns Rs. 3, fresh fish Rs. 3, fresh milk Re. 1, sugar Rs. 6.

The price of cabbage is Rs. 4 each, while lady's fingers are sold at 10 per rupee.

(1) Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation Ltd.—82 p.c. of the total cost.

(2) Oriental Gas Co., Ltd.—11 p.c. of the total cost.

(3) Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd—5 p.c. of the total cost.

The House also accepted the draft notification containing the draft of a Rule which Government propose to issue in this connection.

REVISED RATE FOR GAS

With regard to the Corporation's dispute with the Gas Company over the price of gas supplied for the period from February 1, 1943 to January 31, 1944, the Corporation decided to settle it at the revised rate of Rs. 3-4-0 per 1,000 c.ft., agreed to by the Company.

CALCUTTA STADIUM

Deputation Waits On Governor

Sir K. Nazimuddin, President of the I. F. A. led a deputation consisting of Major Stanhope, Mr. P. Gupta, Mr. J. C. Guha, Mr. L. R. Pentony and Khan Bahadur Mohammed Ali to wait on His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal on the 2nd January last. Mr. A. E. Roche also accompanied the deputation in an advisory capacity.

The Governor received the deputation in his study and discussed with the deputationists Calcutta's numerous problems connected with sports and particularly the question of a stadium in Calcutta for nearly an hour. It is learnt that His Excellency was very sympathetic and gave a very patient hearing and freely and frankly discussed with Sir Nazimuddin and his colleagues.

The trend of discussion and commitments and counter commitments were not made known, but one feels optimistic of the prospect of a Stadium in Calcutta sooner or later possibly sooner than later.

A neatly printed pamphlet entitled "Representation to the Governor-War Memorial Stadium," issued by Mr. Roche, sponsor of the War Memorial Stadium Scheme was handed over to the Governor and others who were present with the H. E. at the Government House on Wednesday evening.

A GIANT HOUSING SCHEME

2,000,000 New Houses For India

A giant scheme to build 2,000,000 houses in the industrial and rural areas in India spread in the next 10 years has been drawn up by the Government of India and the scheme is presently under examination of the Finance Department.

This will form one of the important items on the post-war construction plan of the Government of India. It is expected that Government will create a department called the National Housing Agency to work out the scheme. A housing expert will be in charge of the newly constituted department and the department will have full powers to deal with the housing problem effectively and promptly.

The Labour Department of the Government of India has, it is learnt, expressed readiness to supply the entire technical personnel required for the scheme as also the necessary material. The Government are also stated to be willing to advance by way of subsidies and grants to the tune of 50 per cent. the cost of constructing these houses.

ROADS AND BUSTEES COMMITTEE

Councillor Moulvi Md. Solaiman, Khan Bahadur, was appointed in the vacancy in the Roads and Bustees Committee caused by the resignation tendered by Haji Mohammad Hossain.

PREVENTION OF EPIDEMICS

To meet expenditure in connection with the prevention of epidemics the Corporation sanctioned under Section 95 of the Calcutta Municipal Act the appropriation of a sum of Rs. one lakh from the closing balance.

MODIFICATION OF A SCHEDULE

In modification of Schedule 19(8), which lays down the purposes for which premises may not be used without a license, the Corporation under Section 183(1) of the Calcutta Municipal Act accepted the proposal of the Estates and General Purposes Standing Committee to add "Asphaltum" and "Bitumen" in the list of articles mentioned therein for assessment.

CLOTH CONTROL TO CONTINUE

For Some Time More

"Cloth control measures will have to continue for some time and there will be no further reduction in the ceiling prices of cloth and yarn for the present."

This recommendation of the Industries Committee of the Cotton Textile Control Board was announced by Mr. Krishnaraj Thackersey, Chairman, at the meeting of the Board held in Bombay on the 21st December last.

Mr. Krishnaraj said that the present outlook was not favourable and it was not possible under the present conditions to remove the control as quickly as was at one time anticipated. Until the present world shortage in textiles was removed, it would be necessary to retain control to ensure that whatever supplies were available were distributed as fairly and equitably as possible. "If any relaxation is made at this juncture," Mr. Krishnaraj said, "the situation may seriously worsen and this will only result in a further aggravation of the short supplies resulting in resumption of black-market activities. It is our earnest desire that control should be relaxed gradually and in an orderly way. This will be done as soon as it becomes possible, but it will be difficult at this stage to indicate any time limit."

BRITAIN'S HEALTH

Much Improved In 1944-45

The British Health Ministry's report for the year 1944-45 up to the last March states that Britain was healthier during the period than she has ever been before.

The main reasons are considered to have been better distribution of food through different social sections; special measures—for example, diptheria immunization—against particular diseases and new methods of treatment, especially penicillin.

One especially gratifying factor is that death rates among mothers in childbirth, babies in their first month of life and children of all ages up to five were the lowest ever recorded in England and Wales in war or in peace.

So were the death rates from tuberculosis, diptheria and typhoid fever.

It is officially admitted that the tuberculosis problem was being hampered by lack of hospital accommodation and a dearth of nursing and domestic staff.

Another black spot in the nation's health was venereal disease. It is true that figures show a slight improvement but, "give no cause for complacency."


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A STADIUM IN CALCUTTA

The Corporation at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 2nd January last, adopted the *ad interim* report of its Stadium Special Committee which expressed the opinion that a Stadium in Calcutta was necessary and that the site provisionally selected by Mr. A. E. Roche, formerly of the Calcutta Football Club, namely the existing grounds of C. F. C. together with certain lands adjoining, was best suited for the purpose.

The following is the *ad interim* report of the Committee :—

"That in their opinion a Stadium in Calcutta is necessary and that the site provisionally selected by Mr. A. E. Roche, *viz.*, the existing grounds of the Calcutta Football Club together with certain lands adjoining it is best suited for the purpose.

That they are further of opinion that if any scheme for a Stadium is undertaken by Government, the Corporation will offer their full co-operation and assistance in the execution of the scheme and they, therefore, desire that the Corporation should have adequate representation on the Board that may be set up by Government for the purpose."

ROAD NAMING

The Corporation decided to name the group of roads opened out at 14, Gariahat Road as 'Suren Tagore Road'.

The Police Hospital Road was renamed as 'Girish Chandra Bose Road."

STREET LIGHTING

The House sanctioned the Lighting Superintendent's estimate amounting to Rs 45,000 for purchasing materials for effecting an immediate improvement in street lighting with a view to restoring the lighting to pre-war standard.

CORPORATION PAINTINGS

In view of the fact that the Secretary and Curator, Victoria Memorial Hall, had asked the Corporation to remove its paintings from the Memorial buildings, the Corporation decided to request Government to vacate the Town Hall at an early date for accommodation of these paintings.

PRECAUTION AGAINST SMALL-POX

For precautionary measures against outbreak and spread of small-pox epidemic in Calcutta the Corporation sanctioned appropriation of Rs. 8,500 from the closing balance to be used for the purposes of appointing and maintaining some extra vaccination staff for two months only.

HOURS OF THROWING REFUSE

In modification of its resolution dated the 1st August, 1945, the Corporation resolved that the hours of throwing rubbish and offensive matters in dustbins and streets be revised as follows :—

1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

9 p.m. to 8 a.m. (next morning).

CANCELLATION OF LEASE

At the instance of the Public Utilities and Markets Standing Committee the House resolved that the Calcutta Improvement Trust be approached with a request to cancel the existing 99 years' lease of the land at the junction of Gariahat Road and Rash Behary Avenue measuring approximately 5 bighas 18 kottahs and sell the land to the Corporation on payment of the capitalised value of the monthly rent, *viz.*, Rs. 826, as this is likely to enable the Corporation to utilise the land to the best advantage leading to increased revenue from the market.

RELIEF TO SMALL-SCALE PENSIONERS

With a view to affording relief to the small-scale Corporation pensioners on grounds of the abnormal rise in the prices of foodstuffs and other essential materials the Corporation accepted the recommendation of the Services Standing Committee No. I for insertion of the following Rule after Rule 17A of the Corporation Pension Rules :—

17B. Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing rules, all small-scale pensioners be granted a temporary increase in their pension with effect from 1st December, 1943, *i.e.*, on pensions due in January, 1944, and until further orders, on the following scale :—

(i) On pensions not exceeding Rs. 20 per month—Rs. 3 per month.

(ii) On pensions exceeding Rs. 20 per month but not exceeding Rs. 40 per month—Rs. 4.

(iii) On pensions exceeding Rs. 40 but not exceeding Rs. 44 per month such amount as together with the pensions will be equal to Rs. 44 per month.

The term "pensions" as used in this rule includes commuted portions of pensions if any, and the additional pensions sanctioned by the Corporation and Government under Rule 17A every year."

CORPORATION STRIKE ECHO

On the motion tabled by Councillor J. H. Methold the House adopted a resolution requesting the Services Standing Committee No. I to enquire into the absence from duty of the Deputy Executive Officers and other Heads of Departments during the recent Corporation strike and in view of the seriousness of this matter recommend to the Corporation such disciplinary action as they deem necessary should be taken against these officers.

CONDOLENCE

The House condoled the death of the father of Councillor S. M. Usman.

The Gazette conveys its sincerest condolence to Councillor Usman in his bereavement.

Middle

Mahatma Gandhi On Cleanliness

"If Every Citizen Does His Part The Face of Calcutta Will Be Changed"

MAHATMA Gandhi and his party returned to Calcutta by a special launch soon after midnight of the 4th January last. He proceeded to Sodepur by car.

"Swaraj has not yet come. But I have not given up hope. You must keep on knocking and one day Swaraj is bound to come," said Gandhiji addressing the congregation after prayer at Sodepur Ashram on the 4th January last.

"We are soldiers of freedom. Soldiers of a State receive salary and they maintain discipline. Soldiers of freedom do not get such payment; but they acquire strength by maintaining discipline," he said.

Servants of God

In words of Badsha Khan, they were all Khudai Khidmatgar or servants of God. They were to maintain discipline and that was why he had introduced the practice of clapping hands while praying.

Explaining the 'Bhajan' sung at the prayer Gandhiji said it was very sweet. The poet—Rabindranath—said that if nobody responded to their call they must not despair but continue to work for their ideal. Even if failures met them they must not be broken. They should go on working irrespective of whether their hopes and aspirations were realized or not. One who was devoted to God did not feel despair; he went on knocking at the heaven's door for entrance to the kingdom of God.

Mahatma Gandhi was glad to receive the news about the release of Capt. Shah Nawaz Khan, Capt. Sehgal and Lt. Dhillon, three I. N. A. officers who were tried by a Court Martial.

Constructive Programme

Between 750 and 800 workers from different districts of Bengal met at Sodepur Ashram in the afternoon of the 5th January last when Mahatma Gandhi explained to them his 18-point constructive programme which included work for communal unity, removal of untouchability, propagation of khadi and village industries, and basic education.

In his 90-minute address Gandhiji explained to them the place of constructive programme in the struggle for Swaraj and its relation to civil disobedience.

Some questions were submitted to Gandhiji referring to the Bengal famine and rehabilitation.

"The Hound of Heaven"

After the conference Gandhiji held his prayer meeting.

Referring to the song that was sung at the prayer on Sunday, the 6th January, Gandhiji said that they should take the significance of the song to their hearts. In the song poet Rabindranath said that he would not be frightened to see God coming to him in the form of misery. In this connection Gandhiji would remind them of an English poem entitled "The Hound of Heaven" in which God had been described as a huntsman pursuing the disciple continually. God, Gandhiji explained, could not leave His devotee alone because He, who had created the world, was concerned about the world going in order. So real misery came when they forgot God and happiness came when they kept God in them.

Gandhiji had a resumed talk to the Bengal Congress Workers' Conference in the afternoon.

Cleanliness Next to Godliness

In the after-prayer discourse on Monday, the 7th January last, Gandhiji stressed on the need for observance of the rules of cleanliness by every citizen. He asked them to remember that cleanliness was next to Godliness and that if they could observe the rules of cleanliness they would be pure in their hearts also.

> *Gandhiji said that although he did not travel much during these days he had heard from his friends how the city streets were made dirty with the kernel of fruits, paper pieces and other useless things strewn over them. It was also said that Calcutta had been dirty. But he could tell them that if every citizen did his part and observe the rules of cleanliness then the face of Calcutta would be changed.*

Gandhiji also exhorted them to apply the rules of cleanliness in other spheres of their lives as well.

Sixth Meeting With Governor

The sixth meeting between His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal and Mahatma Gandhi took place at Government House, Calcutta, on Monday night. The meeting lasted for about two hours.

Gandhiji left for Gauhati on his Assam tour on Tuesday afternoon, the 8th January, by the Assam Mail.

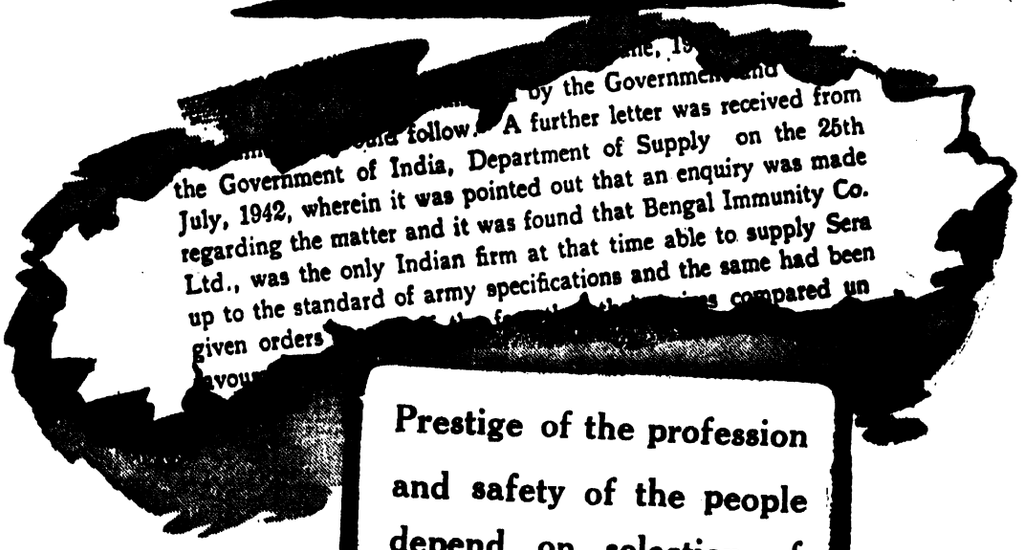
The Assam Mail, which does not usually stop at Sodepur, made a special halt there to enable Mahatma Gandhi and his party to entrain from that station.

The special bogey of third class compartments—fourth from the engine—stopped just in front of where Gandhiji was waiting on the platform.

Among those who accompanied Gandhiji were Mr. Satish Chandra Das Gupta, Rajkumari Amrit Kaur, Mr. Pyarilal, Dr. Susila Nayyar, Shri Kanubhai, Shri Ramkrishna Bajaj, Dr. Bharatan Kumarappa, Mrs. Ava Devi and Mrs. Prabhabati Devi.

Gandhiji will return to Calcutta on Monday next, the 14th January, by Assam Mail and will hold his usual prayer at Sodepur Ashram the same afternoon.

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HEALTH & HYGIENE

Water And Its Purification—II

(By M. B. Sen Gupta)

(Continued from the issue of 5th January, 1946).

THERE are various processes of sterilization in practice, some of which being described below :—

(*a*) *Ultra-Violet Rays* :- The Ultra-Violet Rays from the sun possess some bactricidal action and on this account, in tropical countries, the rivers are to some extent purified bacteriologically. This is particularly true of surface waters. Artificially prepared rays have also been found to sterilize water. But only clear and colourfree water can be treated by this method.

(*b*) *Ozone* : Ozone is a superactive form of Oxygen and its use is advocated for the following reasons :

(*i*) Colour and suspended matter are removed or reduced.

(*ii*) Odour and taste are removed or reduced.

(*iii*) A palatable and sparkling water is produced.

Sterilization by ozone, though in use in the Continent in large water-works, cannot be extensively used owing to the cost of electricity which is prohibitive in many places.

(*c*) *Katadyn Treatment* : Certain metals, particularly silver and copper, have been found to possess bactricidal action on the germs which are usually present in drinking water. Dr. Kranch of Munich demonstrated the toxic effect of activated silver and named it "Katadyn." Silver in ionic condition is believed to be responsible for such action; the quantity of silver required is only one part in 1,000 millions—a quantity undetectable by ordinary analysis. A curious feature of the Katadyn treatment is that water sterilized by this process can again sterilize a further quantity of water. Even the empty bottle in which the sterilized water had been kept is capable of sterilising a fresh sample. This is attributed to the fact that some silver ions stick to the walls of the bottle and sterilize the further quantity of water poured into it. A knowledge of this unique property probably accounts for the advocacy of the use of silver vessels, especially for feeding children, in our country from a long time.

Immense advances have been made in the purification of water by the use of Chlorine and its compounds. About forty years ago, an Englishman used Chlorine temporarily in a Typhoid epidemic in Maidstone. Afterwards Sir Alexander Houston used it successfully on a large scale in the London Water Works in 1905. In the early installations, Chlorine was being used in the form of Bleaching Powder There were, however, certain difficulties regarding its application. Cost was high, storage difficult and the arrangement for mixing the chemicals, cumbersome. All these set-backs have been overcome by the introduction of Liquid Chlorine which is more stable, easy of manipulation and economical and simple in the regulation of dosage. The dosage depends on the organic and inorganic matter present in the water and generally it does not exceed one part per million.

Storage Of Water

It has been found that some chlorinated waters, if stored for a few days, show an increase in the bacteria content. This is called "After Growth" and is due to bacteria surviving by means of spore formation. Though these bacteria are not harmful to the human system, they create an unpleasant taste. It is, therefore, advisable to avoid chlorinated water which has been in storage long.

Chloramine treatment is recommended where water has to be stored for comparatively long periods. When Ammonia is mixed with water and the water chlorinated, Chloramine is formed, which is a more permanent and effective disinfectant than chlorine. Water thus purified is free from any unpleasant smell or taste. Water is sterilized by the Chloramine treatment in Jamshedpur.

Pure drinking water is not easily available everywhere. In big cities where there are arrangements for water supply, the general public is not to bother about it, as the water supply department is responsible for its provision. But in absence of such arrangements, everyone has to find his own drinking water. Consequently, it is desirable that one should know how to obtain pure drinkable water.

It is of primary importance that the available source is not contaminated by animal and vegetable agencies. Generally, water is polluted by sewage and, the more recent the pollution, the more dangerous it is to health. The main object of water analysis is to detect such pollution and its character. The fitness of water for drinking purposes can be ascertained by chemical and bacteriological examination. No opinion can, however, be passed from the results of chemical or bacteriological analysis alone. Bacteriologically a particular sample of water is regarded as pure if there be no Colon Bacilli in a 100 cc., of the liquid. It is also very necessary to test the water for such substances as Lead and Zinc and be sure that these are completely absent, as serious diseases may result from the consumption of such water.—*Tisco Review*.

IMMUNIZATION AGAINST 'FLU'

Eggs Being The Basis Of Research

Eggs are the basis of one of the biggest attempts yet to vanquish influenza.

South Africa, Australia and Canada are sending thousands of doses of a new vaccine to England which it is hoped will provide immunization against 'flu'.

This vaccine, which was first developed in America two years ago, has, it is claimed, ten times the potency of any vaccine yet produced and it is made by injecting influenza virus into eggs containing embryo chicks.

Now for the first time given an epidemic, large-scale field tests are being undertaken with men from the forces and factory workers as 'volunteer guineapigs.' The immunized volunteers will mix normally with people who have not been innoculated to test the fectiveness of the vaccine.

Engineering & Architecture

The Role Of Engineers

"They Are The Salt Of The Earth"

THE role of engineers in rebuilding India was emphasized by His Excellency Lord Wavell opening the silver jubilee session of the Institution of Engineers (India) during the last week of December.

India, the Viceroy said, had owed much in the past to the skill and devotion of engineers. In the present, she had a greater need than ever of their services, to further that wide development of her agricultural, industrial and economic progress which it was within her power to make. Such general progress required scientific planning; and it was here that the Institution, which dealt with all branches of engineering, seemed well fitted to make its contribution.

NEED FOR RESEARCH INSTITUTES STRESSED

Expressing appreciation of the part played by engineers in this country during the recent year the Viceroy said :—

"They accomplished some remarkable work, with limited resources, in constructing air-fields and strategic roads at high speed when we were threatened by the entry of Japan into the war. As Commander-in-Chief, I was most grateful to them.

"The dictionary definition of a civil engineer was 'one who designs works of public utility, bridges, canals, gasworks, etc.'' India is not much given to gasworks, but in canals and bridges she is at the head of the list. It is up to Indian engineers to maintain their supremacy in these branches, and to develop all types of engineering to the utmost. There is great need for the establishment of more training schools and colleges for engineers and for the encouragement in every way of the technical skill which India requires for her development. There is no lack of ability if opportunity offers.

"There is also great need for Research Institutes, so that India may not be dependent on discoveries made abroad and can make her own researches into her particular problems, of which those dealing with water are the most urgent and vital. Besides the normal ones of irrigation, there are many special problems—water-logging, soil erosion, flood control, hydro-electric power—for which research is essential, and research which can only be effectively done in India."

Post-War Plans

In his address the newly elected president, Nawab Zain Yar Jung, Member for Public Works, the Nizam's Executive Council, Hyderabad (Deccan), said that at the end of the most disastrous war in history, they found themselves faced with problems, both economic and social, of unsurpassed magnitude. In their solution the engineers of India must and will take a leading part.

There was a wide-spread feeling that post-war plans had so far made little progress beyond the stage of initial consideration. There were parts of India where schemes were still at a tentative stage. The pace had to be accelerated and for that co-ordination between the engineer and the administration was most necessary.

Nawab Zain Yar Jung also added :—

"To-day after a terrible period of storm and stress and destruction the world and its people are faced with the problem of rebuilding and rehabilitation. That problem confronts not only those countries which have been reduced to ruin by human hands which brought no other gifts than death and destruction, but also those lands, like ours, which are assailed by the deadlier enemies of poverty, ignorance and disease. We have, therefore, to rebuild and reshape the whole of our national life, and we could take no better resolution on this occasion of the silver jubilee of this Institution than to pledge ourselves to attack, with all the tools and implements, the machinery and equipment, the mind and the imagination of the engineer, the triple alliance of poverty, ignorance and disease which holds our country in its relentless grip."

"Hasten To The Task"

"The main fact as I see it is that there are many millions of people in this land, who have not the ghost of a chance of a decent, prosperous life unless we—that is you and I, the scientist and the policy maker—create the conditions of wealth in which human prosperity is possible," said His Excellency the Governor of Bengal, Mr. R. G. Casey at the Annual Dinner of the Institution of Engineers (India) at the Great Eastern Hotel.

His Excellency said :—

"I started life as an Engineer—and it is a profession for which I have a high regard. I regard engineers as the salt of the earth. I find myself able to say this without undue lack of modesty, as it is so long since I could venture to call myself an engineer that I realise that the salt in me has lost its savour.

"I can see no good future for India's peoples unless an effort on a scale hitherto unknown is made to create wealth by the application of modern techniques to the development of India's great but relatively undeveloped resources. I also believe that there is no time to waste about it. Look around the Calcutta slums, the towns, and villages and you will see the reason why we must hasten to the task."

Referring to the road construction programme involving the construction of some thousands of miles of new and improved roads and bridges and culverts that were particularly necessary to avoid encouraging the malaria mosquito, the Governor said :—

"The net result of all this means that this Province is at the start of a great effort of self-development—in which engineering skill and initiative will be biggest individual factor."

His Excellency also said :—

"A country, particularly a country such as India and particularly such a province as Bengal—where millions of people subsist on the border line between distress and bare sufficiency—does not acquire prosperity merely for the asking or by effluxion of time. Prosperity is not one of nature's free gifts to man. Nature has given to India materials—nothing more. Modern science has given opportunities to make use of these materials—nothing more. So far we have made comparatively little use of our opportunities."

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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

'TOKYO CADETS' IN CALCUTTA

The 'Tokye Cadets' of the Indian National Army, who returned this week to Calcutta, have decided to hold themselves at the disposal of the Congress for national work. They are awaiting the return of Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose to Calcutta for his guidance.

This can be gathered from the statement made by some of the cadets at a Press Conference held on Tuesday, the 8th January last at the I. N. A. Relief Committee Office, at Guinea House.

The cadets also said that they attended the funeral of Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose in Tokyo. They confirmed reports of his death.

Of these eleven are Bengalees, one Ceylonese, and three Madrasis.

SIR WILLIAM JONES BICENTENARY

Eloquent tributes to the many sided genius of Sir William Jones, the founder of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal were paid at a meeting held at the Royal Asiatic Society Hall on Monday evening, the 7th January, last, in connection with the bicentenary celebrations of his birth.

Prof. Suniti Kumar Chatterji, who spoke on the life and works of Sir William, said that at a time when the European merchants had been out for the material exploitation of the Eastern countries Sir William came here with a great cultural mission. He developed a genuine interest for the oriental culture and during his stay for 11 years in India he set himself to the systematic study of Asian culture. He became versed in Sanskrit, Arabic, Persian and some other oriental languages and translated Mahabharat, Ramayana, Sakuntala into the western languages. He translated many Arabic and Persian books also. It was he who found out that there was a similarity between Sanskrit, Latin and Greek and professed that there might be some common origin of these languages.

Sir Louis Farmour, Sir Jadu Nath Sarkar and Dr. J. M. Unvala also paid their homage to the memory of Sir William.

In connection with the celebration of the bicentenary of the birth of Sir William Jones a symposium on "Pre-Historic Culture in India" was held at the Society's Hall on Tuesday, the 8th January last.

Prof. K. P. Chatterjee, head of the Department of Anthropology, University of Calcutta, opened the discussion.

Earlier Dr. M. N. Saha said that from the very beginning of the Society it took a keen interest in Anthropological research. In 1837 Major Campbell published a paper on Nepal's Material Culture.

Referring to the great works of Mr. Hodson, Mr. B. Guha and Prof. K. P. Chatterjee on the ancient tribes of India Dr. Saha stressed that to solve the entangled social and psychological problems of India the study of the manners and customs of the aboriginal tribes was essential.

LATE MR. KALINATH RAY

The services rendered by Mr. Kalinath Ray, late Editor, *The Tribune* (Lahore) in the cause of Indian journalism and nationalism were gratefully recalled by different speakers at a public meeting held at the Indian Association Hall, Calcutta, on Sunday, the 6th January last. Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose presided. The meeting was organised by the Indian Journalists' Association.

A resolution was adopted condoling the death of the veteran journalist "who had earned the respect and admiration of all by the integrity of his character, his devotion to truth, fearlessness and high sense of duty."

In him, the resolution stated, the Press had lost one of its ablest and sincerest of devotees who had made journalism a high mission in his life and raised it to a level of dignity and fairness seldom surpassed.

The meeting recalled with gratitude that he had brought the Punjab, to which he had given the best part of his life, nearer to Bengal and weilded his powerful pen for the development of an all-India nationalism.

"Simple and unostentatious by nature, always averse to limelight, he had by his silent devotion to duty placed an example of service which the country and the journalists in particular will strive to emulate and the memory of which they will cherish," stated the resolution.

In paying his tribute Mr. Hemendra Prasad Ghose said that Mr. Ray was a man with a remarkable courage of conviction. He had drunk deep at the fountain of knowledge and was conversant with the politics not only of his own country but of other countries as well.

Mr. Satyendra Nath Majumdar said that Mr. Ray had achieved unique popularity among the Punjabis. His writings were marked by sound logic and argument and were not mere effusions of sentimentalism.

Mr. Vivekananda Mukherjee said that from his youth he found a special delight in reading editorials in *The Tribune* which were so informative and enlightening.

Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose said that Mr. Ray belonged to the old type of journalists who had taken to the profession as a noble mission. Regard for truth and fairness was the marked traits of his character. A man of strong convictions, he did not deviate from the path he had chalked out for himself out of fear or temptation.

Among others Mr. Amal Home, who had been a colleague of Mr. Kalinath Ray on *The Tribune* and held charge of the paper during his imprisonment under Martial Law, also addressed the meeting.

MR. T. H. ELLIS

Mr. T. H. Ellis, District and Sessions Judge, has been appointed an acting Judge of the Calcutta High Court with effect from the date on which he takes his seat to February 21, 1946, during the absence on leave of Mr. Justice A. N. Sen, says a communique.

CRIMES IN CALCUTTA

The following statement of crimes during the month of November last has been issued by the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

Seventy-five pick-pocketing cases against 82 in October were reported of which 41 were detected.

Fifty-six cases of house-breaking by day and 214 by night against 58 and 179 respectively in October were reported, of which 48 cases were detected.

The number of thefts by servants dropped to 96 from 117 and 127 in October and September last respectively. Thirty-six of these were detected.

FOOD RATION CARDS

Food ration cards at present in use in the Calcutta industrial area will cease to be valid after January 27, 1946, the last date of ration week No. 104, says a *Press Note*.

In order, therefore, the consumers may draw their rations from January 28, existing cards are to be revalidated for a further period of 26 weeks. The revalidation will be effected between January 21 and 27 by the pasting of renewal slips at food ration shops on the back of existing food ration cards.

Consumers should take their food ration cards to their ration shops during ration week No. 104, *i.e.*, between January 21 and 27. The cards will be renewed immediately and returned to them on the spot. Without further difficulty con-

sumers will then be able to draw their rations on the basis of the renewed cards from ration week No. 105, *i.e.*, from January 28.

"ALI BROTHERS' DAY"

Services rendered by Maulanas Mohammad Ali and Shaukat Ali to the cause of India's freedom and of Islam were recalled at a meeting held in Mohammad Ali Park, Calcutta on Sunday, the 6th January last in observance of the Ali Brothers' Day.

Mr. A. R. Siddiqi, who presided, spoke on the lives of the Ali brothers with special reference to their severance of connection with the Congress. Swami Viswanand, Mr. S. M. Usman, Maulana Abdur Rafi and Mr. A. J. Waheedi also spoke.

BOMBAY-CALCUTTA AIR SERVICE

There will be shortly two daily air services between Bombay and Calcutta. One will be operated by Tatas and the other by the Air Services of India Limited. Tata's daily air service between Bombay and Calcutta is expected to be resumed in the first week of March.

The Air Services of India have applied for permission to operate Bombay-Calcutta service as also to run a service between Bombay and Delhi. Tatas are already running a daily air service between Bombay and Delhi in addition to the one by the National Airways between these two cities. Thus, there will be three daily air services between Bombay and Delhi and two daily air services between Bombay and Calcutta in two or three months' time.

ROLE OF ENGINEERS IN NATIONAL AFFAIRS

A plea that engineers should take greater responsibility in the affairs of the nation was made by Mr. J. N. Das Gupta presiding at the annual meeting of the Bengal Engineering College Alumni Congress at Great Eastern Hotel on the 5th January last.

As a result of the nature of their education and practical training engineers, he said, became a sort of "over specialized" section of the community. They should not be absorbed only in their particular job and consider themselves 'superior to politics'. Unless engineers were given a proper place in national affairs the world would fall short of the "ideals that are being formulated for the New Era." They needed such men as could shape policies to guide society as also the tools which would bring economic regeneration.

The secretary, Mr. D. K. Chakravarti, appealed for funds for carrying on the work of the Congress.

RICE IMPORTS TO CALCUTTA

Over 546,210 mds. of rice from overseas, 80,915 mds. of paddy from Surma Valley and 8,390 mds. of rice and 23,650 mds. of paddy from Assam Valley arrived in Calcutta during the second half of December, 1945.

The provincial average price for rice declined by an anna and stood at Rs. 11-10 per maund on December 19. The average prices in deficit and self-sufficient districts remained unchanged at Rs. 12-9 and Rs. 11-4 respectively, while the average for the surplus districts declined by an anna and was Rs. 11-2 on December 19.

PANDIT NEHRU TO DELIVER CONVOCATION ADDRESS

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru has been invited by the Syndicate of Calcutta University to deliver the next Convocation address.

I. N. A. OFFICERS TO VISIT CALCUTTA

Gen. Shah Nawaz and Col. Dhillon will visit Calcutta on January 23 on the occasion of Netaji's birthday celebrations there.

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose has invited them to Calcutta, it is learnt.

RAI BAHADUR AGHORE NATH ADHIKARI

Rai Bahadur Aghore Nath Adhikari, a veteran educationist, breathed his last on the 29th December last at 25, Hindusthan Park at the age of 83.

He was born in a respectable Brahmin family of Pabna where he had his early education. While serving in the Education Department of the Government of Bengal, he was appointed Superintendent of Silchar Normal School of which he was also a founder member. After retirement in 1923, the Rai Bahadur settled at Silchar (Assam) for some years. He engaged himself in social welfare works and rendered valuable service in social upliftment of the Putneys, a scheduled caste of Cachar and Sylhet. In recognition of his investigations on 'customs at birth' in connection with Assam census, he was selected a Fellow of the Royal Anthropological Society of London. He was the first President of the Surma Valley Secondary Teachers' Conference.



RAI BAHADUR A. N. ADHIKARI

He left Assam in 1929 and settled in south Calcutta where he began to take a keen interest in most of the educational institutions, journals, municipal affairs, charitable institutions, etc. He delivered several lectures on educational problems at the Calcutta Corporation Teachers' Training College. He was a Rector of the Ballygunge Girls H. E. School and College till his death. He edited the journal *Kalikatabasi*, the weekly organ of the Calcutta Citizens' Association of which he was the Vice-President for sometime. He was the author of several text books, such as *Bibidha-Bidhan*, *Padartha-Parichay*, etc.

He leaves behind him his widow, four sons, a daughter and a number of grand-children and great-grand-children. His third son, Major A. K. Adhikari, is the Malariologist of B. A. Railway and a member of the Mosquito Control Advisory Committee of the Calcutta Corporation.

MR. DILIP KUMAR ROY

It is proposed to celebrate in Calcutta the 50th birthday of Mr. Dilip Kumar Roy of Sri Aurobindo Asram, Pondicherry, early in February, 1946, in a befitting manner and to present a Purse to him on that occasion. An influential All-India Committee has been formed for the purpose with Raja Rao Dhirendra Narayan Roy of Lalgola as Chairman and Mr. G. L. Mehta as Vice-Chairman.

Friends and admirers of Mr. Dilip Kumar Roy all over India are to send their generous contribution to the Treasurer of the above committee, Mr. Saradindu Niyogi, Advocate, 24, Priya Nath Mullick Road, Calcutta.

CONTROL ORDER CONVICTIONS

As many as 428 cases of infringement of various control orders, Essential Foodstuffs Order and Rationing Regulations, were detected by the Calcutta Police Enforcement Branch during the second fortnight of December. Two hundred and sixty-four convictons were obtained.

During the same period the Police Enforcement Branch in the mofussil instituted 310 similar cases and obtained 193 convictions, the maximum punishments awarded being two years' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 3,000.

Besides, 171 cases, of which 72 related to piece-goods, 49 to foodgrains and 4 to foot-wear, were detected in Calcutta during the same period.

MRS. B. L. CHAUDHURI

The death occurred on the 5th January last of Mrs. Promoda Chaudhurani (Mrs. B. L. Chaudhuri). Founder-Secretary of the Sangeet Sammilani at the residence of Mr. Kalyan Chaudhuri, 117, Rash Behari Avenue.

NEW YORK-CALCUTTA AIRWAY

The Pan-American Airways clipper which is on a survey flight between New York and Calcutta, landed at Dum Dum airport on Monday evening, the 7th January last thus completing the first stage of its journey.

The clipper turns back on its homeward flight on the 9th, and is expected to reach New York in the first week of February.

The flight outward to Calcutta started on the 5th December last. The clipper carries 26 technical experts of the Pan-American airways, and the object of the present fight is to determine airport and service facilities for a commercial air service.

MR. BENOY JIBAN GHOSH RELEASED

Mr. Benoy Jiban Ghosh of the Secretary's Department Calcutta Corporation who was released from the Buxa Special Jail on the 5th December last, resumed his duties the next day. He had been arrested in May, 1941 and after about a year at the Hijli Special Jail, he was later transferred to the Rajshahi Central Jail and thence to the Buxa Special Jail where he was in detention during the last three years.

Apart from losing a few pounds in weight, Mr. Ghosh maintained good health throughout the period of his incarceration. On the day he resumed his duties as Senior Superintendent of the Secretary's Office, he was accorded a most warm and cordial reception by his friends and colleagues in the Secretary's Department and other departments of the Corporation.

A NEW DRUG FOR ANAEMIA

Scientists claim that they have discovered a new secret synthetic drug which has been successfully used in the treatment of anaemia.

The drug has been named 'Follic Acid.' Injection is unnecessary, the doctors say, and the drug can be given by the mouth. In cases under observation the red cells rose in 12 days from 1.64 million to 3.21 million.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

Calcutta's health, which during the first three weeks of December registered a gradual but continued improvement, received a setback during the week ended December 29. The total mortality figure rose to 876, an increase of 106 over the previous week's figure.

This rise, as explained by the Health Officer, has been greatly influenced by the increase in deaths from respiratory diseases which totalled 220 against 174 the week before. Pneumonia alone caused 118 deaths against 88 in the preceding week.

During the corresponding two weeks last year, deaths from all causes averaged 1,025.

Malaria caused 88 deaths during the week against 28 the week before. In the corresponding weeks last year an average of 71 persons succumbed to this disease weekly.

Cholera attacks and deaths numbered 7 and 3 respectively against 11 and 7 the week before. The average for the corresponding weeks last year was: attacks 28 and deaths 10.

Attacks and deaths from small-pox numbered 2 and 1 respectively against 1 each the week before. Last year attacks and deaths averaged 246 and 181 respectively during the corresponding weeks.

Recorded deaths of paupers were 124 against 103 in the proceeding week.

The rise in deaths attributed to pneumonia and in deaths among paupers may be due to the recent cold spell and the high cost of warm clothing of which there are only limited stocks in the city.

Calcutta's total mortality during the week ended January 5 was 797, a drop of 79 from the previous week's figure. During the corresponding two weeks last year, the average death rate per week was 1,066, the quinquennial average being 836.

Cholera showed a rise during the week, attacks and deaths being 22 and 8 respectively against 7 and 3 in the previous week. Attacks and deaths, during the corresponding weeks last year, averaged 30 and 12 respectively.

Malaria caused 86 deaths against 88 the week before. Last year, an average of 72 persons succumbed to this disease weekly during the corresponding period.

Small-pox attacks and deaths numbered one each against two and one respectively the week before. The average for the same period last year was: attacks 239, deaths 178.

Recorded deaths of paupers were 119 against 124 in the preceding week.

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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 5th January, 1946.

City of Calcutta (Town and Suburbs).

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 797 against 876 and 770 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 273. The general-death-rate of the week was 16.42 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27).

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 5th January, 1946, was 674 against 730 and 646 in the two preceding weeks. There were 7 deaths from cholera against 2 and 7 in the two preceding weeks. There were nil deaths from small-pox during the week against 1 in the previous week. There was 1 death from influenza against 2 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 60 and 79 respectively against 63 and 83 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 15.90 per mille per annum.

There were 26 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 15.29.

There were 169 deaths from respiratory diseases against 182 in the previous week.

There were 35 deaths from tuberculosis against 39 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32.)

The number of deaths registered was 123 against 146 and 124 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 1 was from cholera, 1 from small-pox, nil from influenza, 10 from fevers, 18 from bowel-complaints and 28 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) war 20.42 per mille.

There were 2 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate was 20.09.

There was 1 death from tuberculosis against 11 in the previous week

HOUSING PROBLEM IN AMERICA

The housing shortage in America, which President Truman referred to in his broadcast on the 3rd January last, has been rendered the more acute by an increase of 8,000,000 in the population of the United States since 1940.

About 2,000,000 families are believed to be homeless at present

To relieve the housing shortage in New York State to some extent, Governor Dewey recently ordered that a large coastguard station on Manhatten and 24 other army installations be converted into temporary houses for several thousand families.

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ANTI-BACTERIA RESEARCH
Of Great Value To Public Health

The measures which Britain, America and Canada worked on from May, 1942, to counter the possible use of bacteria in warfare by the Germans and the Japanese produced knowledge "of great value to public health, agriculture, industry and science."

With this disclosure in London came a warning to the world from one of the scientists engaged in the work Mr. George W. Merck, U.S., special consultant for biological warfare.

In a report to the U.S. Secretary of War, Mr. Merck wrote: "Despite the development of the atom bomb and other secret weapons during the war development of agents for biological warfare is possible in many countries, perhaps under the guise of legitimate medical or bacteriological research."

The results include development of methods of rapid and accurate detection of minute quantities of disease-producing agents; significant contributions to the knowledge of control of airborne disease producing agents, production and isolation for the first time of crystalline bacterial toxin which has opened the way for the preparation of a more highly purified immunizing toxin; development and production of effective toxoid in sufficient quantities; significant contributions to the knowledge concerning development of immunity in human beings and animals against certain infectious diseases of human beings and animals and in development of protective clothing and equipment and information on the effects of more than 1,000 different chemical agents on living plants and studies of production and control of certain diseases of plants.

ANOTHER TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM FOR BENGAL

The foundation stone of a tuberculosis sanatorium, which is expected eventually to accommodate 600 patients, was laid on the 5th January last at Amulia, Burdwan district by His Excellency the Governor of Bengal, Mr. R. G. Casey. His Excellency who covered part of the journey by air was accompanied by Mrs. Casey, Major General W. R Dimond, Surgeon General, and Mr. J. L. Llewellyn, Secretary, Public Health and Medical Department, Bengal Government.

The sanatorium is based on the recommendations made over ten years ago by Dr. Ukil, Head of the Department of Chest Diseases, Medical College Hospital. The total estimated cost of Rs. 2,82,000 was contributed by Seth Ram Coomar Bangur, a prominent Calcutta stock broker while the three landlords from whom the land has been purchased have agreed to forego Rs. 25,000 of the calculated cost

TIDAL WAVE IN KARACHI
163 PERSONS KILLED

One hundred and sixty-three persons were killed and about 800 were rendered homeless and property worth Rs. 2,14,000 was destroyed in the Karachi area as the result of the tidal wave in the wake of the earthquake which occurred on the 28th November last, says an official statement.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA—DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY

CEMENT CONTROL

Military demands having virtually ceased, and provided production is maintained and wagons for cement transport are supplied, it is expected that adequate quantities of cement will be available for repairs and maintenance and the construction of all descriptions of new works.

In order to make the procurement of cement as easy as possible certain relaxations in control have been introduced. The following arrangements should be noted:

1. The requirements of the public for the maintenance, repair and construction of new private buildings.

   (a) **Calcutta, Howrah and respective environs.**
   Supplies when available may be obtained, without reference to this office, from any of the Main Selling Agents and/or their Registered Stockists in any quantity at the controlled rate without the necessity of filling in any application form and/or obtaining the recommendation of any local authority.

   (b) **Elsewhere in Bengal, Bihar, Orissa and Assam.**
   Supplies when available may be obtained, without reference to this office from any Registered Stockists, in any quantity at the controlled rate without the necessity of filling in any application form and/or obtaining the recommendation of any local authority.

   Note: Stocks are kept at certain important centres which may not be distributed by the Stockist unless against specific release authorisations issued by this office. This arrangement is to assure, until such time as conditions assume complete normality, that the requirements of Government and Quasi-Government Departments, Public Utility Concerns, and important industries receive supplies of cement in less than full wagon load lots with the least delay.

2. **The requirements of Government Departments and Quasi-Government Departments.**
   Throughout Bengal, Bihar, Orissa and Assam Government and Quasi-Government Departments must apply direct to this office to assure the most rapid availability of supplies. Small Municipalities and District Boards requiring unimportant quantities may endeavour to obtain supplies from sources mentioned in Para I, Sub-Section (b).

3. **The requirements of Public Utility Concerns and Industries.**
   Throughout Bengal, Bihar, Orissa and Assam small industries requiring unimportant quantities may endeavour to obtain supplies from sources mentioned in Para I, Sub-Sections (a) and (b). Important industries should make direct application to this office to assure the most rapid availability of supplies. Applications may be made on the usual forms or simply by letter either with or without any supporting authority.

S. E. SARA,
Reg. Hon. Cement Adviser to the Govt. of India,
Dept. of Supply for Bengal, Bihar, Orissa and Assam.
103, Clive Street, Calcutta.

Calcutta, 28-12-45.

CORPORATION NOTICES

Notice To Petty Improvement Contractors

District II Engineer's Department (Manicktala)

Tenders for the following work are hereby invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in a sealed cover superscribed "Tender for....." on Tuesday, the 15th January, 1946, up to 2 p.m. :—

29. Repairs to Store Godown in Maniktola Office at 109, Narikeldanga Main Road, Rs. 612, dated 28th December, 1945, (1 month).

N.B.—Please note that words in italics "7 days' notice" in clause 5 of the conditions of contract should be read as "3 days' notice."

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II.

District II Eng.'g Office,
The 7th January, 1946.

Drainage Department

**To All P. I. Contractors,
District III and Dhappa.**

Re : Repairing the damaged Chowbaga Bridge

Dear Sirs,

Please submit your tender in the prescribed tender form for the petty improvement works of the Corporation for the above work, the details of which can be obtained from the Department.

The tender in a sealed cover, endorsed as above, will be received by me on the 21st January, 1946, at 12 noon.

The work is to be completed within one month from the date of order to take up the work in hand.

N. R. DAS,
Offg. Executive Engineer, Drainage.

Central Municipal Office,
The 7th January, 1946.

Sale Of Baffle Walls

Applications for the purchase of baffle walls in Corporation buildings and institutions at Rs. 8-4-0 per 100 c.ft. of brick work will be received by the Chief Engineer up to the 22nd January, 1946. The purchaser will have to dismantle the baffle walls and remove the debris thereof according to the specification which may be seen in the Chief Engineer's Office.

D. N. GANGULI,
Chief Engineer,

Central Municipal Office,
The 8th January, 1946.

Burial Ground Board

The Gor-i-Ghoriban Burial Ground at No. 32, Gobra Goristhan Road will be closed temporarily for burials with effect from the 1st February, 1946, and the Tiljala Burial Ground at No. 1, Rai Charan Pal's Lane will be re-opened for burial from the aforesaid date.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
The 9th January, 1946.

Public Streets Declared

Under Section 318 of the Calcutta Municipal Act.

To all to whom it may concern, the Corporation of Calcutta in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 318 of the Calcutta Municipal Act (Bengal Act III of 1923) and having been satisfied that the conditions laid down therein have been fulfilled, hereby notifies and declares that the streets specified hereunder are public streets within the meaning of Sections 3(57) and 295 of the said Act.

Description.

The two 20-ft roads constructed at 36B, Russa Road in Ward No. 27.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 7th January, 1946.

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Description.

Common passage running between premises Nos. 16 to 18F, Sastitola Road on one side, and 9/1 to 23, Sastitola Road on the other side, in Ward 29.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 7th January, 1946.

Available Space In College Street Market

Offers are invited and will be received by the Superintendent, College Street Market, up to the 19th January, 1946, for occupation of space measuring about 15,750 s.ft. in area (176 ft. by 89.5 ft.) with pacca roof above and electric lights in the Main Section of College Street Market for opening a big retail shop or stores which will cater to the needs of Northern Calcutta. Further particulars may be had from the Superintendent, College Street Market or the First Deputy Executive Officer, Corporation of Calcutta.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
The 9th January, 1946.

Re-Naming Of Road

It is proposed that "Muktaram Row" in Ward No. 6 be renamed as "Rajendra Deb Road."

Any person having any objection to the renaming proposed above may state the same in writing to the undersigned on or before the 15th January, 1946.

S. M. HUSSAIN,
Offg. Assessor.

Central Municipal Office,
The 29th December, 1945.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
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GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—8 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.		A. 258	Rs. A. P. 0 10 0	Milk.		Rs. A. P.	Potatoes
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.			Do.			Business to be approved by the Committee.
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,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
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M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

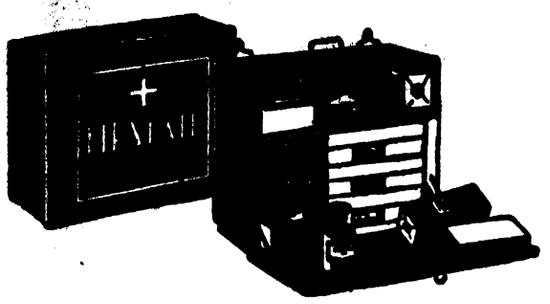
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New) ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

* Soalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each ...	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
		1 14 0
Duck's eggs per score ...		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	
Garlic ,, ...	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Kauchi) ...	0 10 0	
Do. (Country) ...	0 8 0	
*Turnip ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot ...	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 8 0	0 8 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each —	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—8 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Banana per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score —	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20 —	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each -	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate —	1 8 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,, —		
Ghee Lakhee —		
Do. Bhadwa —	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree ...	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,, —		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 3 0	(Con.)
Atta White No. 1 —		
Atta Brown per seer —	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	(Contd.
Sugar ,, ...	0 3 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb. —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer —	0 10 0	
,, (Sugarcandy) ,, —	0 12 0 (Ration	Shop)
Suji —	0 3 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ...	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga ,, ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,, ...	0 6 6	
Biuli ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
,, (Sona) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,, ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) ...	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. —	1 6 0	
Coal ,, ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. ...		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley —		
Cobra Boot Polish ... —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly —		

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Rates quoted on the 10th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 12 0	4 12 0		

MUTTON.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Chops per seer ...	4 8 0 — 5 0 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0 — 4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0 — 4 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 8 0 — 5 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 8 0 — 5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 12 0 — 4 12 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0 — 0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6 — 0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	2 0 0 — 2 8 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 6 0 — 0 8 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 14 0 — 1 0 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0		
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0 — 0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0 — 1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0 — 2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0 — 3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausage per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 5 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 5 0	4 10 0

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Japon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 10 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do (special) each ...	3 14 0	4 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	4 0 0
Goose ,, ...	20 0 0	22 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ..	35 0 0	45 0 0
Do. Hen ..	15 0 0	24 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 8 0	2 14 0
Fowls, fresh, per score	2 14 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) per score	3 4 0	4 0 0
GAME.		
Dove each ..	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ..	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ..	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 10 0	0 11 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 10 0	0 11 0
Do. ,, white ,,	1 13 0	1 15 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 8 0	0 8 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 [illegible]	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 6
Country Apples ..		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	15 0 0	18 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer ..	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ..	2 0 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,,	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Do. Country per seer —		
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 3 6	0 6 6
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 2 6
Do. (Simla) per seer	1 0 0	1 2 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	1 0 0	1 2 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 1 0	1 0 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 12 0	1 0 0

Do. Simla ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
*Do. Shillong (Cont'r.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbus (Patal) per seer ...		
Radish English per bundle	0 8 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 8 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tomato per seer ..	0 10 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Shillong ,,	1 0 0	1 4 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 14 0	1 2 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Taro per seer ...		
Kankrole per seer —		

Do (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)	10 0 0	15 0 0
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score		
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ..		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 10—12 —	1 0 0	
Do. (squeezing) 12—16	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritsagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Calasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do S. African per lb. ...		
Do Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rose Apple per score —		
Sofata 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score —		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each —		
Do. Kabul —	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer —		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer. ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.
E. 2, 5 & 8	„ 6 „	Do.

Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.
About 2 cottahs of open land on Beltola Rd.	To be fixed by the authority.	To be approved by the authority.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,,	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb.	2 14 6	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer		
Butter Ghee per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,,	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,,	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. (salt-water) ,,	3 8 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,,	4 4 0	5 0 0
Cutla per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Rohi per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Haddock (whole)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer	2 4 0	2 12 0
Orab per lot of 4	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer		
Mullet per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Butter fish per seer	2 0 0	2 4 0
Pomfret per seer	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer		
Do. (Large)	2 14 0	3 8 0
Lobster	2 8 0	3 8 0
Sea fish	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish	2 8 0	3 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (fillet)	3 12 0	4 8 0
Mackerel	2 8 0	3 0 0
Gajal (Entire)		
Shrimp. per seer	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger	2 0 0	2 8 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 1 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,,	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb.	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,,	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland ,,		
Do. Cheddarn (craft)	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unmixed. ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cream per lb.		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
*FLOUR	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 8 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer		Control Price
Country flour per seer		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer		
Do. Red ,, ,,		
Wheat ,, ,,		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) ,,		0 5 6
*RICE		
Rice (fine) per seer	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail)		
Rice per seer (retail)		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer	0 6 0	
coarse per md.		
Do. per seer	0 4 0	
Banktoolai manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md.		
Do. per seer		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,,		
Kamini rice ,,		
Palmal (table) per seer	0 10 0	
*SUGAR		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer		0 9 0
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best)		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 0
*DAL Etc.	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer		
Arahar ,,		0 12 0
Chola ,,		0 8 0
Khari Masoor ,,		0 13 0
Khasari ,,		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja)		0 13 0
*Salt		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin		
2 lb. ,,	2 2 0	
6 lb. ,,	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,,		
*Mustard Oil (Mill)	1 1 6	
,, ,, Ag. Mark	1 2 0	
*KEROSENE OIL		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,,	0 0 6	
80 ,, ,,	0 0 9	
*COAL AND COKE		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md.	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md.		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer	0 13 0	0 14 0 to 1 0 0
Haiud ,,	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb.	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb.	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet		
Milk Chocolates slab		
Assorted Chocolates per lb.		4 0 0
Short bread per lb.	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins		
,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb.	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo ,,		
Assorted Creams		
Golden Puffs		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 1 lb. tin		
Nice 2 lb. tin		
Petit Beurre tin		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese		
Gem		
Gem Iced		
Ginger Nut 2 lb.		
Ko-Nut (Reg.)		
Marie		
Milk		
Mixed (Household)		
Nice		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.		
Nimki —		
Petit Beurre —		
School ...		
Thin Arrowroot „ ...		
Water „ —		
Zoological —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin.		
Cow & Gate Milk Food ...		
Cow & Gate Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot...		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only ...	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 5 ...		
Deresske per packet ...	0 2 0	
Scissor per pkt. ...		0 4 0
*Capstan Navycut per Pkt.	0 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb'		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 ...	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigars	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ ...		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb....	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 36 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose. —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rossla Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-2 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb, per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Bisurated Magnesia,large	1 12 0	
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 2 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Sloan's Liniment ...	2 11 0	
*Kruschen Salt ...		
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	123 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

* Controlled Price

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Ven. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 14	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 7th November, 1945.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Kora)		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chinishakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dadkhani		
Deshi Boilee		
Dudhkalma		
Control (Medium)		
,, (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole)		
Gram (Dal)	0 6 0	
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,,		
Pabna ,,		
Ghee (Bisweswar)		4 6 0
Do. (Buffalo)		
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 0
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,,		0 5 0
Suji		
Gur (Beli) (control)		0 5 6
,, Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes (Control)		0 10 0
Gauhati		
Madras		

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal	0 10 0	0 12 0
Brinjal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas		
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each		
Ginger		0 10 0
Onion	0 5 0	0 6 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 4 0	2 0 0
Prawns	1 0 0	2 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki		
Crab per pair		
Koi	2 8 0	3 8 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	2 14 0	3 0 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	2 14 0	3 0 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
DAL.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kasha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits)	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer		6 0 0
Ranchi ,,		
Sree (Mark)		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled)	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do.	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata)		
*Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
*Atta ,,		0 5 0
*Do. B ,,		
Gur (Bheli)		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
BUTTER.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer		4 0 0
Milk		0 10 0
Cows' Head		
Condensed Milk		
Milk Maid		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil		1 1 0
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer		2 0 0
Oranges 12—80	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,,		10 0 0
Dates Arab	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer		
Naspati		
Mango		
,, (Langra)		
Pomegranate per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer		
Potatoes New	0 8 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanital)	0 10 0	
Brinjal	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer	1 8 0	
Pona ,,	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,,	1 12 0	
Bagda ,,	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,,	1 12 0	
Crab (each)	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do.		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin		
Cocoa Hornby		
Coffee Polson's lb.		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb.	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do.		
Household per tin		
Jacob's Cream Crackers		
**Rice		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin.		
Pearl Barley (C. B.)		
Sago (Pearl)		
Quaker's Oats		
Pascal's Logenges		
* (glass) each		
Jam		
Jelly		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin)	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin		
Do. per bottle		
Do. ,, bulk		
Rising Sun		
Do. per bottle		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 2nd January, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	
Fowls „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 0 6	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —	0 12 0	
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 0	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer		0 12 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer		
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ ...		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country ... —	0 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Dist per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 14 0	
Do. Deshi ... —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ ...	0 8 0	
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 12 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—3 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bokhara per seer ..	2 8 0	
Apricot „ ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 0	
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	2 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ..		
Jamrul „ ...		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kanoha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Bhunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeta 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel ...		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara ..		
Do. Madras 3—4 ..	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut ...		
Do. Fazli ..		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh ...		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—26 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...		10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—25 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Country each ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	6 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 4 0	
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 4 0	
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Mazafferpur ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...		2 0 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Galda ...	2 0 0	

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „ ...		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khar) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 8 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk „		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 8 6	Controlled shop.
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 22nd December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Shetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 8 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	...	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	...	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —	...	...
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer —	0 8 0	
Garlic ,, —	1 0 0	
Green Chilly ...		0 8 0
Onion ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Peas (Darjeeling) —	1 0 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...		
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, —	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 2nd January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Shetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —		2 3 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 12 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (English) ...	0 3 0	
Cauliflour ,, ,, ...	0 5 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, ...	0 4 0	0 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 12 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 0 0	0 3 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 3 0
White ,, ,, —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 8 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes ,, —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree ,, —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 8 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, ...	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, ...		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 3 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET

Rates quoted on the 25th September, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,, ...	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,, ...	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,, —	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,, —	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,, ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,, —		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score) ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,, .	2 12 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...		3 0 0
Silong —	2 8 0	
Lobster ...	2 0 0	
Bagda ...		
Bhangaur ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab per pair ...		0 4 0
Hilsa ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Pomfret per seer —		
Mango fish per seer —	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer. ...	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi) —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer —	0 10 0	
Bean (Ranchi) ,, ...		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each ...	0 0 0	
Do. (Darjeeling) —	0 10 0	
Cauliflower —		
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,, ...		
Celery per seer ...		
Cucumber per score ...		
Ginger per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,, —	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,, ...	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital) ...	1 4 0	
Do. (Desi) ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pulbul ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle ...		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,, ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer		
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each ...	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6 ...	1 0 0	
Figs per seer ...		
Amra (Belati) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each ...	0 2 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate ,, —		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100 —	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,, —	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. per box ...		
Goosbarry per seer —		
Jack fruit each —	0 6 0	3 0 0
Khubani per see —		
Kharbuza ,, —		
Lichis per 100 —		
Lime per score ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,, —		
Oranges 4 to 6 —	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer —	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos. —	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 8 0
Pineapple ,, —	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score —		
Star apple ...	0 2 0	
Tamarind per seer —	0 1 8	2 0 0
Walnut ,, —	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras) —		
Golap Khas 6—10 —	1 0 0	
Langra 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Bombay 6—8 —	1 0 0	
Totapari per score ...		
Sipia —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6 —		
Fazli 4—6 —		
Prnes S. W. per seer —		
Sarda per seer —		
Sugarcane each —	0 6 0	
Water Melon each —		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb. —		
Dinapur ,, ...		4 0 0
Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk —	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb. —	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb. ...	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb. —	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer —		
Atta ,, —		
Sujee ,, —		
RICE.		
Patna per seer ...		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer —		
Deshi ,, —		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani) —	1 8 0	
Sugar —		
Tea per lb. —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil —		
Gur —	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 10 0	0 11 0
Bhanga —	0 10 0	
Khasaree ,, —	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,, —		
Do. (Sona) ,, —		
Mattor ,, —	0 10 0	
Salt ,, —		0 2 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md. ...	1 10 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk ...		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined —		
Ordinary ...		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		

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SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	35B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
35A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
2 Stall	25 0 0 (Monthly)				
27	0 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,

Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent. Rs. A. P.	Business.
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
18	8 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do.
,, 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 39C	0 10 0	Do.
,, 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
,, 52	0 6 0	Do.
,, 55	0 6 0	Do.
,, 56	0 6 0	Do.
,, 57	0 6 0	Do.
Cocoanut Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent. Rs. A. P.	Business.
M.		
*,, 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
*,, 30	0 4 0	Do.
*,, 31	0 4 0	Do.
*,, 39—40	1 0 0	Do.
*,, 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	1 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	8 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range ,, 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	30 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 48	28 0 0	Business to be
,, 32	35 0 0	approved by the
,, 58	43 0 0	Committee.
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	33 0 0	Do.
,, 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-130	1 4 0	Do.
,, 75-78		
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
,, 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent. Rs. A. P.	Business.
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, * 9	0 8 0	Do
,, * 10	0 8 0	Do
,, * 18	0 8 0	Do
,, * 19	0 8 0	Do
,, * 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,,		
,,		
,,		
,, * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. N. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 33	0 5 6	Do.
,, 57	0 5 6	Do
,, 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
,, 33	0 5 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
*,, 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
*	0 5 0	Do
*,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range ,, 2	0 8 0	Betel
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*,, 12	1 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee
*,, 13—14	1 0 0	Mustard Oil
*,, 32	1 12 0	Miscellaneous Goods.

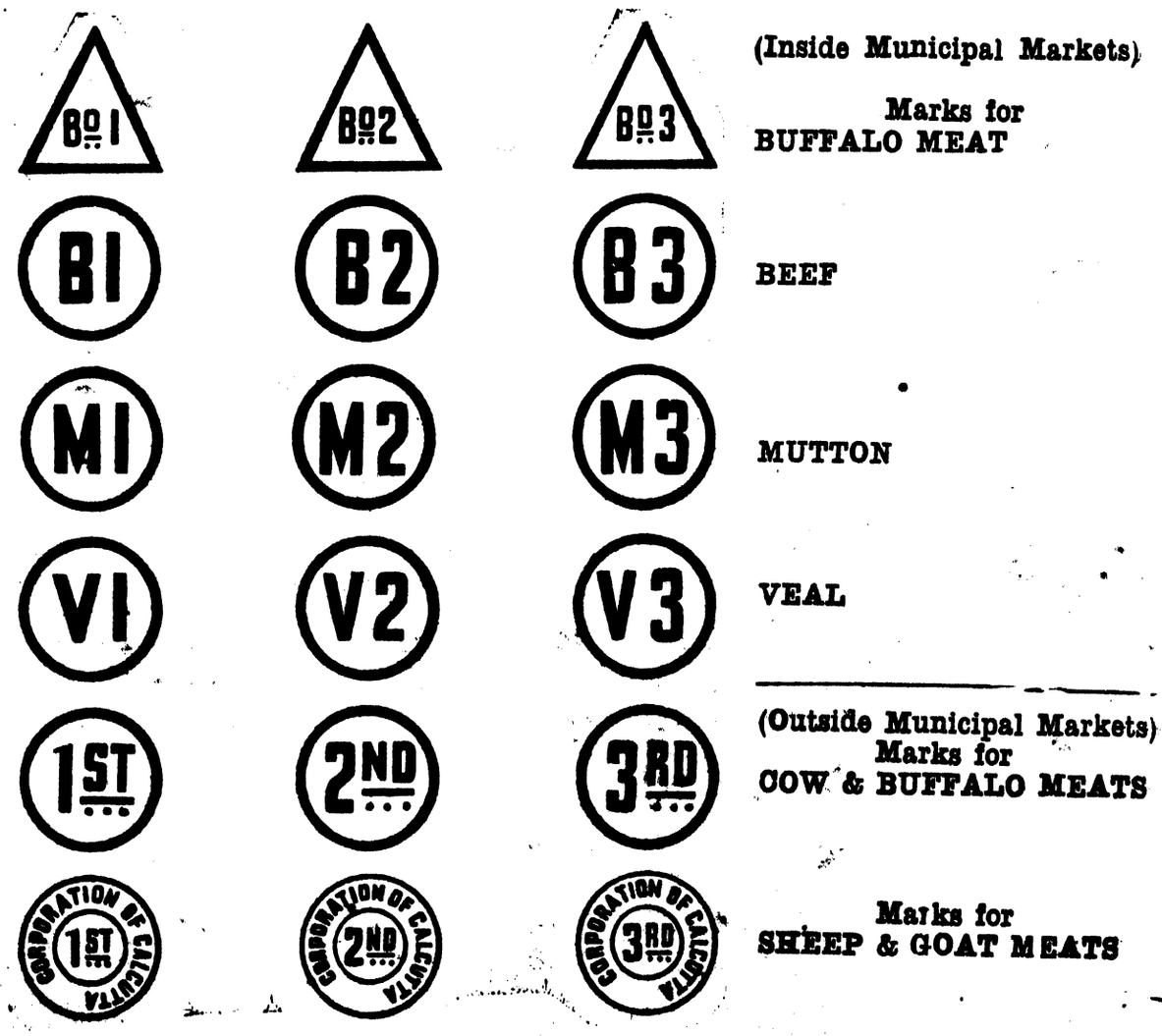
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			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff.	30 ,,	0 8 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do			Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 8 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 8 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

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Chronicle & Comment

Bi-Centenary Of The Birth Of Sir William Jones (1746-1946)

Sir William Jones, Founder and first President of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal (founded in 1784), was born in 1746, when his father, William Jones, (Sr) was already a well-known figure in the literary and scientific world of England counting among his friends Sir Issac Newton, Lord Parker, Samuel Johnson and others. Young Jones joined the University of Oxford and showed remarkable aptitude for literary and linguistic studies composing in Latin and Greek and mastering the major languages of Europe. Even in his student days, he was studying with keen interest Persian, Arabic and Chinese, and was preparing to publish his "Commentaries on Asiatic Poetry." So when he landed in Calcutta to serve as a judge of the Supreme Court, he was already a well-known figure and was naturally selected by Warren Hastings to develop, through the Asiatic Society, a systematic survey of the Natural History, Economic Resources, Languages, Literature and Culture of India. As President of the Society, he lit the lamp of research into Asiatic civilization in general and of Indian History and Culture in particular. He definitely demonstrated the kinship of Sanskrit with Greek and Latin, and other European languages, and thus made himself the founder of Comparative Philology of the Indo-European languages.

He translated into English *Sakuntala* of Kalidas, a masterpiece of Sanskrit drama, which was re-translated into French by Professor Chezy of the College de France, and it is well-known how profoundly the Indian play influenced Goethe while he was giving finishing touches to his masterpiece, *Faust*.

Sir William Jones died (April, 1794) prematurely at the age of 49, lamented by the world of scholarship; but his spirit lived on, inspiring workers in the East and the West to continue the great work of international understanding through Language, Literature and Culture.

It is in the fitness of things that the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal celebrated worthily the Bi-centenary of its illustrious Founder and invited representatives of learned Societies in India, China, U. S. S. R., Iran, Turkey, Great Britain and America as well as individual leaders and patrons of learning to participate in the celebrations. The celebrations began on the 6th of January, and terminated on its Foundation Day (15th of January, 1946).

The Week In The Corporation

Wednesday: 16th January

DIAMOND HARBOUR DISASTER

A resolution noting with horror the accident which occurred at Diamond Harbour and asking the Bengal Government to institute an immediate public inquiry into the disaster was passed by the Corporation at its meeeting held on Wednesday, the 16th January. Sympathy was expressed towards the families of the victims, and the meeting adjourned without transacting any business.

The resolution, which had been tabled by Councillor Madan Mohan Barman, was moved from the chair by the Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shamsul Haque, who presided, while a rider asking for adjournment of the House in honour of the dead was moved by Councillor Mohammed Israil.

The resolution stated as follows—

That the Corporation notes with horror the accident at Diamond Harbour resulting in the death of a large number of citizens of Calcutta and also a large number of visitors to Calcutta, and offers its deepest sympathy to the families of the victims.

That the Corporation calls upon the Government of Bengal to start immediately a public enquiry into the cause of the accident which apparently seems to be due to engineering defects in the construction of the jetties at Diamond Harbour.

Moving the resolution, the Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shamsul Haque, said :—

"We meet this evening under the shadow of death. A large number of pilgrims, bound for Gangasagar met with a horrible tragedy which has cast a gloom over the whole province.

"From all accounts, it appears that the jetties at Diamond Harbour had not been attended to in order to ensure their safety, and when the pilgrims crossed the jetties in a body, the structure gave way, with the result that many found a watery grave and many were injured. It discloses lack of attention to duty and lack of ordinary foresight on the part of those who were in charge of the arrangement and the least that we can do is to demand a public enquiry into the causes that led to the disaster.

"To the families of the dead, we offer our sympathy and condolences. To the injured, we convey our best wishes for their speedy recovery to full health and activity."

Speaking on the resolution, Councillor Madan Mohan Barman said that on past occasions, arrangements used to be made for the Gangasagar pilgrims to embark at Calcutta. But this year, according to him, the military authorities declined to allow use of the *ghats* in the Calcutta river for the embarkation of the pilgrims, with the result that only a few days before the Mela, the whole arrangement had to be shifted to Diamond Harbour. The military, it was reported, had refused to give Babu Ghat, Princep Ghat, Ahiritola Ghat, etc., for the purpose.

It had been reported in the Press, Councillor Barman said, that 148 of the pilgrims lost their lives in the disaster. But according to rumour, loss of life was said to be much heavier and a large number of bundles containing the belongings of the pilgrims were lying unattended.

One of the rumours about the cause of the accident was that a steamer struck the jetty due to the negligence of a Serang which led to the collapse of the jetty. It was necessary that a sifting public enquiry should be made into the causes of the accident.

Councillor Jogindra Lal Saha, supporting the demand for a public enquiry, said that he visited Diamond Harbour on Sunday (the 13th January) afternoon. He found on enquiry that there were no proper arrangements made for the pilgrims on the river embankment when they reached there after alighting from the train; there was a thin covering under which they had to stay the whole night. Police and volunteer arrangements were inadequate.

According to him, the jetty was three feet wide, made of one-inch thick kutcha wood, with bamboo railings.

It passed his understanding how a disaster of such magnitude could take place in such a small place unless authorities were negligent. The railway and steamer companies had asked the people in general to come to attend the Mela and people came in their thousands. How could the railway and steamer companies now absolve themselves of all responsibility in the matter? He demanded a sifting enquiry into the incident.

Councillor Saha stated to have heard that as a result of the catastrophe many families had been deprived of their relatives and in the case of two or three families his information went that there was no one left.

Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen said that unlike on past occasions, volunteers were not allowed to accompany the pilgrims in the steamers. The

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CALCUTTA CORPORATION SCAVENGERS AND LABOUR UNION

A mass meeting of Scavengers and Labour Union and other sister Unions was held on the 8th January last at the Hazra Road Methar Bustee under the Presidentship of Mr. Radha Ballav Gope.

The following resolutions among others were passed unanimously :—

The meeting regrets to state that Corporation has done nothing for the benefit of their Harijan employees and other labour workers and also neglected to solve the difficulties which they have suffered during the present war crisis and are still suffering on account of low wages and higher prices of all sorts of commodities.

The meeting stresses that necessary education be given to Harijans of the Corporation and the Corporation be requested to give proper support for the betterment of the Harijan boys with regard to their education and the Corporation be requested to make early arrangements for the necessary repairs of the School buildings.

The meeting regrets to note that the full quota of aid which was usually received by the School Committee was not received for the years 1943 and 1944. The meeting requests the Corporation to make immediate arrangement to pay the full quota of the aid.

steamer companies had said that they were not responsible for the accident. Who then was responsible for it?

He demanded a sifting public enquiry in the matter and urged that the jetties should be preserved in the same condition in which these were after these had collapsed.

The resolution, as stated above, was passed.

Councillor Mohammed Israil moved for the adjournment of the House in memory of those who were no more.

The House also adopted the adjournment motion moved by Councillor Israil.

CONDOLENCES

The House also condoled the deaths of Mr. Lalita Prosad Varman, the well-known Journalist and Editor of *Viswamitra*, the daily Hindi paper of Calcutta; Thakur Ram Monohar Sing, a prominent Congressman, ex-Member of the B. P. C. C., *ex*-Secretary, Burrabazar District Congress Committee and Editor of *Viswamitra*, a Hindi daily at Bombay; Mr. Ranglal Jajodia, a prominent businessman of the city and a social and Congress worker of Burrabazar.

LATE MR. N. C. ROY CHOWDHURY

The Corporation expressed deep regret on the demise of Mr. N. C. Roy Chowdhury, B.E., the first Civil Engineer appointed by the Corporation to look after Calcutta Improvement Trust works. He had retired after 13 years of efficient service.

Mr. N. C. Roy Chowdhury was an able and very popular officer of the Corporation. Besides, he served as the Municipal Engineer, prior to his Corporation service, in Howrah, Cuttack, and Monghyr. He died at the age of 70 at Lucknow. His generous disposition, amiable manners and courteous behaviour struck any one who came in contact with him. His dealings even with menials were most sympathetic. His charities were also numerous: any good cause, national, religions or social was supported by his bounties. He provided many students with tution fees. His connection with the Calcutta Corporation Jamadars, Peons and Workers' Association was most intimate.



LATE MR. N. C. ROY CHOWDHURY

He has left four sons behind him of whom Mr. Bimal Chandra Roy Chowdhury is a professor at the Lucknow College: Mr. Sukumar Roy Chowdhury, a doctor now practising in Shillong, Mr. Sashi Sital Roy Chowdhury, a political worker and Mr. Chuni Lal Roy Chowdhury, now in England.

Mr. N. C. Roy Chowdhury has left a building at Keshab Sen Street for the poor students who reside there free of charge. Many big engineering projects have been constructed under his direct supervision. Among the numerous projects the "Kiul Railway Bridge" is worth mentioning.

Middles

MAHATMA GANDHI IN CALCUTTA

Interviews Security Prisoners In Presidency Jail

AFTER a five-day tour of Assam, Mahatma Gandhi and his party returned to Sodepur Ashram by special train in the afternoon of Sunday, the 13th January.

Gandhiji said that it was a great pleasure to him that on his return journey from Assam, people were sufficiently quiet and he expected that such peace would be maintained on every occasion.

Mahatma Gandhi made a reference to the recent occurrences at a Chittagong village and the disaster at Diamond Harbour in his prayer message at Sodepur on Monday, the 14th January.

The occurrences at the Chittagong village, he said, must have given to everyone the same pain that they had given to him. The Government was to perform its own duty about it. But his thought pained to themselves. If they entertained the Satyagraha in them, then such happenings could not take place. What had happened at Diamond Harbour was similarly painful.

Gandhiji did not address the congregation, the day being his day of silence, but his message to the people assembled was read out by Shri Kanu Gandhi.

Visit To Security Prisoners

Gandhiji visited Presidency Jail at Alipore on Tuesday evening, the 15th January, and spent over two hours interviewing the 49 security prisoners now lodged there.

The security prisoners whom Mahatmaji saw included two women and two patients by whose bedside he remained some time. The interviews took place in a room adjacent to the main gate of the jail, where the prisoners came in batches of five, while the two women came in a separate batch. After he had had talks with the 10 batches, Gandhiji went to the jail hospital and walked upstairs to see the two patients.

The security prisoners presented Mahatma Gandhi with a garland and a bouquet, and 77,000 yards of yarn spun by four of them.

Gandhiji was received by the Jail Superintendent, Lt.-Col. S. L. Patney, and other jail staff.

As he came out of the jail Gandhiji said to the Jail Superintendent, with his usual smile: "I thank you very much." He accepted an offering of a jail-made carpet from the Additional Jailor, Mr. A. K. Moitra.

Gandhiji announced that he would leave Sodepur for Madras on the 19th January reaching Madras on the morning of the 21st.

"Abyss Of Ignorance"

Referring to a song of poet Rabindranath sung during Wednesday's (the 16th January) prayers at Sodepur Khadi Ashram, Gandhiji said that desire only tended to throw human beings into the darkness of unreason and misguide them. The poet had prayed to God for heavenly light to lead a man who had been slave to his desires and was groping in darkness.

"Every one of them should pray morning and evening to God who was an Omniscient Being to dispel darkness from his heart and save him from the abyss of ignorance. They should pray to God to awaken them in His kindly way from the slumber of idleness and reprove them so that they might not again fall a prey to it," Gandhiji added.

About 30 school children met Mahatma Gandhi after prayer at Sodepur Ashram and contributed to the Harijan fund about Rs. 10.

Romain Rolland Volume

Among others who called on Gandhiji were Deshbandhu C. R. Das's wife, Mrs. Basanti Devi and her daughter Mrs. Aparna Devi.

Mme. Madeline Rolland, sister of M. Romain Rolland, in a letter to Dr. Kalidas Nag having stated recently that M. Ramain Rolland in his last days, remembered Indian leaders like Gandhiji and Pandit Nehru, whom he had met in Europe before the war, Dr. Kalidas Nag, Dr. Amiya Chakravarti and Prof. Mihir Kumar Sen met Gandhiji in that connection on Wednesday at Sodepur and discussed with him about the publication of a volume in memory of M. Romain Rolland.

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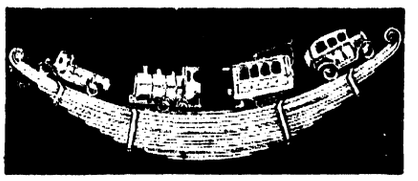
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Special Article

Municipalization of Calcutta Tramways

[By A. K. Sur, M.A., F.R.Econ.S., F.R.S.S.]

THE protracted dispute over the proposed purchase of Calcutta's Tramway undertaking by the City Corporation has now reached a new phase. It is reported that the Municipality has now been informed by the Tramway's Agent that last September's contract between the parties about the running of the service from 1st January, 1946 by the Corporation is cancelled due to its failure to fulfil certain conditions. These relate to obtaining assent of the Government of India and the New Howrah Bridge Commissioners for running trams on the maidan and the bridge, and also to payment of the purchase price by the Municipality. In view of this the Corporation has been asked not to proceed with the arbitration regarding settlement of the purchase price of the undertaking as the clause under which arbitrators were appointed is also cancelled. It is assured, however, that the Company's solicitors are prepared to appear before the arbitrators to elucidate further the facts in consequence of which the contract is cancelled.

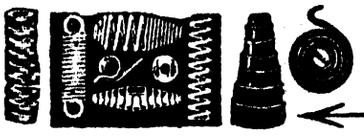
The Present Dispute

Before we come to recount here the facts that led to the present dispute between the Corporation and the Calcutta Tramways, it would be worth while to state here briefly the nature of the Company's undertaking and the terms and conditions of the original contract under which it had been operating so long. The Company's track mileage measures about 84.18, and it stretches over the area not merely of the Calcutta Corporation, but also that of the Tollygunge and Howrah Municipalities, the Bengal Government and the Commissioners for the New Howrah Bridge. For this, the Calcutta Corporation receives a total track rent of Rs. 80,590 per annum, the Tollygunge Municipality Rs. 200 per annum, the Bengal Government Rs. 10,281, and the New Howrah Bridge Commissioners Rs. 1,25,000. For the Howrah section the Howrah Municipality receives a track rent of Rs. 4,566 per annum and the Bengal Government Rs. 2,440. The Company's concessions are perpetual, subject to right of the respective municipalities to purchase undertaking within their areas on 1st January, 1938, and on the 1st January of every subsequent period of seven years on paying 25 years' purchase of the difference between the average Gross Annual Receipts and that Working Expenses of the Company for preceding seven years.

In virtue of the above contract, the Calcutta Corporation gave notice of intention to exercise its rights to purchase the undertaking on the 1st January, 1945. Negotiations were, therefore, set afoot between the Company and the Corporation, and pending any final decision on the matter, it was agreed that the Corporation would purchase on these terms the whole of the undertaking including the Howrah system and portions of the Calcutta system not operated under the contracts with the Corporation, with effect as from January 1, 1946.

Deputation To Government

But there were certain legal difficulties in the way of the Corporation's early acquisition of the Tramways. So at its meeting held on the 6th December, 1944, the Corporation decided to send a deputation consisting of five members (Messrs. R. N. Gaggar, M. A. H. Ishahani, S. C. Ray Chaudhuri, S. M. Usman and the Mayor (Mr. Anandilal Poddar) to meet the Hon'ble Chief Minister in connection with the purchase of the Tramways undertaking, and to place before him the points of view of the Corporation relating to the question of the purchase of Tramways, with a view to facilitating taking over of Tramways concern by the Corporation. The Deputation was also to request the Government to assist the Corporation in the matter of acquisition of the Tramways and to amend Section 97 of the Calcutta Municipal Act so as to give power to the Corporation to raise loan for the purpose. The Corporation deputationists accompanied by the Chief Executive Officer and the Assessor to the Corporation waited on the Chief Minister on the 21st December, 1944, and it was reported that a full and frank discussion took place in course of which the different points of view were brought out without any reservation. "The deputation explained in details that even without the books of the Company being available to the Corporation, the purchase price on the basis of standard authorities and on the figures supplied by the Tramways Company themselves, would not exceed Rs. 3,62,00,000 and the Chief Minister seemed to have been convinced that the purchase of the Tramways by the Corporation would be an economic proposition. The deputation made it clear that on the existing Agreements and on the basis of the legal opinion obtained by the Corporation, the Corporation had full right of taking over the Tramways Company on the 1st day of January, 1945 without the sanction of Government and they also said that the Corporation had the capacity of financing the purchase of the undertaking". The Chief Minister, on the contrary, pointed out that "as advised by his legal expert it seemed that the sanction of the Government was necessary before the Tramways undertaking could be purchased by the Corporation and that in any case the amendment of Section 97 of the Act was necessary before the Corporation could finance the purchase of the undertaking." The Chief Minister further stated that the legal questions could not be finally decided without protracted litigation and it was, therefore, desirable that the Government and the Corporation would come to an Agreement as to how the Tramways undertaking be best municipalized or nationalized. Government help on this matter was, however, assured on the condition that the Corporation was agreeable to the general proposition of the formation of a Transport Board to control, manage and carry out the administration of all transports including the Tramways, Bus and other forms of trasnport services that might come into existence hereafter in Calcutta, the adjoining municipalitities and the Industrial areas. It was stated that the Corporation should have representation on



the proposed Board proportionate to its interests and that the Corporation should be entitled to a share of the profit that the undertaking may earn in proportion to the size of the interest of the Corporation in such undertaking. The Chief Minister further stated that in the event of the Corporation agreeing to the formation of the proposed Transport Board, the Government might be prepared to find the money themselves or through the Transport Board and the Corporation might not be called upon to finance the purchase of the undertaking at all.

New Arrangement

Later on, the Tramways Company approached the Corporation to remain in possession of undertaking for its own benefit until December 31, 1945, and retain the profits for the year. While seeking this allowance the Company stipulated that (i) meantime the purchase price of whole tramways with the plant, machinery, land, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith belonging to the Company including Howrah as at 31st December, 1944, is to be ascertained in the manner provided by the 1899 Agreement incorporated in Bengal Act IV of 1900, and on footing that all such assets deemed to be subject matter of 1899 Agreement as at December 31, 1944, (ii) immediate endeavour is to be made by the Corporation to obtain necessary assent from other Authorities and passing of necessary legislation to enable plant, machinery, land, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith belonging to the Company, from January 1, 1946, and purchase price is to be paid by that date, (ii) in the event of the Corporation failing to obtain necessary consent and passing of necessary legislation or failing to obtain necessary finance by loan or otherwise to implement such arrangement, the Company is to be left in possession after December 31, 1945, on terms of existing agreement and the notice shall be cancelled.

These proposals were virtually accepted by the Corporation, and in the light of same an arrangement was arrived at by which the Corporation was ultimately to acquire the undertaking on January 1, 1946. Meanwhile the Corporation set about to determine the purchase price of undertaking and to call tenders for the appointment of an agent to run the services. Regarding the latter, so far as our information goes four tenderers so far submitted tenders for running the tramways service in Calcutta on behalf of the Corporation. They are: (1) Transport Syndicate of 6, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta with a tender limit of Rs. 4.5 crores, (2) Anandram Gajadhar with no tender limit, (3) Ballygunge Building Society with a tender limit of Rs. 4.5 crores, and (4) S. K. Roy of 2, Dalhousie Square East with a tender limit of Rs. 4.0 crores.

Price Of The Undertaking

So far as the determination of the price of the undertaking is concerned, the Corporation stuck to the price named by them in 1944. One only wonders how the Corporation arrived at the purchase price of Rs. 3,69,35,200. At least, they have not disclosed the basis of their estimate. Against this we have the demand of the Calcutta Tramways Company amounting to Rs. 8,51,59,075. Now in the light of the provisions embodied in the original contract, it is not very difficult to calculate the purchase price of the undertaking. It is "twenty-five years purchase of the difference between the average gross annual receipts and the working expenses of the Company for preceding seven years." Let us tabulate here the gross annual receipts and working expenses of the Company for several years, as given in its audited balance sheets.

Year.	Gross Receipts.	Working Expenses.	Surplus.	Dividend.
	£	£	£	p. c. p. a.
1933 ...	423,957	267,279	156,678	7½
1934 ...	449,557	279,785	169,772	9
1935 ...	465,159	281,310	183,849	9
1936 ...	457,929	287,087	170,842	8
1937 ...	476,076	289,126	186,950	8
1938 ...	489,027	301,978	187,049	8
1939 ...	490,253	311,973	178,280	5½
1940 ...	503,238	320,913	182,325	5½
1941 ...	570,235	357,146	213,089	5½
1942 ...	602,343	398,389	203,954	6½
1943 ...	907,834	589,846	317,988	7½
1944 ...	1,229,803	675,596	554,207	7½

Now the question here is: which seven years are to be taken into account for the purpose of the estimate? If the seven years ending 1939 are to be taken into consideration then the purchase price comes to £4,405,075 or Rs. 7,63,54,633. But if the seven years preceding the 1st of January, 1945 be taken into consideration then the purchase price comes to £6,560,300 or Rs. 11,37,11,866. Now the Corporation estimate falls far short of either of the above estimates.

It is obvious from the above, that the Corporation has blundered somewhere in regard to the calculation of the purchase price of the undertaking. They could have indeed made a revised estimate, but instead of that they let the matter go by default. If one would refer to clause (iii) of the temporary arrangement that the Company had with the Corporation as cited above, then it is evident that in view of the said stipulation "the Company is to be left in possession after December 31, 1945, on terms of existing agreement and the notice shall stand cancelled."

HEALTH & HYGIENE

India's Problem Of Population And Food Supply

THE importance of food supply in the world of to-day was stressed by Prof. Afzal Hussain in his presidential address to the 33rd session of the Indian Science Congress held sometime back at Bangalore. In Europe, in the Far East and India there is food shortage, he said. Dealing particularly with India, he said the first difficulty they were up against was lack of accurate statistical data. Without accurate assessment of food requirements and agricultural production, no agricultural planning was possible.

Food Resources

Dealing with Indian resources Prof. Afzal Hussain said that feed 400,000,000 India must increase her food production in cereals by 10 per cent. in fruits, by 50 per cent. in vegetables, by 100 per cent. in pulses, by 20 per cent. in fats and oils, by 250 per cent. in milk, by 300 per cent. in fish, flesh and eggs. He pleaded that the yield per acre of cereals should be rapidly increased and said no efforts should be rapidly increased and fisheries and increase the quantity of fish available. Wild life, both bird and animal could be a useful addition of food supply.

Expressing the view that the United Nations Organisation on Food and Agriculture may exercise some control on the rate of increase in the population of India. Prof Afzal Hussain said: "A stationary population for some years to come would avoid 'futility and frustration' which the present situation strongly suggests."

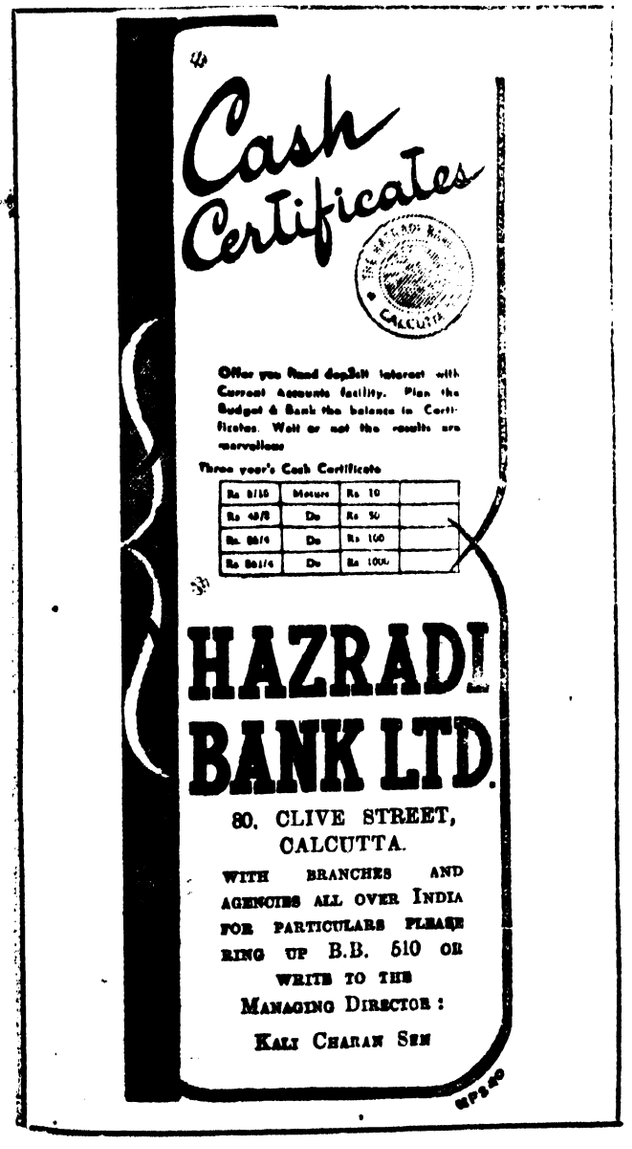
Population Trend

"The United Nations," he said "have now accepted the responsibility for meeting the food requirements of all people. They must, therefore, determine the production of food and control its distribution. We are already hearing of world wheat pools. The necessary corollary to this responsibility is that the United Nations will have to watch the population trend of various countries. What will be the attitude of the nations with a low or controlled birth-rate towards another nation with an uncontrolled and very high birth-rate? Will not the United Nations Organization be justified in exercising some control over population? Having accepted membership of the community of nations, India will have to fall into line with the rest of the world. The solution of the population problem is not easy and at any rate it will be many years before a satisfactory solution can be found. In the meantime an increase in population will continue."

Increase In Produce

On the other hand, said Prof. Afzal Hussain, there were those who firmly believed that "nations can live at home", and saw in the development of the modern science of agrobiology the possibility of a manifold increase in produce from the land. They claimed that the problem was not of over-population but of under-development of natural resources and inadequate utilization of human knowledge to develop these resources. For instance, Wilcox placed the theoretical limit of the yield of wheat at 171 bushels and of potatoes at 1,330 bushels, while the average in the U. S. A. was only 8.4 per cent. of this limit in the case of wheat and 8.6 in the case of potatoes.

Prof. Hussain said that neither the policy of population reduction nor the magic wand of agrobiology could bring forth immediate results.



SMALL POX EPIDEMIC

An Appeal To The Public

The Health Officer, Dr. M. U Ahmad, issues the following appeal :—

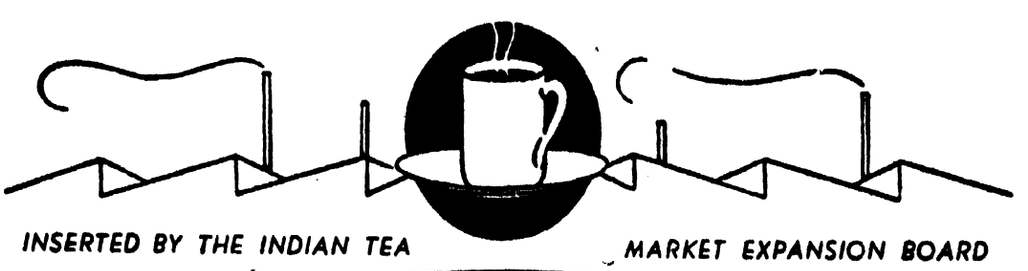
This is the season when Small-pox breaks out in an epidemic form in Calcutta. Over 8,000 lives were lost from Small-pox in Calcutta during 1944-45. This has happened in spite of our possessing the surest and simplest method of preventing this calamity, viz., Vaccination. The public are requested to get themselves vaccinated immediately. Authorities employing a large number of labour or other kind of staff can render valuable assistance by taking a little amount of care and seeing that all persons employed under them are vaccinated. Authorities of schools and colleges are specially requested to arrange for vaccination of all students under their care.

As usual, Corporation, besides the permanent staff of vaccinators, have appointed a very large number of temporary staff (both male and female) for this purpose. Everybody desirous of having himself vaccinated should get in touch with his respective District Health Officer.

Man-Power and Output

The supply of labour is a problem—the proportion of skilled to unskilled workers is a problem. These are the problems which every industrialist in India has to face daily and find answers to as best he can. Due to the unprecedented incentive provided by the war to India's industrial activity, the old problem of achieving maximum production while conserving man-power and materials has assumed even greater proportions to-day and is the most serious concern of every factory manager.

Tremendous attention is, therefore, focussed on the efficiency of the individual worker and his ability to maintain a high standard of physical effort and concentration for long periods. Anything that promotes this is a very real boon to the factory manager. In a great many factories tea has been found of great value. It has been proved in practice that tea served to the worker on the job materially increases his power to maintain efficiency to the end of his shift. Our considerable experience in these matters is at the disposal of all employers. A short pamphlet entitled *'Canteens for the Workers'* has just been issued on this subject, which will be sent free on application to the Commissioner, Indian Tea Market Expansion Board, 101, Clive Street, Calcutta.



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Engineering & Architecture

Slums Of Vienna

How They Have Been Cleared

[*Below are reproduced excerpts from the book, "Special Correspondent," by Robert Berneys, M.P., author of "Naked Fakir." In 1930, Mr. Berneys set off on a tour round the world. In "Special Correspondent" he gives a picture of the times through the eyes of a shrewd observer who has himself been in lively contact with men and events.*

In this connection may be recalled what Mr. Sarat C. Bose, ex-Alderman, inter-alia, said in reply to the civic address presented to him by this Corporation on the 4th October, 1945, drawing the attention of the members of the Corporation to the work done by the Social Democratic Party of Vienna within the short space of ten years.—Editor, C. M. G.]

THE Immense Karl Marx Hof has been captured after a fight lasting from dawn till midday ..... its five thousand occupants have been evacuated and the building is slowly filling with gas..... from Ottakring comes the rattle of machine-gun fire and the occasional thud of howitzer....." So read the sober, accurate report of *The Times* on the riots in February, 1934. I rubbed my eyes. Was this really the quarter that only a few months before, one sunny October afternoon, I had visited with another fellow Liberal M.P., Mr. Geoffrey Mander, as the finest illustration of slum clearance in Europe?

Visit To Vienna

We had made our tour on the invitation of Herr Seitz, the Socialist Burgomaster of Vienna, an old man with a beard, very courteous and charming, in appearance and manner rather like Lord D'Abernon. Hastily I ran my eye down the two-column account. What had happened to him? "Herr Seitz," I read, "the deposed Socialist Burgomaster, who has long been in poor health, suffered a stroke to-day at the Police Presidency in consequence of the strain to which he has been subjected. He is reported to be in a state of collapse."

What has happened to those kindly women who had taken me those lovely flats? "....roughly made deal coffins carried through an outlying street. It is believed that many women and children have shared the fate of their menfolk."

So this was the end of the great adventure in social reform. The place of pilgrimage for the housing reformers of the world had become a shambles. Almost the solitary great achievement of post-war Socialism was in ruins.

Experiment Is Over

But, though the experiment is over, it is worth, even now, some description.

This city of two million people crippled by the war and the Peace Treaty, where the average earnings of the working man do not exceed thirty shillings a week, has in ten years cleared away its slums. It was a fascinating tour that I made to find out how it had been done. Our first stopping-place was inevitably some way from the centre of the town, and I recalled one of the major problems of housing in England—the increased expense in travelling to and from work involved in distant housing estates. It has been overcome here in an interesting way. The fare on the trams—thirty-two groschen; about two pence—is a flat rate.

It is thus possible to go from one end of Vienna to the other for the same price as for a few hundred yards down the street.

Working Men's Flats

My first sight was of the Karl Marx Hof, a series of working men's flats stretching block after block for a thousand yards. It contained fourteen hundred flats. It sounds a dready vista, but they were not the skyscraper slums that frequently go under the name of working men's dwellings in England.

They were fronted by a green line of grass playgrounds for the children; each flat had a balcony decked out as a flower-garden; each block had some subtle change in line or colour that was extraordinarily restful to eye. There were statues and fountains such as in London are found only in some smart West End "court."

My guide knocked at a door at random, and we asked permission to go inside. It was like the advertisement of a model dwelling in a garden suburb. There was an entrance-hall, a kitchen, two rooms, and a balcony so big that it made a fine nursery. All the flooring was parquet, and with each flat was included a gas stove.

Rents For Flats

With the memory of back yards at home, with the washing hanging out to dry on a Monday afternoon, I asked how in a flat that difficulty was overcome. It was quite simple. There was a steam laundry. The right to use it was included in the rent. And the rent for all this—which included a gas stove and a steam laundry? The equivalent of five English shillings a week

And in my constituency and in five hundred others unemployed families, with not more than twenty-eight shillings a week coming into the house, are paying twelve and six pence to fourteen shillings a week

I know what the average Englishman interested in housing will say: "That is all very well. These are flats. The English working man will not live in flats, and if you had to tramp up ten flights of stairs every time you came back from an afternoon's shopping, you wouldn't either." I agree. I said exactly the same to my guide.

Estate Of Houses

His answer was to take me to another part of Vienna, where I saw an estate, not of flats, but of houses—blocks of four or eight houses, each with a separate door and a staircase. We

explored further, and came upon another estate of two-storied houses exactly as in England. They were as well equipped and as comfortable and as cheap as the flats.

It was all according to taste. Some preferred communal living; others liked isolation of a separate house. I cannot believe that it was a mere accident that the communal flats were called the Karl Marx Hof and the estates of separate houses were named after George Washington.

How has it been done? Here are the facts. During the war there was a severe Rent Restriction Act. This continued after the war into the time of the inflation. Private enterprise found it hopelessly unprofitable to build new houses. The shortage was appalling. The municipality had to step in and build its own. There was no money for it in the city treasury, and little possibility of raising a loan. It had to be done out of special taxation. A tax was levied on each room in any occupied house rising by arithmetical progression after each third room. Thus, if you paid four pounds for four rooms you were taxed sixteen pounds for five rooms and thirty-two pounds for six rooms. It was a crushing impost, but it produced the money and the houses.

SINCE 1922

Sixty thousand houses have been built since 1922 in Vienna, and they are free of all charges in connection with debt and sinking fund. The rent is not rent in our sense—the payment of interest on capital. It is merely a charge for present upkeep and future repairs.

No doubt weighty objection can be brought against the measures. It will be argued that the British nation, with an income tax of five shillings in the pound, could not afford the additional terrible burden of additional taxation; that money must earn three and half per cent.; and that the fact that the loan is for housing makes no difference, and that in any case the present position of Austria's finances is hardly an advertisement of the soundness of her financial policy since the war.

But the results cannot be argued away. While we in England have been taking about the slum clearance—producing successive Housing Bills, launching "crusades," conducting "drives"—Vienna has done it.

The popularity it was beyond dispute. Though Vienna had long since gone anti-Socialist in national affairs, in municipal affairs the city still returned the Socialist party which first launch the Housing Scheme by a majority, after twelve years, of two-thirds of the seats.

But there was nothing particularly socialistic about the achievement. As the Socialist Burgomaster said to me, "It is the Socialists who happen to have done it here, but the same kind of thing could be done in England by any party."

CITY WITHOUT SLUMS

But will it be done? Slum clearance needs ruthlessness and it needs self-sacrifice. There is not a plentiful supply of these qualities to-day, either in the Ministry of Health or the property owners. There is also the remarkable Conservatism of the working classes. I talked to the members of the English trade-union delegation to Vienna about the Vienna Housing. They were quite unimpressed by it. "Well, I don't like that steam laundry idea at all", one of them said to me. "My wife would not like to go out and do her washing at a stated time. And those baths, too—fancy having to dress first, and then go across a cold courtyard and have a bath, and then have to dress all over again"! Another objection to the payment for these houses out of taxation was: "If houses are provided by the State, why not food and clothing?"

Still the fact remains that Vienna is the only city in Europe that has cleared its slums—or, rather, had cleared its slums. For after the events of February even post-war. Vienna has become a city in the past tense.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

SEPARATION FROM BHATPARA MUNICIPALITY

To THE EDITOR, "CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL GAZETTE"

SIR,—There appears to be a united demand for separation of Athpur and Mulajore, inhabited largely by the Bengalees, from under the Bhatpara Municipality. The name Bhatpara is stated to be a misnomer. For Bhatpara proper has a representation of only 2 out of total of 19 commissioners on its Municipal Board. Its administration is controlled by the up-country, floating labour population of Jagatdal and Kankinara. There was progressive deterioration in office administration which culminated in its supersession in 1942 since its different wards were allotted representation proportionate only to their population ignoring all other factors which in heterogenous township of this kind should have received the most serious and careful consideration. In any case, the Department of Local Self-Government cannot deny self-governance to a class of people, largely the Bengalees, desiring to tear themselves asunder from the dominance of the up-country labour population of Jagatdal and Kankinara. That would be against the fundamental principle of self-government which the Department stand avowedly to promote and foster.—Yours etc.

J. C. PAL,
Secretary,
Separation Committee, Ward No IV,
Bhatpara Municipality.

P. O. SHAMNAGORE.
The 26th December, 1945.

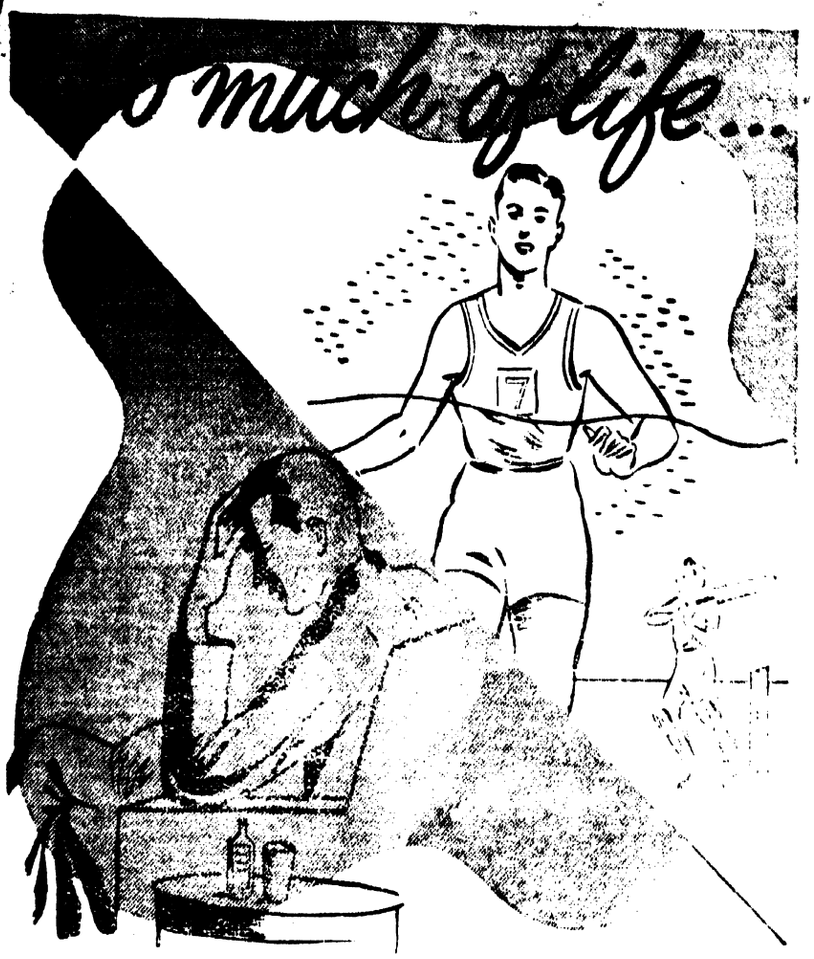
LATE RAI BAHADUR A. N. ADHIKARI

SRADH CEREMONY PERFORMED

The Sradh ceremony of Rai Bahadur Aghore Nath Adhikari, a well known educationist of Bengal, who died on the 29th December last, was performed by his four sons at 25, Hindusthan Park, Ballygunge, on Tuesday, the 8th January, 1946, according to *vedic* rites.

The ceremony was attended by Principal Dr. Snehamaya Dutta, D.Sc., Rai Bahadur N. C. Ghosh, O.B.E., General Manager, E.I.Ry., Dr. P. C. Dutta, Chief Medical Officer, B. A. Ry., Councillor P. D. Himatsingka, Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha, Rai Bahadur Dr. U. N. Roy Chowdhury, Professor Hari Charan Ghosh, and many other distinguished men and women.

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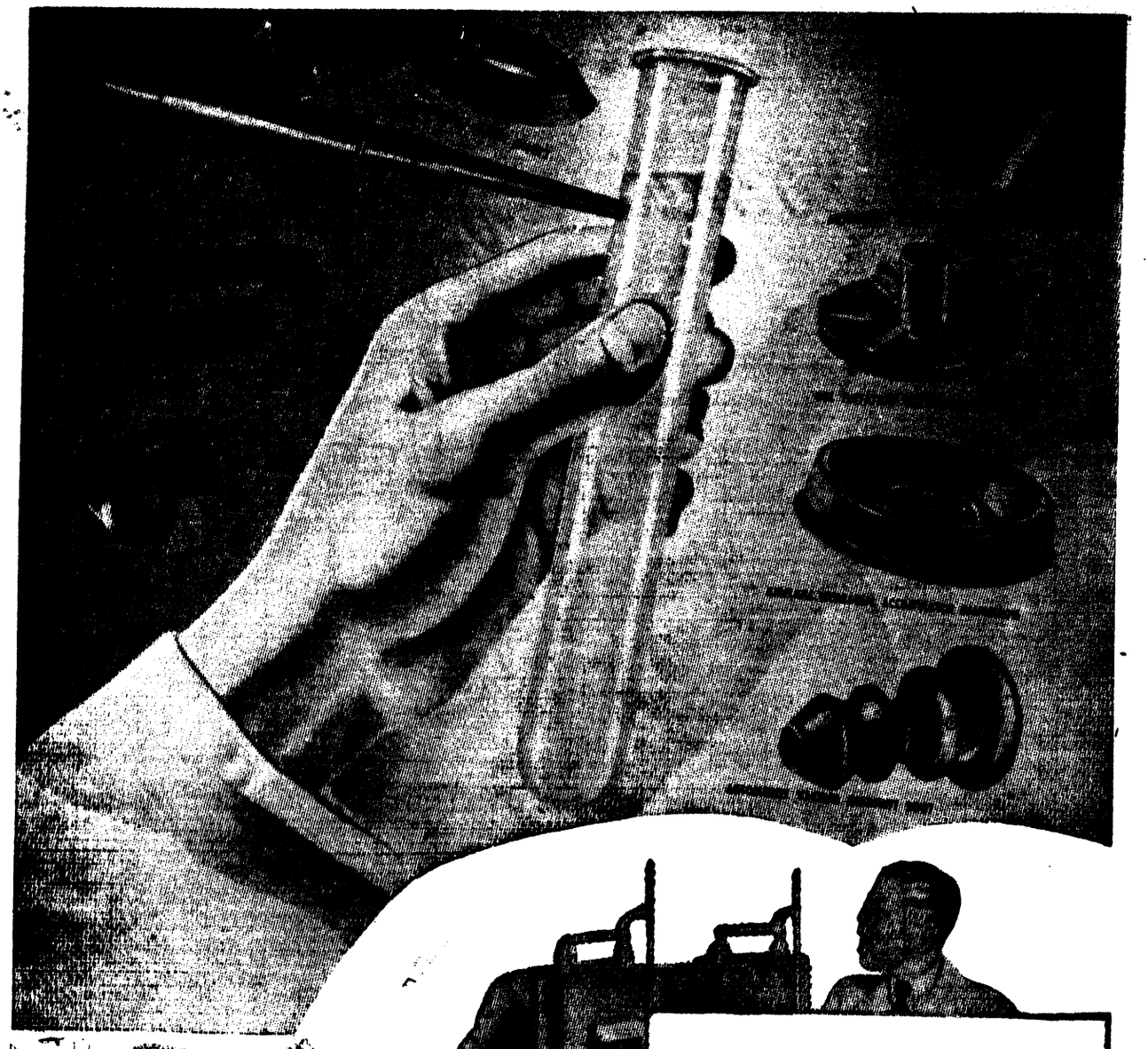
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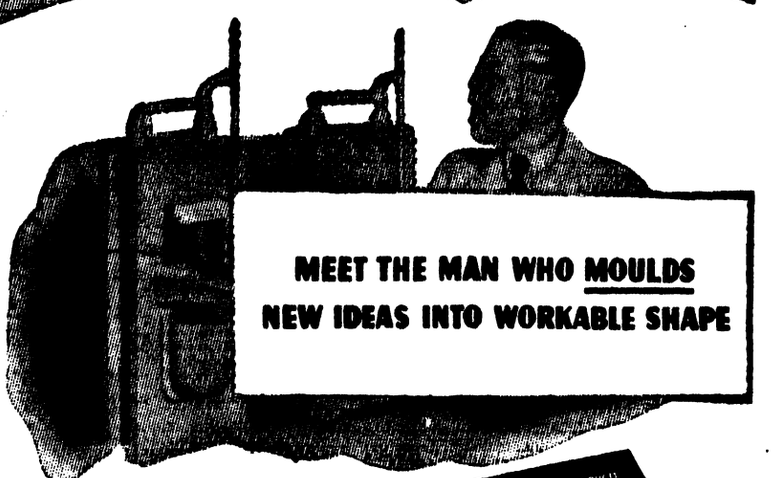
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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

SIR WILLIAM JONES BI-CENTENARY

The bi-centenary celebrations of the birth of Sir William Jones, founder of the Royal Asiatic Society, Bengal, concluded on Tuesday, the 15th January last, at the Society Hall with the reading of messages of good wishes received by the Society from all over the world on the occasion. Prof. Meghnad Saha, President of the Society, was in the chair.

The Secretary of State for India, Lord Pethwick-Lawrence, in a message expressed his best wishes to the Society as it was celebrating the bi-centenary of the birthday of its founder.

H. E. the Viceroy of India expressing his inability to attend the function sent a book, 'Short Review of British Government in India', dated 1796 from his own collection and with his autograph for the library of the Society.

Messages of good wishes were received among others from H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, Mr. Ernest Bevin, Royal Society, London, University of Oxford, University of Cambridge, University of Paris, Royal Society, Paris, Society for Indian Students, Paris, Royal Asiatic Society, Great Britain and Ireland, Consul-General of America, Consul General of China, University of London, Royal Central Asiatic Society of Great Britain, Ireland Academy, Royal Asiatic Society of Bombay Archaeological Society of Hannoy, Institute of Buddhist Studies in Indo-China, Burma Research Society, Consul-General for Belgium, Royal Academy of Belgium, Cama Oriental Research Society, Bhandarkar Research Institute of Poona Swiss Society of Oriental Languages, Bristol Natural Society, Joint Committee of Cultural Relationship with India and Great Britain, Society of Indian Women in London, Gujrat Asiatic Society, Director of Imperial Records, New Delhi and Bangiya Sahitya Parishad.

An assurance that he would always do his best to promote sympathy and understanding for India in other countries of the world, was given by H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey in a speech at the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal in Calcutta on the 11th January last. The speech was in connexion with the bicentenary celebration of the birth of Sir William Jones, founder of the Society.

Mr. Casey said he knew that the Society, apart from its normal work, was also thinking about a project of improving and extending the cultural links between India and other countries.

A Government grant of Rs. 50,000 to the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal was announced by Professor Meghnad Saha President of the Society, presiding at the symposium on "Indian Culture as a Factor in World Civilisation" held on the fourth day of the bi-centenary celebrations of the birth of Sir William Jones, founder of the Society at the Society's premises on the 9th January last.

Prof. Saha said that the Society proposed to institute four fellowships for the next two years. He added that Indian history was full of many problems, they could have a glimpse only of the past now

SIR SYED NASIM ALI

Sir Harold Derbyshire, Chief Justice of the Calcutta High Court, has been granted leave from the 18th February next till the long vacation, commencing from the end of August, 1946

It is understood, that Justice Sir Syed Nasim Ali will act as Chief Justice, during the period.

MR. SARAT CHANDRA BOSE; ADDRESS OF WELCOME

On behalf of the citizens of Calcutta, an address and a purse of Rupees one lakh eleven thousand one hundred and one were presented to Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose at a mammoth gathering of more than a lakh of people at Deshabandhu Park on Sunday evening, the 13th January last.

The address was printed on silk and presented in an engraved silver tray. The purse was made of tri-colour Khaddar.

Both the address and the purse were presented by Mr. Suresh Chandra Majumdar, Chairman, Sarat Chandra Bose Reception Committee.

To the eastern side of the rostrum, a huge dais was erected in which sat 52 released members of the Indian National Army, including some I.N.A. cadets Behind the dais which was 6 feet high and 20 by 40 feet in area, was placed a huge bust-size portrait of Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose, 10 by 12 feet, representing Netaji in the uniform of the Commander-in-chief of the Indian National Army. Over the portrait, there fluttered a huge National Flag.

Replying to the address of welcome Mr. Bose said :

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

There was an all-round improvement in Calcutta's health during the week ended the 12th January.

Cholera attacks and deaths during the week were 8 and 5, respectively against 22 and 8 the week before. In the corresponding weeks last year there were 24 and 32 attacks and 14 and 15 deaths.

There was no reported attack or death from small-pox against one each the week before. In the corresponding week last year there were 411 and 233 attacks and 327 and 176 deaths.

Malaria caused 29 deaths against 36 the week before During the corresponding weeks last year there were 61 and 75 deaths.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 115 against 119 in the preceding week

There were altogether 781 deaths from all causes during the week against 797 the week before. The number of deaths for the same period last year averaged 1,191 weekly.

"Independence is at our door. I have no doubt that we shall gain our independence by following the path of non-violence Because I am in favour of military training it does not mean that I support violence. India has no necessity of supporting violence. I believe military training cannot militarise Indians."

ANOTHER RECEPTION TO MR. BOSE

A call to the youth of Bengal to join the Congress in large numbers and hasten the day of the country's deliverance was made by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose replying to a reception accorded him by Tarun Milan Sangha at Kumartooly Park, on Monday evening, the 14th January last.

A purse was presented to Mr. Bose on behalf of the Sangha.

Addressing the gathering, Mr. Bose said that he had very little time to make speeches and he did not also consider that there was any necessity for making speeches for they had long passed that stage. The Congress had been founded 60 years ago and Mahatma Gandhi had been guiding the organisation for the last 25 years. Under his able leadership

the Congress had grown from strength to strength and to-day the message of the Congress had reached every nook and corner of the country, every home.

As regards work that young men of Bengal should do, Mr. Bose referred to his speech made at Deshbandhu Park the day previous and said that the Congress had chalked out the path for them and it was up to them to follow it. They should rally round the banner of the Congress and hasten the day of their deliverance

ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS

Art was one of the lingua francas of the world, said H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, opening the 10th annual exhibition of the Academy of Fine Arts at the Government School of Art, Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 15th January, last.

Art was part of the soul and the creative expression of the people and so might be said to be one of the media of knowledge and understanding between one country and another. It was difficult to get to know the people of any country immediately unless one was able to speak their language. So it was difficult to understand their traditions and the forces that motivated and inspired them without knowledge of their art and music.

In Bengal they had seen enough of her art to realize the great richness that lay stored here—richness in archaeological as in medieval and present-day fields. But there was just as much that could come out of the future in the living art of her young men and women.

STEPS AGAINST BLACK MARKETING

"Currency notes of the value of Rs. 500, Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 10,000 cease to be legal tender from to-day", under the provisions of a new Ordinance issued on the 12th January last as a step taken to deal with black-marketing in the country. By another ordinance banks and treasuries were called on to declare their holdings of currency notes of the value above Rs. 100.

Hectic days were passed in Calcutta for some days by those holding high denomination notes without any knowledge of the fate of their possessions.

A panicky crowd collected in front of the Reserve Bank for forms prescribed by the Demonetization Ordinance.

The Reserve Bank of India, Calcutta, issued Rs. 96,59,000 on January 15 and Rs. 47,92,500 on January 16 to Scheduled Banks in exchange of currency notes of higher denomination following the promulgation of the currency ordinance.

Rs. 7,67,500 was issued to Scheduled Banks and Rs. 16,72,000 to private individuals on the count of their declaration forms on January 18.

The important part which the public can play in exposing black-marketing and profiteering was stressed by Sir Douglas Gordon, Director-General of Enforcement, Civil Supplies Department, in a speech at a Conference of Civil Supplies Ward Committees representatives on Tuesday, the 15th January last.

Sir Douglas Gordon suggested that ward committees could render valuable service to the public and to Government by acting as a focus of public opinion on rationing and control schemes and by bringing to official notice breaches of the orders noticed by members of the Committees or referred to them by residents.

LADY FELLOW OF ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY

Dr. Roma Chaudhuri, M.A., D.Phil. (Oxon.) has been elected a Fellow of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal. She is the first Lady Fellow of this Society. Dr. Chaudhuri had a distinguished career in Calcutta University, having stood second in the I. A., and topped the list in both B.A., and M.A. Examinations in Philosophy. She was the first Indian lady to get Doctorate in Philosophy from Oxford University. She is the author of several standard works on Indian Philosophy and Sufism. Three of her books on the Nimbarka School have been published by the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal

Dr. Roma Chaudhuri is the Joint Secretary of the Prachyavani (Institute of Oriental Learning) and Joint Editor of the Institute's Research Journal. She is a grand-daughter of the late Anandamohan Bose and wife of Dr. J. B. Chaudhuri of Presidency College, Calcutta

RECEPTION TO MR. PERCY BROWN

Mr. Percy Brown, Curator and Secretary, Victoria Memorial, Calcutta, and former Principal, Government School of Art, was given a reception on Sunday, the 13th January, by his former students at the school premises.

Artists representing the Services Arts Club, Art in Industry, the Academy of Fine Arts, the Calcutta Art Group and the Indian Society of Oriental Art were present.

ALDERMAN ABDUR RAHMAN SIDDIQI

Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi, M.L.A., (Central) left Calcutta on Monday night, the 14th January for Lahore where he will preside at the All-India Indonesian Conference to be held on the 19th January.

COMMUNIST PARTY RALLY

"If we do not extend to others the principle of self-determination and fail to unite amongst ourselves we shall not be able to earn our independence from the British," said Mr. P. C. Joshi, General Secretary of the Communist Party addressing a large rally of nearly a lakh of people at the foot of the Ochterloney Monument on Sunday afternoon, the 15th January. He added: "We must wage now our last battle of freedom on the basis of recognition of the right of all nationalities of our great country."

Mr. Joshi began with congratulations to the citizens of Calcutta on their heroic stand against police repression during the recent firings in Calcutta. The Congress, League and Communist students and workers created such a united force which made the police bend down. "The first duty and the main slogan of the Communist Party" he said "is to gain the freedom of India by a United Struggle of all the parties and patriotic organisations."

The Communists demanded freedom, but they did not claim that they were the only fighters of freedom. The main policy behind their programme was that "we cannot gain independence if we fail to be just to the legitimate rights of all nationalities in India." Fifty lakhs of people were going to be thrown out of employment in the near future he said. All the dues and sterling balances lying with the British must be realised from them without delay and spent on the nation-wide rehabilitation programme, in order to avoid such an eventuality. The wealth that hoarders and black-marketeers had amassed during these years must be controlled by the nation in the cause of the common people.

Appealing to the people to vote for the Communist candidates he said that these votes would be neither against the Congress nor the League. The Communist Party demanded full independence as well as acceded to the right of self-determination of the Muslims.

Kisans and workers from different areas adjoining Calcutta came in a procession through the Calcutta streets to join the rally. Councillor Somnath Lahiri presided.

POLICE FIRING ECHO

A reception was accorded to students, who had been injured as a result of police firing in Calcutta on November 21, 22 and 23 last in connection with the observance of Indian National Army Day, at a meeting held in the University compound on Thursday, the 17th January.

Ten of the students who sustained injuries as a result of the firing, were present. Miss Bela Majumdar, a post-graduate student, was in the chair.

ELECTORAL ROLLS FOR CALCUTTA

The final electoral rolls for most of the constituencies of the Bengal Legislative Assembly and the Bengal Legislative Council have been published :—

Bengal Legislative Assembly, Calcutta Muhammadan (Urban), Calcutta Muhammadan Women (Urban), Anglo-Indian, Calcutta cum Presidency Division Indian Christian and Calcutta and Suburbs (European)

Bengal Legislative Council :—Calcutta General (Urban), Calcutta Suburbs General (Urban), Calcutta Suburbs Muhammadan (Urban) and European.

TEAR GAS TO DISPERSE CROWD

"There is no truth in reports published in a section of the Press that the police opened fire on the workers of an engineering workshop at Garden Reach, Calcutta, on Wednesday (the 16th January). Tear smoke was the only 'weapon' used to disperse an unruly crowd in the face of serious provocation." Thus stated a Press Note issued on Thursday, the 17th January.

MORE REQUISITIONED HOUSES RELEASED

Thirty-four residential and an equal number of non-residential premises, requisitioned by the military authorities in the Calcutta area, have been released during the last three weeks ended the 5th January last.

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I. N. A. RELIEF COMMITTEE ANNOUNCEMENT

The I. N. A. Relief Committee (Bengal) announce :—

The birthday of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose falls on the 23rd of January, 1946. It has been decided to celebrate the Day in a fitting manner, and observe the week beginning from the 23rd January as "Netaji Week." The full programme of the Week will be announced later.

On the 23rd January, there will be a route march by the volunteers of the I. N. A. Relief Committee. The procession of volunteers will commence from Deshapriya Park, Ballygunge, at 2 P.M., and after passing through the main thoroughfares in Calcutta (details of the route will be announced later) will terminate in Deshabandhu Park, Shambazar, where there will be a flag salutation ceremony.

The I. N. A. Relief Committee (Bengal) hope that the "Netaji Week" will be celebrated in all the districts of Bengal.

RESTORATION OF SERVICES ON E. I. R.

Practically all passenger services on the E. I. R will be restored to pre-war level from April 1, announced Rai Bahadur N. C. Ghosh, General Manager of the Railway, at a recent Press Conference in Calcutta. Sir Ushanath Sen presided.

The Rai Bahadur explained the measures that are being taken to restore things to normal and pointed out the achievements of the Railway during the war. With the cessation of hostilities plans were made for gradual restoration of the services to the pre-war standard and they are now being given effect to in three different stages.

GIRISH CHANDRA BOSE ANNIVERSARY

Eloquent tributes to the memory of the late Mr. Girish Chandra Bose, Principal, Bangabasi College, were paid at a meeting of Professors and students at the College premises on Monday, the 14th January, last. Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose presided.

In the course of his speech, Mr. Bose said that Girish Chandra was born at least half a century before the time. He was about the first of the pioneers to spread the idea of independence for his country through his school started in 1885 the year of foundation of the National Congress and the College in 1887 in those days when England-returned youths, specially those like Girish Babu, who had high academic and technical qualifications, sought Government service, Girish Chandra chose to be a school master. His school and College were the asylums of political sufferers, students or teachers, and he never cared for Government grant to refrain from risking affiliation to the University.

HOUSE RENT CONTROL ORDER AMENDED

Calcutta landlords are forbidden to take any sum in excess of one month's rent as advance when letting out or renewing the lease of a house. This is provided for in an amendment to the Calcutta House Rent Control Order, 1943, issued by the Government of Bengal.

The Rent Controller may, on the application of a tenant, order the refund of any sum in excess of the rent or any *salami* or premium paid by such tenant either before or after the commencement of the Order.

By another amendment it is provided that no distress warrant shall be issued under Chapter VIII of the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882, and no process under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, in execution of a decree passed *ex-parte* shall be issued either for the attachment of pro-

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perty or for the arrest of any tenant in connection with recovery of rent, unless the person applies for execution, when making his application swears or affirms by affidavit or otherwise that no part of the rent in respect of which execution is applied for is such as is not chargeable under this Order.

The Bengal Hotels and Lodging Houses Control Order, 1942, has been amended so as to enable the Rent Controller to order the refund of any sum in excess of the fair rate of charges paid by the occupant of a room either before or after the commencement of this Order. This amendment enjoins upon the managers of such establishment to undertake repairs of rooms or to take measures for the due maintenance of any essential supply or service.

RATIONING OFFENCES

Instances of rations not only being drawn on absentees' ration cards but also on cards obtained on false data were brought to light as the result of a recent drive undertaken in some parts of Calcutta by the Rationing Directorate in cooperation with the Enforcement Division.

It may be recalled in this connection that offences under the Calcutta Industrial Area Rationing Regulations, 1943, include the taking out of a ration card on false information, obtaining of any rationed article with a card other than the one issued in a particular name or on an absentee's card. In addition, a person living in a residential establishment is not entitled to the use of a ration card.

Heads of families recorded as such on the cards should also notify the Rationing Officer in writing, within ten days, any reduction in the number of members of the family due to death, absence for more than 7 days or any other reason.

Apart from the legal aspect of the matter, it is definitely in the interest of the public to co-operate in seeing that such anti-social practices cease and that infringements are reported to the nearest police station, Enforcement Officer or Civil Supplies Information Post.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL WORK IN INDIA

A programme of field work to be undertaken in the immediate future was approved by the Central Advisory Board of Archaeology at its meeting in Calcutta recently. The meeting reviewed the activities of the past year.

The Board generally accepted the proposals of Dr. R. E. Mortimer Wheeler, Director-General of Archaeology in India, relating to the training of Indian students in the subject. The proposals recommended that for short and limited periods the services of a few foreign archaeological experts should be secured to train students within the country without necessitating their going abroad.

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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 12th January, 1946.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN AND SUBURBS).

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 783 against 797 and 876 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 529. The general death-rate of the week was 16.13 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 12th January, 1946, was 676 against 674 and 730 in the two preceding weeks. There were 2 deaths from cholera against 7 and 2 in the two preceding weeks. There were nil deaths from small-pox during the week against nil in the previous week. There was 1 death from influenza against 1 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 50 and 82 respectively against 60 and 79 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 15.45 per mille per annum.

There were 21 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 15.45.

There were 168 deaths from respiratory diseases against 169 in the previous week.

There were 43 deaths from tuberculosis against 35 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 107 against 123 and 146 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, nil were from cholera, nil from small-pox, nil from influenza, 15 from fevers, 22 from bowel-complaints and 27 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 17.77 per mille.

There was no imported death. Excluding these, the death-rate was nil.

There were 6 deaths from tuberculosis against 1 in the previous week.

GRANT-IN-AID TO CORPORATION

A grant-in-aid of Rs. 13,51,200 to the Calcutta Corporation for the quarter ending March, 1946 has been sanctioned by the Government of Bengal.

This amount represents 80 per cent of the estimated cost of dearness allowance to Corporation employees and of the estimated loss on account of sale of subsidised foodstuffs to certain grades of Corporation employees during the quarter.

CORPORATION NOTICES

Notice To Petty Improvement Contractors.

District No. III Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following work are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on 23rd January, 1946, up to 2 p.m. :—

143 Construction of single channel drain in old Ballygunge 2nd Lane between Ironside Road and Ballygunge Park in Ward No. 21.—Rs. 950, dated 14th January, 1946, (1 month).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics (7 days' notice) as printed in clause 6 of the Tender and Agreement Form for piece work should be read as "3 days' notice."

S. C. GHOSE,
District Engineer III.

District III Eng'g Office,
The 10th January, 1946.

Naming Of Road

The following name has been sanctioned by the Corporation for a group of roads in Ward No. 27 :—

The group of roads opened out by Messrs. Talbot & Co., at 14, Gariahat Road and since vested in the Corporation to be called "Suren Tagore Road."

S. M. HUSSAIN,
Offg. Assessor.

Central Municipal Office,
The 17th January, 1946.

Final Electoral Rolls

Bengal Legislative Assembly
&
Bengal Lagislative Council

The public are hereby informed that fresh electoral rolls for the Calcutta North (Muhammadan), Calcutta South (Muhammadan), and Calcutta (Muhammadan) Women's constituencies of the Bengal Legislative Assembly and the Calcutta General constituency of the Bengal Legislative Council have been revised and finally published on the 14th January, 1946, under the Bengal Legislative Assembly and Bengal Legislative Council Electoral (Preparation, Revision and Publication of Electoral Rolls) Rules, 1936.

A complete set of the rolls for each of the said constituencies can be inspected either at the Chief Presidency Magistrate's Office, 2, Bankshall Street, Calcutta, or at the Central Municipal Office (Election Department), 5, Surendranath Banerjea Road, Calcutta, and copies of such rolls are available for purchase at the Records Department of the Calcutta Corporation at the Central Municipal Office.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer,
Calcutta Corporation,
(Registering Authority).

Central Municipal Office,
The 14th January, 1946.

TENDER NOTICE

Quotations in properly superscribed sealed covers for the works (1) Fixing high and low water gauge at Malancha and (2) Repairs to Ghosepur Bridge over S. W. Channel, are invited separately and will be received by the undersigned up to 2-30 p.m. of 24th January, 1946.

Parties intending to quote are expected to inspect the sites of works and to know all other particulars if required, in this connection from the office of the undersigned prior to submitting their tenders. Time of completion is 15 days for the 1st Work and 30 days for the 2nd from the date of intimation of the acceptance of tenders.

Successful parties must have to furnish cash security of Rs. 50 for each of the works prior to undertaking them.

A. N. BANERJEE,
Outfall Engineer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 10th January, 1946.

Sal Sleepers

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S. M. SHARIF,
Controller of Stores.

Central Stores Office,
Corporation of Calcutta,
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The 8th January, 1946.

Fidelity Bond

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Detailed information can be had from this office on any working day between 1 and 2 p.m.

A. K. BASAK,
Collector.

Central Municipal Office,
The 10th January, 1946.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received for registration of the names of Mr. Sotish Chandra Das, Mr. Atindra Nath Das, Mr. Khagendranath Das, Mr. Kasi Nath Das and Master Mohan Chand Das represented by the above named brothers as natural guardian, as occupiers of stall No. 14 in the New Building in the S. S. Hogg Market in place of their father Mr. Kalipoda Das, the deceased recorded occupier of the stall.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S. S. Hogg Market,
The 16th January, 1946.

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Mr. Dipchand, the recorded occupier of Stalls Nos. 27-28 in Block E (new) and Godown No. (g) 9 in the S. S. Hogg Market for permission to transfer his rights and interests in the above stalls to Mr. G. C. Ghosh.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market,
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Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—3 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 1[illegible]4	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

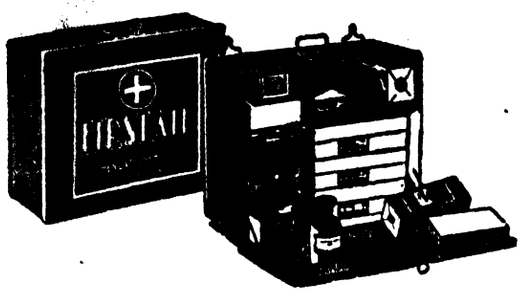
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*H. (New) *,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Orab each ...	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
		1 14 0
Duck's eggs per score ...		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs —		
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal " ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) Pr. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	
Garlic " ...	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer, ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Rauchi) ...	0 10 0	
Do. (Country) ...	0 2 0	
*Turnip ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot ...	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
" (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each —	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—8 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond " —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score —	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20 —	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each —	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate —	1 8 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras " —		
Ghee Lakhee —		
Do. Bhadwa —	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree —	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk " —		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 6 0	(Con.)
Atta White No. 1 —		
Atta Brown per seer —	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar " ...	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb. —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Gur (Dates) per seer —	0 10 0	
" (Sugarcandy) " —	0 12 0 (Ration	Shop)
Suji —	0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana " ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ...	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga " " —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree " ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai " ...	0 6 6	
Biuli " ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
" (Sona) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar " ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) ...	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. —	1 6 0	
Coal " ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. ...		
Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. 2 "		
Corn Flower 1 "		
Robinson's Barley —		
Cobra Boot Polish —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly —		

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET
Rates quoted on the 16th January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted peer seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 12 0	4 12 0		

MUTTON.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Chops per seer ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 6		
Liver ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldine ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 8 0	4 10 0

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES	From	To
*POULTRY.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 10 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 14 0	4 4 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 12 0
Do. (outlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 12 0	3 [illegible] 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 10 0	4 4 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	4 0 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	14 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	35 0 0	50 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	25 0 0	30 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 4 0	2 10 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ..	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	3 4 0	4 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ..		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 6	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ..		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,		0 10 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 [illegible]	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	[illegible] 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ..		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,,	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Quail ,, ...			
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0	
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0	
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0	
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0	
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0	
Sand Grouse each ...			
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0	
BIRDS.			
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0	
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0	
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0	
VEGETABLES.			
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0		
Do. Ground per seer			
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0		
Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0		
Do. Agra —	0 10 0	1 0 0	
Do. Country per seer —			
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0	
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0		
Do. Butter per score ...			
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 5 0	0 7 0	
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0	
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0	
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0		
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 12 0	1 0 0	
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0	
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0		
Do. (Allahabad) ,,	0 10 0	1 0 0	
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 10 0	1 0 0	

Do. Simla ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,, ..			
Snake Coil ,, ...			
Potatoes (Nainital) ,, .	0 10 0	0 12 0	
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...			
Do. Country do. ...	0 8 0	0 10 0	
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0	
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 12 0	0 14 0	
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 12 0	0 14 0	
Do. (New) Small ...	0 8 0	0 9 0	
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0		
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 6 0	0 7 0	
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...			
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0		
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...			
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0	
Do. Country per bundle	1 8 0	2 8 0	
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0	
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0	
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0	
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0	
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0	
Tomato per seer ...	0 8 0	1 10 0	
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0		
Do. Country ,,			
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0	
Do. Shillong ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0	
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0	
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0		
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 14 0	
Vegetable-marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0	
Do. Darjeeling each			
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0	
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0	
Tarai per seer —			
Kankrole per seer —			

Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Musk Melon per seer ...		
Musk Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)	20 0 0	26 0 0
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...		
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 10—12 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 12—16	1 0 0	

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Pomelo Champa Bunch ...	0 12 6	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Calasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rose Apple per score —		
Sofata 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score —		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each —		
Do. Kabul —	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer —		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 2, 5 & 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.
			About 2 cottahs of open land on Beltola Rd.	To be fixed by the authority.	To be approved by the authority.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

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KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—contd.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „	4 8 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Rohi per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 4 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 4 0	3 0 0
Butter fish per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Lobster —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Mackerel —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Gajal (Entire) ...		
Shrimp per seer —	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed. „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 6 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 0
Ordinary (Powder whitish		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 0
***DAL, Etc.**		Control Price / Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 12 0
Chola „ —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 13 0
Khasari „ ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 12 0
*Salt —		0 2 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Haldi „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lt ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. .		4 0
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 3	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb. „ ...		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 1 lb. tin ...		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
*Milk ...		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.		
Nimki —	1 12 3	3 2 9
Petit Beurre —	1 14 6	3 7 6
School ...	0 13 0	1 0 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 0 0	2 14 0
Water „ —	1 13 3	3 2 9
Zoological Loose —	0 14 3	
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 8 0	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Prices	
Churchill Cigar 25 only ...	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 5 ...		
Deresske per packet ...	0 2 0	
Scissor per pkt. ...		0 4 0
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 ...	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigs	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ ...		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb....	2 5 0	2 6 0
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb....	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama Pepper — —	1 0 0	0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott.		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ...		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 3 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-2 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ..		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 3
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	2 4 0	3 15 3
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 6
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	123 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Nos. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 14	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 7th November, 1945.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...	0 6 0	
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 6
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 8 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) ...		4 6 0
Do. (Buffalo) ...		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 0
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		0 5 6
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 0
Do. (white) ,, —		
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes (Control) ...		0 10 0
Gauhati ...		
Madras ...		

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Brinjal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas —		
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...		
Ginger ...		0 10 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	2 0 0
Goat & Khasi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —		
Prawns —	1 4 0	2 0 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki —		
Crab per pair —		
Koi —	2 8 0	3 8 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ..	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ..		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ..	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) —		0 6 0
*Atta		0 5 0
*Do. B		
*Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 7 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer — Contld.		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—80 ...	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		10 0 0
Dates Arab —	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati ...		
Mango ...		
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...		
Potatoes New ...	0 8 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanital) ...	0 10 0	
Brinjal ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger —		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer —	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	
Pona ,, }	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }	1 12 0	
Bagda ,, —	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	1 12 0	
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) —		
Quaker's Oats —		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 3 0	
Quickwhite (White) ... (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

**Rationed.

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PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 2nd January, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	
Fowls „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 0 6	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —	0 12 0	
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 0	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer		0 12 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer		
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ ...		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country ... —	0 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ..	0 2 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 14 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ ...	0 8 0	
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 12 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—3 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bukhara per seer ..	2 8 0	
Apricot „ ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 0	
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	2 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ..		
Jamrul „ ...		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Seore ...		
Shunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safata 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh ...		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—26 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	}	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—25 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Country each ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Peaches ..		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	6 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 4 0	
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 4 0	
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Mazafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...		2 0 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Galda ...	2 0 0	

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk „		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 8 6	Controlled shop.
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) — ...		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 22nd December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 8 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	...	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	...	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —	...	...
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 8 0	
Garlic ,, —	1 0 0	
Green Chilly ...		0 8 0
Onion ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	1 0 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...		
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, ...	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 16th January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong —	1 12 0	2 4 0
Lobster —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —		2 3 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (English) ,, ...	0 6 0	
Cauliflour ,, ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,, —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —		
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,, —		
Lime per score —	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree ,, —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 8 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, ...		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 6 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Ratoned) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946,

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Silong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Sagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 0 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 8 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per seer		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 8 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 8 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Rosseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 8 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8
Bhanga		0 6
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 1
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
38A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
2 Stall	25 0 0 (Monthly)				
27	0 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
II.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
13	8 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
,, 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do.
,, 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 46C	0 10 0	Do.
,, 46A	1 5 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
,, 52	0 6 0	Do.
,, 55	0 6 0	Do.
,, 56	0 6 0	Do.
,, 57	0 6 0	Do.
Cocoanut Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
*,, 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
*,, 30	0 4 0	Do.
*,, 31	0 4 0	Do
*,, 39—40	1 0 0	Do
*,, 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	1 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	8 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range		
,, 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	30 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 32	35 0 0	
,, 58	43 0 0	
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	33 0 0	Do.
,, 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-130		
,, 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
,, 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, * 9	0 8 0	Do
,, * 10	0 8 0	Do
,, * 18	0 8 0	Do
,, * 19	0 8 0	Do
,, * 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,,		
,,		
,,		
,, * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. N. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 33	0 5 6	Do.
,, 57	0 5 6	Do.
,, 72-78	0 11 0	Do.
,, 33	0 5 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
*,, 5 & 6	0 4 0	Do
*	0 5 0	Do
*,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range		
,, 2	0 8 0	Betel
,,		
*,, 12	1 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee
*,, 13—14	1 0 0	Mustard Oil
*,, 5 86	1 12 0	Miscellaneous Goods.
		A few arat spaces are available. Apply to Market office for terms & conditions.

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 8 0	Vegetables
						30 ,,	0 8 0	,,
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS







(Inside Municipal Markets)

Marks for
BUFFALO MEAT







BEEF







MUTTON







VEAL







(Outside Municipal Markets)
Marks for
COW & BUFFALO MEATS







Marks for
SHEEP & GOAT MEATS

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Chronicle & Comment

GOVERNMENT AND MUNICIPAL FINANCES

Municipal finances are sought to be placed on a sounder basis by means of a special measure recently taken by the Bengal Government. Orders have been issued that there should be no unnecessary delay in revising the assessment of municipal rates and that postponement would be permitted only in the most exceptional circumstances.

Government have declared their intention to appoint assessors in suitable cases, and a date has been fixed by which a municipality, wishing to represent exceptional circumstances must forward such a request to the District Officer. In order that provincial revenue should not be unduly or unjustifiably burdened, it has been decided that claims for assistance towards the cost of the normal functions of a municipality would be considered only if Government are satisfied that the local authority has made use of any existing margin of taxation in the level of the rates, and has made full use of its powers of taxation by accurate assessment and energetic realization of dues.

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To enable Calcutta Corporation to finance its project of laying the unfiltered water main from the junction of Debendra Ghosh Road to Amir Ali Avenue, the Government of Bengal have sanctioned a loan of Rs. 3,70,000 to the Corporation. This loan will bear interest at 3 per cent per year and will be repayable in ten annual instalments.

MILK IN INDIA

In a report Mr. R. A. Pepperall, an officer of the British Milk Marketing Board, who toured this country as Milk Marketing Adviser to the Government of India last year, criticizes the methods by which milk is generally produced and distributed in India.

He says: "The present degree of efficiency of the dairy industry throughout India is probably the lowest in the whole world, and records complete disagreement with the existing arrangements." Milk yields, as he finds, of Indian cows are low though they compare more favourably in terms of butter and fat. The best means of increasing the yield is better management of indigenous stock rather than importation of new blood from abroad as India's cattle have to fulfil the dual purpose of providing draught animals as well as milk supplies.

Referring to the present ways of distribution of milk Mr. Pepperall opines that a survey of squalor, filth, ignorance or indifference towards hygienic

principles and revolting personal habits allied to official apathy produces in a Western mind feelings of disgust and possibly of despair at the prospect of effecting any appreciable improvement. "Conditions are bad in Bombay, but are perhaps worse in Calcutta where many thousands of buffaloes, together with a similar number of cows, are permanently maintained in stables. Milk is brought from these stables to market in open galvanized cans slung at the ends of bamboo poles on the shoulders of coolies. The containers are quite open except that leaves or straw are placed on the top to prevent milk from spilling. The market is crowded with people chewing betel nut, smoking and spitting, and there it is tested by prospective buyers dipping their hands in to judge the amount of fat or added water. More dipping of hands occurs when milk is measured after sale."

Mr. Pepperall blames Calcutta Corporation for not treating milk as a highly valuable food and attending to the way it is handled. Hundreds of cans arrive daily at a railway station, "open at the top except for the covering of straw or palm leaves." A milk vendor standing beside an open can produced his license for Mr. Pepperall's inspection. The only condition it contained was that the goods (*i.e.*, milk) should not be spread on the pavement and that the licenses must stand in the gutter. A test of milk in Bombay showed bacteria count of 36 million per c.c.—a fact that presumably inspired Mr. Pepperall to draw the unfavourable comparison with London's sewage. Tests of 247 samples of milk at Calcutta disclosed added water in every case and few specimens that reached the prescribed minimum for butter and fat were in all probability also adulterated as legal definition of pure milk in India places the fat content about two per cent below the normal average of fat found in milk produced by indigenous animals. At least one-fifth of the fat may, therefore, be abstracted without penalty.

The general average of added water exceeded 25 per cent and in one case was 87 per cent and water is at times taken from stagnant tanks. That the poverty-stricken producer who is totally at the buyer's mercy in respect of price he receives, should seek redress by adding water to increase the milk he has to sell is the "inevitable consequence of a contract entered into in bad faith whereby the producer knows that on the question of payment he is being exploited and the buyer in fixing his price expects (and gets) an adulterated article."

PRESIDENCY COLLEGE FOUNDATION DAY

The need for establishing cordial relationship between the teacher and the student was stressed by Prof. S. C. Mahalanobis presiding over the Founders' Day celebrations of the Presidency College, Calcutta, on Sunday, the 20th January. The College was formally opened 128 years ago.

Prof. P. C. Mahalanobis, Principal of the College, said that Bengal was falling behind other provinces in the sphere of education. Government on whom rested the primary responsibility for arresting this retrogade movement should provide sufficient funds to retrieve the lost ground.

Referring to the great traditions of the institution, he said that its teachers and students should make their contribution to the future development of science and culture which would earn their final reward in the advancement of human welfare and happiness.

Presenting the annual report, Prof. Somnath Maitra said that the number of students on the rolls were 1,117 in the current session against 989 in the last. Results of last year's University examinations were satisfactory, the percentage of passes in I.A., I.Sc., B.A. and B.Sc. being 58.3, 78.5, 75.6 and 64.2, respectively. Students secured ten places in economics and geology in M.A. and in history, economics, Persian, chemistry, botany, physiology and geology in B.A. and B.Sc. examinations. The first place in the I.Sc. and the third and fourth places in the I.A also went to the boys of the institution.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

Civic Reception To British Parliamentary Delegation

The Bombay Municipal Corporation accorded a civic reception to the members of the British Parliamentary Delegation on the 18th January last.

Only five members, Mr. Godfrey Nicholson, Mrs. Nichol, Mr. Bottomley, Brig. Low and Major Wyatt were present.

The Mayor, Dr. Alban DeSouza, welcoming the members of the delegation to the city declared that it was not a conducted tour and the delegation's activities so far reported clearly showed that its members went about the country as they liked and saw whomsoever they wanted to see. Press reports so far published clearly showed the earnestness of the members of the delegation to find out for themselves conditions in India and assess the political awakening of the Indian masses.

Mrs Nichol, thanking the citizens of Bombay for the warmth of the reception, said: "India is passing through troublous times and I do not want to say one word about the political situation. But I can say this that no delegation could have come with greater freedom of action and less restraint imposed upon it than this delegation to India. We are a Parliamentary delegation and not a Governmental delegation.

"I can honestly say that the British Government is completely sincere in its professions towards India. We look forward to the time when India shall be free to build up her own economic position and security in order to make a glorious land for Indians to live in."

MAYOR OF CALCUTTA

58th Birthday Celebration

The 58th birthday anniversary of Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, the Mayor of Calcutta and the General Secretary of Bengal Provincial Hindu Mahasabha, was celebrated at Habiganj at the residence of Rai Sahib P. C. Roy on the day of Uttarayan Sankranti. It was attended by a large number of ladies and gentlemen of the town. The ladies played music on instrument and sang songs suitable to the occasion. Poet Manuj Chandra Sarbadhikary recited a poem which he composed then and there praying for his long life to be dedicated to the emancipation of his Mother land. Mr. Mukherjee in a neat little speech thanked the inhabitants of Habiganj for this sincere and very touching function. Among those present were some professors of the Habiganj College, some high officials and leading men of the Hindu Mahasabha. The following important artists of distinguished families displayed their musical skill:—Srimati Rekha Rani Biswas, Anupama Sen, Purabi Sen, Annapurna Gupta and Kumari Sutapa Roy, Binapani Roy and Sarbamangala Ray.

THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

A SHORT RECORD OF THE MORE IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF AND DISCUSSIONS AT THE CORPORATION MEETING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 25, 1946

Monday: 21st January

SUBHAS CHANDRA'S BIRTHDAY

"That in order to celebrate the 50th birthday of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, *ex*-Mayor of this Corporation, it be resolved that the 23rd January, 1946, be declared a holiday for Corporation offices, schools and workshops and that the Corporation building be suitably illuminated."

This was the full text of the resolution adopted by the Corporation at its meeting held on Monday, the 21st January.

A sum of Rupees two hundred and fifty was sanctioned for the purpose of illumination.

Councillor Jogindra Lal Saha, who moved the above resolution, said that it was the first time in the history of India that they were going to celebrate the birthday of the revered Netaji. He recalled that in recognition of the services rendered by Mr. Bose his admiring countrymen had honoured him by conferring the title of *Deshagourab* on him.

Referring to his formation of the Indian National Army, Councillor Saha remarked that he had ascended to higher glories outside India. Mr. Bose lived in Calcutta and they, as citizens of Calcutta, should do all that they could to celebrate his birth-day.

Councillor Mohamed Rafique said that they were not against the motion because of the fact that Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose belonged to a quite different category of people. He requested the Mayor to give direction to the Chief Executive Officer to hoist the flags of the different communities on the building if flag hoisting formed a part of illumination.

The resolution was then accepted by the House, only Councillor A. J. Parks dissenting.

It was agreed that the expenditure to be incurred, amounting to Rs. 250, should be met from the closing balance of the Municipal funds.

RECEPTION TO MAJOR-GENERAL SHAH NAWAZ

Referring to a Press report that the civic reception to be given to Maj.-Gen. Shah Nawaz Khan would be held along with the public reception at 4 p.m. on Thursday, the 24th January, in Deshapriya Park, Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul and several other Councillors pointed out that the Corporation's function should be held separately and not mixed up with any other functions. It was decided that the Chief Executive Officer should contact Maj.-Gen. Shah Nawaz to find out which date would suit him to attend the reception in the premises of the Corporation.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL

Accepting the recommendation of its Public Health Standing Committee, the Corporation decided to utilize an area measuring about 40 bighas between the Campbell Medical Hospital and the passage by the side of the Corporation Central Stores as the site for an infectious diseases hospital. The Corporation wanted the hospital to be constructed on modern lines.

The site selected by Government on Beliaghata Main Road was not considered suitable as that was in the midst of an area proposed to be developed by the Improvement Trust.

CONCERN FOR DR. MOOKERJEE'S HEALTH

On the motion of Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen the Corporation expressed concern about the present condition of the health of Dr. Syamaprasad Mookerjee, who had been ailing for some time. The Corporation prayed to the Almighty for his speedy recovery.

"SOMETHING HAS CHANGED IN BOMBAY"

MR. BRAILSFORD'S IMPRESSIONS

"Something has changed in Bombay since I last saw it fifteen years ago," writes Mr. H. N. Brailsford from Bombay. Its wealth is more visible, its proverty more startling. Round the bay that rivals Naples in beauty, its upper stratum enjoys from new mansions vistas of hills and trees bathed in eternal sun shine.

"Working your way inwards you soon reach the crowded Indian streets. Here are tenements where an average clerk struggles to raise a family in two rooms on a salary of £4 a month.

"Beyond this relative opulence come the dungeons and 'shanties' that house a million workers. Eight textile hands, who work by day, share a room at night that measures eleven feet by seven. Another group on night shift inhabit it by day. There, over a hundred women must use a single water tap and queue for two hours before they reach it. They too are relatively fortunate, for they enjoy the fraction of a home.

"The last category is homeless and it may number 20,000 persons. These sleep on the pavements every night with a bit of sacking round them. At dawn they wash at a public fountain and then go for their work—it may be as servants to fortunate families, who have the privilege of paying rent."

EXPANSION OF QUININE PRODUCTION

A production target of 10,000 lbs. of quinine sulphate per year, making India reasonably self-sufficient in this vital drug is envisaged in a five-year plan of the Government of Bengal, a start of which has already been made.

The district of Darjeeling has been provisionally selected as the area for the application of the scheme. For the development of the plantations on modern lines officers will be trained abroad before taking up their duties. The existing factory will also be reorganized and equipped with imported modern machinery.

It is expected that entire cost, estimated at Rs. 7,60,000 in five years, will be recovered through the sale of quinine and other cinchona products.

WATER-SUPPLY IN THE CITY

On the recommendations of the Water Supply Standing Committee the Corporation passed the following resolutions in respect of the supply of water in the city :—

"(i) That in view of the fact that machineries of the Punmping Stations at Mullickghat and Watgunge are worn out and that the river has deteriorated and the supply of unfiltered water is being interfered with to the great detriment of the health and sanitation of the city the Corporation do request the Government of Bengal to refer the matter to the Expert Committee for the Water Supply appointed by the Government, and that as it may mean increased cost to the Corporation, the Corporation do request the Government of Bengal to authorise the Corporation to levy cess from the Insurance Companies on fire premiums.

(ii) That in view of the fact that the population of Calcutta has not decreased with the end of the war and the condition of water supply is still alarming, and in view of the fact that the water of the Hooghly beyond Pulta has actually deteriorated, so much so, that growth of algaes in the river water has created difficulties in the filters of the Pulta Water Works the Corporation of Calcutta do request the Government to expedite the work of the Expert Committee and direct them to finish their work quickly and to suggest ways and means for relief from shortage of drinking water during the next summer."

DEMONITIZATION ORDINANCE

Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen made a reference to the Demonitization Ordinance and said that the forms were not available and the public was experiencing difficulty. He would request that the time for submitting the returns be extended.

CHITTAGONG OUTRAGE CONDEMNED

The Corporation adopted a resolution expressing their deep sense of 'abhorrence and indignation at the dastardly outrage on the peaceful villagers of Kasaipara near Chittagong and wanton destruction of their property' by some members of the Civil Labour Unit and called upon the Government to set up an impartial Tribunal for a sifting enquiry into this horrible tragedy with a view to bringing the offenders to book.

In moving the resolution, Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli said that it was inconceivable how such a thing could happen in a civilised Government, and words failed to give expression to their feeling at the inhuman conduct of members of the Civil Labour Unit. A sifting enquiry should be held into the incidents and the offenders brought to book, Councillor Ganguli demanded.

Councillor Abdus Sattar, while seconding Councillor Ganguli, said that it was unfortunate that these members of the Labour Unit were their own countrymen. It would not do for the Government to haul the offenders up before a civil court for trial, because they knew that sometimes for want of evidence the criminals escaped punishment. They demanded from the Government that a public enquiry should at once be instituted and offenders adequately dealt with.

Councillor Md. Israil expressed his sympathy with the victims and suggested adjournment of the meeting as a protest against the conduct of some members of the Labour Unit.

Councillor J. H. Methold said that he did not know the facts of the incident and therefore he would prefer to remain neutral. If the facts were true he would have no hesitation to support the resolution.

The meeting was thereupon adjourned till Monday, the 21st January.

MRS. PANDIT ARRIVES FROM NEW YORK

CIVIC RECEPTION ACCORDED

Mrs. Vijaylakshmi Pandit arrived at Karachi from New York on Monday, the 28th January. She flew to Allahabad early next morning. She was received at Karachi by a huge crowd at Drigh Road aerodrome and was greeted by "*Jai Hind*" and garlanded profusely.

Due to heavy rush of crowds in the Municipal grounds the civic address could not be presented to Mrs. Pandit. The function had to be abandoned.

Mrs. Pandit looked cheerful when she landed from the U. S. army plane. Among those who were present at the aerodrome to receive her were Dr. Choitram Gidwani, President of the Sind Provincial Congress Committee and Mr. M. Misquitta, Mayor of Karachi who garlanded her Representatives of various organisations also garlanded and welcomed Mrs. Pandit.

From the aerodrome she drove to the municipal corporation where civic address was to be presented to her.

Over 10,000 citizens, mostly women, crowded in the municipal grounds which could accommodate not more than 3,000 people. They had been waiting for over two hours to witness the civic reception to Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit. As soon as she arrived there was confusion. Many were crushed by the great rush of the crowd and in the din that prevailed the function had to be abandoned. Due to uncontrollable stampede a number of women were, seen in distress and some in tears. Dr. Hanna Reilt, the noted Swedish authoress was caught in the crowd.

The Civic address was read at a public meeting held at Rambaugh grounds.

"India's struggle is Asia's struggle for freedom from imperialistic yoke," said Mrs. Pandit addressing a mammoth meeting at Rambaugh grounds within an hour of her arrival by the skymaster "The City of Casablanca" at Karachi airport. She said that British propaganda in the United States had drawn effective black curtain around the true state of affairs in India. Americans knew India as a great country under bondage. They knew about Gandhi and Nehru, of Maharajas and Hindu-Muslim differences. British propaganada was insidious and subtle and she believed that there was an understading between the British authorities and American newspapers in regard to publication of Indian news.

Mrs. Pandit said that she went to America not to ask her help for India's freedom movement but she felt that America should know the real facts about India's struggle for freedom. It was now realised that India's fight represented the struggle of Asia as a whole against imperialism. She said that she asked the American public that if the war was fought for democracy why 400 million people of India should be left behind and allowed to remain as slaves. The average American was sympathetic with India's struggle for freedom and she believed that the whole world was behind India.

Friday, 18th January

CIVIC RECEPTION TO I. N. A. OFFICERS

The Corporation at its meeting held on Friday, the 18th January last, decided to accord a civic reception to the three I. N. A. officers, Capt. Shah Nawaz, Capt. Sehgal and Lt. Dhillon during their visit to Calcutta on the 23rd January or some other date to be fixed in consultation with those gentlemen and sanctioned an expenditure not exceeding Rs. 1,000 for the purpose, to be drawn from the closing balance

In moving the resolution Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Basu said that when the nation was congratulating itself upon the release of those gentlemen it was only meet and proper that the Corporation should avail themselves of the opportunity to register the city's congratulations by according them a civic reception. The I. N. A., they knew, had only one objective before it and it was the independence of India. The I. N. A. had its arms ready against the British; it had also its arms ready against the Japanese if the latter chose to make an attempt to rule over India. The I. N. A. was not an army of bandits; it was an army of national liberation.

Opposing the motion Councillor J. H. Methold said that those men were wrongly described as Capt., Lt. or Maj.-General. They held no military rank as a result of their being discharged from the Army. He was emphatically opposed to giving a civic reception to men who had been tried and dismissed from the Army. He warned the members against the possibility of their being surcharged in case the resolution was passed.

The motion was put to vote and carried.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

The Corporation directed that all its offices, schools, etc.. should remain closed on the 26th January in order to enable its employees to participate in the Independence Day Celebration. The Mayor was requested to hoist the national flag on the Corporation buildings on that day.

Councillor Dr. M. N. Sarkar, who moved the resolution, said that they should give their employees facilities to observe the day.

Councillor Jogindra Lal Saha said that the executive should be directed to make arrangements for observing the day as in previous years.

Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen said that the Mayor should hoist the National Flag on the Central Municipal Buildings as customary.

FREEZING OF PROPERTY DEALS BY NATAL INDIANS

Following General Smuts' announcement in the House of Assembly on Monday, the 21st January, that a bill would be introduced to freeze property deals between Indians and other races, the Natal Indian Congress cabled the Government of India, urging an appeal to the Assembly of the United Nations Organisation

The Executive Committee of the Natal Indian Congress met to decide what means they should use to fight the passage of the bill. Among protests was suggested a One-Day Strike of All Indians in Natal. Appeals for support was sent to sympathisers in Washington and London.

BENGAL I. N. A. RELIEF FUND

More Than Rs. 3 Lakhs Collected

Collections to the I. N. A. Enquiry and Relief Committee Fund, Bengal, now amount to Rs. 3,08,616-8-9.

MR. M. A. JINNAH

Mr. M. A. Jinnah, President, All-India Muslim League, it is understood, who was to tour some districts of Bengal by the middle of February, may not be able to come at present.

INDIA GOVERNMENT'S FOOD POLICY

An All-India agricultural and food policy has been announced by the Government of India. The policy is defined as "to promote the welfare of the people and to secure a progressive improvement of their standard of living", Sir J. P. Srivastava, Food Member, and Sir Jogendra Singh, Agriculture Member, explained to press correspondents on Sunday the 20th January, the terms of the policy. Asked what was new in the statement, they indicated that ideas had been put forward and discussed, but the attempt to integrate them into a definite policy and to carry it out was new. Sir Jwala Prasad indicated that financial provisions for carrying out the plan would be included in the next budget.

"The policy", it is announced, "includes the responsibility for providing enough food for all, sufficient in quantity and of requisite quality. For the achievement of this objective, high priority will be given to measures for increasing the food resources of the country to the fullest extent, and in particular to measures designed to increase the output per acre and to diminish dependence on the vagaries of nature. Their aim will be not only to remove the threat of famine, but also to increase the prosperity of the cultivator, raise levels of consumption and create a healthy and vigorous population The Central and Provincial Governments will bring all available resources to bear to achieve this end in the shortest possible time."

GOVERMENT-SPONSORED RESTAURANT IN NEW DELHI

As one of the means of spreading knowledge of nutrition among the people, a proposal is under consideration of the Central Food Department to inaugurate a Government-sponsored restaurant in New Delhi. Balanced meals prepared under hygienic conditions will be served to the public at cheap rates and it is hoped that other provinces and States will start similar restaurants.

To the restaurant will be added a milk, tea and fruit juice bar, an experimental kitchen for demonstration purposes and a nutrition museum.

These nutrition restaurants will not compete with the catering trade but would undoubtedly assist in raising the standard of hygiene and nutrition of commercial restaurants generally.

Middles

Subhas Chandra's Fiftieth Birthday

Maj. Gen. Shah Nawaz Arrives In Calcutta

IN connection with Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's birthday celebrations in Calcutta Major General Shah Nawaz arrived in Calcutta by air from Delhi at 11-30 a.m. on Tuesday, the 22nd January. He was received at the Dum Dum Aerodrome by several members of the Bose family, and was then driven straight to Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose's House where a large crowd gathered to have a *darshan* of the I.N.A. leader. As the car with Major-General Shah Nawaz reached the house at about 12 p.m. shouts of "Jai Hind" mingled with the sounds of conchshells reverberated the whole atmosphere.

In the midst of blowing of conchshells by girls, the Major General entered the Elgin Road premises. Mrs. Arunprova Bose, wife of Mr. Suresh Chandra Bose, and Mrs. Kanaklata Mitra, sister of Netaji Bose, offered their benedictions by pouring *'dhan'* and *'durba'* (paddy and green grass) on the General's head. Mrs. Lalita Bose and Miss Nandita Mitra, daughter of Mr. Haridas Mitra then garlanded him. Mrs. Amita Mitra, wife of Mr. Haridas Mitra, put a *'Tilak'* mark on the forehead of the I.N.A. hero with blood drawn by herself from her own finger and saluted him with *'Jai Hind'*. Flower petals were then showered on his head.

Major-General Shah Nawaz's first visit on Tuesday, the 22nd January, to his Netaji's house was one of the most touching scenes of grief ever seen. On entering Netaji's study and drawing-room one has to face Subhas—a portrait very life-like with crystal clear eyes looking straight into one's heart. Coming face to face with this life-like picture of Netaji there came a sudden change over the demeanour of Major-General Shah Nawaz;—the soft smile on his lips faded away and he looked grave and stiff,—as if he was in the living presence of Netaji himself. His eyes were shining with moisture in spite of his effort at self-control when Mr. Aurobindo Bose came to his rescue but Mr. Bose himself was unable to check his own tears The ladies and other gentlemen present were all overwhelmed with emotion at this sight. Major-General Shah Nawaz was hardly able to hold himself steady before the cameras, so deep was his grief. And immediately after the photographers released him, his self-control snapped and he was sobbing like a child.

"SUBHAS CHANDRA FOUGHT FOR INDIA'S LIBERATION UNTIL THE LAST BREATH OF HIS LIFE"

Immediately after his arrival Major-General Shah Nawaj held a Press Conference in course of which he stated :—

"I cannot think of a better message to give to the country than to deliver the message given to Col. Habibur Rahman by Netaji after the plane crash. Netaji asked Col. Rahman to tell his countrymen that 'Subhas Chandra Bose fought for India's liberation until the last breath of his life' : This is the message which Netaji gave to Col. Habibur Rahman.

INDIA'S FREEDOM

"His (Netaji's) love was devoted entirely to the cause of India's freedom and he was a symbol of fight against British Imperialism, and the greatest tribute we can pay him is to follow his footsteps and also his last message."

Regarding the best way that I. N. A. personnel could most usefully apply themselves to, the Major-General replied :—

"I think the most useful task which the I. N. A. soldiers can fulfil, being soldiers, is to bring about discipline and good organization amongst Indian masses. They can create a spirit of unity and brotherhood of all Indians —infused into them by Netaji and if they can carry out this mission successfully and bring about communal harmony and unity they could do no greater service to the country than his."

Asked about the general view among the I. N. A. men on the Congress creed of non-violence, Major-General Shah Nawaj stated :—

"I would like to make it plain that we, the men and officers of the I. N. A., are soldiers, who used to take orders from our Netaji and his

last instructions to us were to follow the leadership of the Indian National Congress. His exact words were 'Indian National Congress was the flesh of his flesh and the bone of his bone'. We all regard ourselves as the servants of the forty crores of Indians and it was for their liberation that we fought. To us Indians our country comes first and all party politics afterwards."

TASK UNFULFILLED

At about 5 p.m. Major-General Shah Nawaz accompanied by Mr. Amiya Bose reached the main gate of the I. N. A. Relief Committee Office at 'Guinea House' (Bowbazar), which was nicely decorated with the giant portrait of Netaji at the top of the building and a tricolour national flag.

Standing on the balcony Mr. Shah Nawaz saluted Netaji's portrait when he was seen visibly moved. He then greeted the eager crowd waiting outside from the balcony on several occasions with *Jai Hind*.

He also took the 'salute' from the I. N. A. cadets, who were sent by Netaji to Japan for training and a batch of 15 of whom were present. He shook hands with them and made personal enquiries about their health, family residence, the details about their training while in Japan, the treatment meted out to them by the authorities on their way to India, etc.

"The task we had undertaken has not yet been fulfilled. We will have to continue the work although in a different way," said Major-General Shah Nawaz, addressing about 70 members of the Indian National Army at its Transit Camp in Harrison Road Dharamsala.

Pausing a moment Major-General Shah Nawaz continued in a choked voice :—

"Netaji is no longer with us to-day. But you must not be disheartened. We will have Mahatma Gandhi, Sardar Patel, Pandit Nehru, Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose and other Indian leaders behind us. So long we were fighting with arms. Now we will fight in a different way under the guidance of Mahatma Gandhi and other leaders, who will always keep you all in their minds."

Netaji's Birthday Procession

The Most Imposing Ever Seen In The City

CALCUTTA witnessed the biggest procession on record which paraded its streets on Wednesday, the 23rd January, from Desapriya Park at the southern end of the city to Deshbandhu Park at the northern end covering a distance of about seven miles on the occasion of the 50th birthday of Subhas Chandra Bose.

Major-General Shah Nawaz of the Indian National Army who participated in the procession in a lorry was the recipient of the ovation from the people. Donned in full military uniform Shah Nawaz responded to the greetings of the crowd standing all along on the lorry waiving now and then his white handkerchief.

The most impressive feature of the celebrations was a two-mile long procession of I. N. A. Relief Committee volunteers, the longest and most imposing ever seen in Calcutta, which marched through the heart of the city, watched and followed by lakhs upon lakhs of men and women along its entire 8-mile route.

The procession comprised of nearly 5,000 I. N. A. Relief Committee volunteers, including 300 women, all dressed in white and wearing Gandhi caps and about 5,000 volunteers of other organisations.

Starting from Deshapriya Park in South Calcutta at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, it took the procession nearly 5 hours to reach its destination, Deshabandhu Park in North Calcutta. Vast multitudes of people waited for long hours at different points of the route to witness the procession.

Vast crowds surged round Netaji's portrait and the I N. A. hero and showered garlands and flower petals on them. Gen. Shah Nawaz who received a tremendous ovation all along the route, greeted the crowds with *Jai Hind*.

As night fell, the city was illuminated as on the occasion of the Diwali festival.

"From to-day every able-bodied young man of India should consider him a soldier of I. N. A., every woman should consider herself as a member of Rani of Jhansi Regiment and every little boy a member of the Bala Sena. If you do so I can assure that the Britishers cannot remain in India to rule over us."—Thus said Major-General Shah Nawaz while unfurling the National Flag at 38-2, Elgin Road in the morning.

"THE SPIRIT OF NETAJI IS NOW ECHOING AND RE-ECHOING IN EVERY NOOK AND CORNER OF THE COUNTRY"

Before the flag hoisting ceremony the National Anthem of Azad Hind Fouj conducted by Mr. Pankaj Mallik was sung by Miss Shela Bose, Lalita Bose, Mrs. Bela Mitra and other members of the Bose family. The portrait of Netaji was unveiled by Major-General Shah Nawaz.

A two minutes' silence was observed to pay homage and respect to Netaji, the martyrs of 1942 and for those heroes who laid their lives in the Assam-Burma frontier for the liberation of their motherland.

Thousands of people had gathered in front of the house since early morning.

Addressing the gathering the Major-General said :—

"I do not know whether Netaji is alive or dead. According to Col. Habibur Rahman, who was in the 'plane in which Netaji was travelling, Netaji has left us. I do not believe that Netaji is no more. I believe that God will not be so cruel, as to deprive us, the people of India, of Netaji. India needs him most. The spirit of Netaji which made I. N. A is now echoing and re-echoing in every nook and corner of the country. It is due to Netaji's blessing that I. N. A. soldiers were not misunderstood by their fellow countrymen, instead they captured their hearts."

Azad Hind Fouj

Once Japanese officers said that the Japanese armies would go in front and in their rear should come the soldiers of the Azad Hind Fouj. Indignant at this suggestion, Netaji said that the Azad Hind Fouj should always be foremost in the fight for India's freedom and the first drop of blood to be spilt in that land for the purpose should be the blood of a member of the Azad Hind Fouj.

Accordingly, Shah Nawaz Khan said, the first Brigade to cross Indian border was the Subhas Brigade of the Azad Hind Fouj. It had been his fortune to command that Brigade and they were able to reach Kohima. As God willed it they could not win but he could vouch in God's name that not a soldier of the army retreated a single step before the onslaught of the enemy forces. Short of armaments as they were, Netaji armed them with a mighty weapon, the resolve that they would die for the liberation of their motherland. The members of the Azad Hind Fouj always sought the opportunity of sacrificing their lives at the altar of country's freedom. In all their activities they had the single mission of achieving independence.

Subhas Brigade

Shortage in the supply of ration and disease had took a heavy toll of lives, Shah Nawaz Khan said.

For the last two months they had been living on grass alone and nearly 60 p.c. of the Subhas Brigade died this way.

Netaji asked them to return so that they might again march forward, better equipped. When told of this, the soldiers of the Brigade said how could they return from the soil where they had already hoisted the Tri-colour. But they had to return after all, as they were ordered by Netaji.

Concluding Shah Nawaz reminded the audience of Netaji's last message which Col. Habibur Rahman had brought to India. Netaji in his parting message said :

"Col. Habib! you give this message to my countrymen. Tell them that Subhas Bose till the last moment of his life fought for the freedom of India."

The Procession Starts

The procession started at 2 p.m. from the Deshapriya Park, headed by a section of cyclists followed by a Sikh cavalry of 25 strong. The peals of a gong just behind the cavalry and mounted in a lorry heralded the advance of the procession. This was followed by a detachment of nearly 200 Khaksars marching by threes. The Khaksars were followed in turn by a band of Sikh volunteers, Jadavpur College Volunteer Corps, a bagpipe band, the volunteers of the Azad Muslim Students' and Youngmen's Union, a batch of I. N. A. soldiers, in a lorry, a band of Sikh boys, 176 I. N. A. lady volunteers, a singing squad, I. N. A. volunteers from Central Calcutta and the volunteers of the Indian National Ambulance Corps in succession.

A 10-feet high portrait of Netaji in military robes installed on a trolley followed immediately by a lorry on which stood Major-General Shah Nawaz of the I. N. A. accompanied by Mr. Amiya Kumar Bose and Mr. Aravinda Bose among others and waiving greetings to the crowd on the wayside, formed the centre spot of attraction of the whole procession. This was followed by a bust of Netaji and a small replica of the Singapore War Memorial of I. N. A.

Arch and Gateways

Archways and gateways dedicated to the memory of prominent personalities of the I. N. A. like General Mohon Singh and Calcutta student-martyr like Rameswar Banerjee were put up at almost every important crossing of the route, decorated with flowers, flags and fine textiles

People lined the entire route, and was at places ten to twenty deep, were patient, uncomplaining and orderly. House-tops, balconies, tree-branches or for the matter of that any elevated position on the route that provided a better view of the procession was taken advantage of by the passer-by.

MR. SARAT C. BOSE AT CENTRAL ASSEMBLY

Elected Leader Of Congress Party

The Congress Party in the Central Assembly met on the 19th January last and elected Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, ex-Alderman, Calcutta Corporation as the Leader of the party.

The following other office-bearers were also elected : Mr. Asaf Ali, Deputy Leader; Seth Govind Das, Treasurer; Prof. N. G. Ranga, Mr. N. V. Gadgil and Mr. Mohanlal Saxena, Secretaries.

The elections of the Leader and the Deputy Leader were unanimous. Mr. Asaf Ali proposed the name of Mr Sarat Chandra Bose for the Leadership and Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose proposed the name of Mr. Asaf Ali for the Deputy Leadership of the party respectively.

Along the Chowringhee Road, good-humoured Americans could pick up the mood and re-echo *Jai Hind* as easily as those who shouted it at them. The long unopened doors and windows of the palatial mansions and hotels at Chowringhee were found to open and thousands of inquisitive eyes peeped through them. Cameras in the hands of the American servicemen began clicking.

The procession stopped in front of the Calcutta Corporation to enable the Mayor to pay greetings to Major-General Shah Nawaz on behalf of the entire city of Calcutta.

The procession came in front of the Senate House at about 5 p.m. The spacious lawn of the University Buildings and the College Square in front were already over-crowded. The students who mustered strong at this spot garlanded Shah Nawaz on behalf of their collegues of different educational institutions of the city.

At Deshbandhu Park

The procession stepped into the Deshbandhu Park just at about 7 p.m. The huge crowd of men and women that had patiently awaited its arrival rent the firmanent with cries of *Jai Hind, Netajiki Jai, Bandemataram* and blowing of conchshells.

Within a circular enclosure spouting out to the western gate of the park stood the National Flag lifted up on a 80 ft. tall stem wrapped in all-white *khadi*. The volunteers stepped in, saluted the National Flag and squated on the ground in perfect order.

But Maj.-Gen. Shah Nawaz, fatigued as he already looked before the procession reached the terminus, decided not to proceed further. The decision came as a disappointment to the assembled crowd but when it was announced that Shah Nawaz could not stand further strain because of his ill-health, the decision was accepted by the crowd most gracefully.

The City At Night

At night the city presented a different spectacle. The floating light, the multi-coloured light, the half-dim cherag light and the candle light all helped to illuminate the veiled face of the city and transformed it into a fairy-land. Each of the component parts of the procession with its distinctive mobility, dress and melody and tune helped to enrich the other in its impressiveness and the entire procession became a welter of colours.

The Mayor's Tributes

"The whole of India was this day united to celebrate the golden jubilee of Netaji's Birthday anniversary. From his very boyhood there were indications of the inner spirit of his character which later on won for him the love and admiration of 400 millions of his countrymen. It was the life and character of Swami Vivekananda which made the deepest impression on his mind when he was a young boy in the school. Liberation of the mother country was the dream of his life and nothing could divert him from this goal. Nothing seemed too great for his sacrifice or too hard for his indomitable spirit." Thus said Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 23rd January, presiding over the public meeting that was held at the Sraddhananda park, under the auspices of the Bengal Provincial Hindu Mahasabha.

Continuing he said, it was he alone who challenged the non-violent doctrine of Mahatma Gandhi. His spirit of independence, his burning love for his mother country and his courage of conviction burst out in their highest glory when he went to Singapore and founded the Azad Hind Government and organised the Indian National Army. He opposed the Japanese Government when he had occasion to do it for the good of his mother country. His success in organising the Indian National Army comprising people of all communities and their unflinching loyalty to Netaji is a complete answer to the imperialist contention that the so-called trusteeship of the British is necessary in India for the settlement of communal dispute. Netaji's I.N.A. is also a clear negation of the doctrine of Pakisthanism. He wanted integrity and unity of India as a whole and would oppose any forces that favoured vivisection of India. The President concluded with an appeal to the youth of Bengal to take inspiration for patriotism from Netaji's life and spirit and fight in a body without communal bias for the freedom of India.

SUBHAS CHANDRA'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Bombay Police Opens Fire

The Police Commissioner of Bombay promulgated an order under Section 144 of the Criminal Procedure Code in the city of Bombay, following the decision of the Subhas Bose Birthday Celebration Committee to organise a public procession on January 23 and whereas it had been made to appear to him that there was likelihood of disturbance of public tranquillity and order.

The order prohibited taking out of processions and carrying weapons in certain limits of Bombay city.

In that connection Bombay police had to open fire on Wednesday, the 23rd January, on demonstrators.

The latest unofficial casualty on that day figured the total number of dead 10 casualties of all classes, including firing, *lathi* charge and gas attack 450, of whom over 70 received bullet wounds.

A NEW BILL INTRODUCED IN NATAL

Coloured People To Have No Vote

"The new Bill extends restrictions to the whole province of Natal. Colour bar already operates in all spheres of life especially in education, social services, railway and other transport, and public places. Coloured people do not have the vote in Parliamentary or Municipal elections," says a cable sent by the Natal Indian Congress to the Associate Press of India.

"The effect of the new Bill," the cable adds, "is to herd all Indians into certain 'exempted' areas, under intolerable living conditions, and it further prohibits Indians from acquiring landed property outside such areas.

"The new bill is aimed at undermining the strength of the Indian community by strangulating commerce and by reducing Indians to a position of social servility."

"The Congress appeals to all freedom-loving people to bring diplomatic pressure against the Union of South Africa, and get the matter raised by their delegates to the U. N. O. Assembly and by other means reveal the true conditions affecting the minorities in South Africa. The Congress has already requested the Government of India to intervene."

Mahatma Gandhi Leaves Calcutta

Last Prayer Meeting

MAHATMA Gandhi left Calcutta on the 19th January last for Madras. He was accompanied by Mr. Pyarelal, Miss Agatha Harrison, Mr. Sudhir Ghosh and others.

In deference to the wishes of Gandhiji to avoid noise, a peaceful atmosphere prevailed at the Sodepur railway station.

I AM SATISFIED WITH WHAT LITTLE I COULD DO TO BENGAL

Mahatma Gandhi had a 95-minute interview with 201 security prisoners of Dum Dum Central Jail on the 17th January last.

It is understood that in course of his talks with the security prisoners, Gandhiji spoke on the cult of non-violence.

Of 248 security prisoners now detained in Bengal jails, 201 are lodged in Dum Dum Central Jail and the rest in Presidency Jail. Gandhiji had interviewed the security prinsoners of Presidency Jail on the 15th.

Gandhiji arrived at Dum Dum Central Jail at 7-30 p.m. and left at 9-5 p.m. The usual lock-up time was extended by more than an hour and a quarter to enable Gandhiji to complete his interview with the security prisoners.

Meeting The Governor

Mahatma Gandhi met the Governor of Bengal, Mr. R. G. Casey, for the seventh time during his last visit to Bengal at Government House on the 18th January last.

Gandhiji arrived at Government House at 7-30 p.m.

The last Gandhi-Casey meeting was the longest of the seven, and lasted about 135 minutes. Gandhiji left Government House after the interview at 9-45 p.m. Mrs. Casey was present during part of the conversations.

After-Prayer Discourse

"Although during my stay I could not visit different parts of Bengal as I wished, still I will say that I am satisfied with what little I could do to Bengal. My code teaches me to be satisfied even if I succeed in one front out of ten I try," observed Mahatma Gandhi in course of his after-prayer discourse at Sodepur on the 18th.

Gandhiji regretted by saying that he was addressing the congregation for the last time on the present occasion and God only knew when he would be in a position to repeat his visit to Bengal. He had a mind to go to Chittagong and also to visit Munshigunj but he could not realise his wish. He was satisfied with what he could do to Bengal.

Referring to Chittagong incident Gandhiji said that there was no point in finding fault with others over this issue.

They had to analyse themselves. They should remember that by always finding fault with others they themselves were likely to be faulty. If the habit of fault-finding became a permanent feature with them they would never be able to serve anybody.

Tulshidas in his inimitable way made it quite clear that there were no animate or inanimate objects which were either totally evil or totally good. Those two qualities more or less were to be noticed in everything and just like the proverbial swan they had to discard the evil of a thing and adopt the good of it for their own welfare.

He asked the people to remember this moral sermon of the poet and conduct themselves accordingly. There was a Sanskrit saying that one might turn out to what he wished to be. If they concentrated only on black spots it was sure they would themselves be spotted. Therefore, for one's own welfare it was desirable that the habit of fault-finding ought to be given up. He concluded by saying that in China there was a pillar on which three monkeys were carved out of stone one of which was blind folded, the other ear-logged and the third close-mouthed.

The moral of this illustration was "see no evil, hear no evil and speak no evil". He urged upon the congregation to take to heart what this Chinese symbol taught them.

Necessity of Congregational Prayer

Dwelling upon the necessity of congregational prayer Gandhiji hoped that people on return to their homes would conduct such prayer in the company of the members of the family and children. Theatres or cinemas they often paid visits to, but those agencies could scarcely benefit the people to the extent the congregational prayer could do. He himself had been to a famous theatre in London and could speak from his personal experience that it hardly benefited him. Comparing the benefit of congregational prayer with what little historical knowledge a dramatic performance could offer Gandhiji said that the former was many thousand times more beneficial. What the stage could teach, he asked. Was it of any consequence when compared with the realistic drama that the world presented? He had seen the role of a hero being played on the stage. Could Rama of his conception be played on the stage? Could the tragedy on any stage be so realistic and effective than the tragedies they witnessed on the world stage? Mothers were ministering angels of homes and they nuursed children to life, and to them he specially appealed to introduce God and divinity to their children and to introduce *Bhajan* song which was full of eternal bliss.

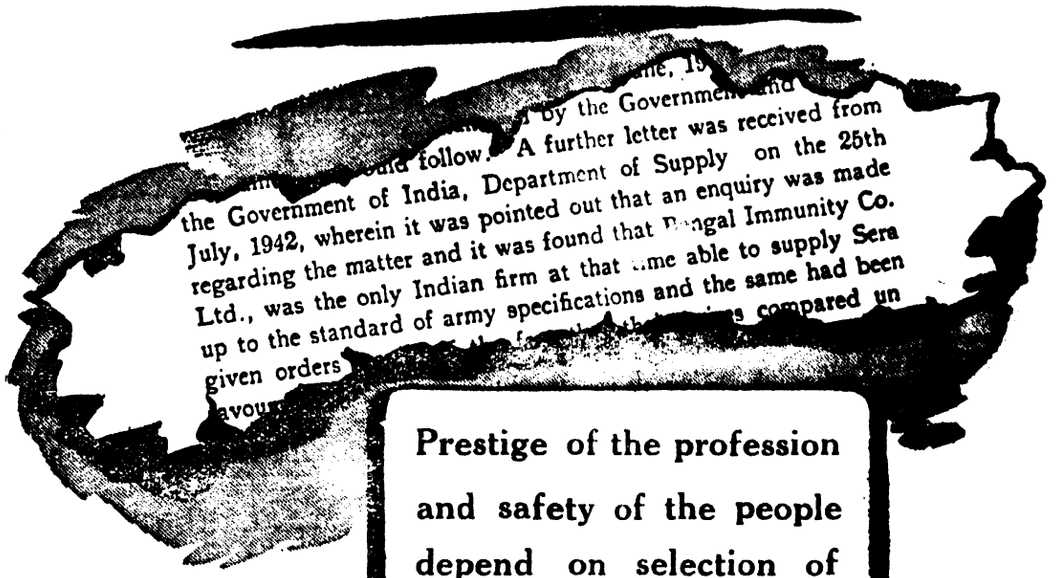
MODERNIZATION OF HOSPITALS

Government's Provisional Grant

A provisional grant of Rs. 34,14,000, on the basis of Rs. 1,000 per bed, has been made by the Government of Bengal for the modernizing, repairing and re-equipping of mofussil hospitals. The district authorities have been authorized to re-allocate the grants to the different hospitals in their areas according to their particular requirements.

This allotment is expected to bring all provincialised hospitals to a high level of repair and efficiency and afford an opportunity to eradicate many of the causes of discomfort and complaint.

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IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA

A FIVE-YEAR PLAN FORMULATED BY THE IMPROVEMENT TRUST

The Calcutta Improvement Trust has formulated a five year plan ending March 31, 1951.

The essential work of the Trust is the carrying of the main sewer from Dhappa Pumping Station to the north of Calcutta. During the next five years it has also been proposed to widen Middle Road, Entally, commence work on Central Avenue up to Chitpore Bridge and open out the first part of the Bowbazar Relief Road from Central Avenue to China Town.

The feature of this programme is the increasing amount of building operations to be undertaken by the Trust. Four bustee improvement schemes have been included in this programme. It is felt that in addition to the bustee improvement schemes, building operations should be carried out in the Christopher Road Rehousing Scheme and rehousing should be commenced in Maniktala from Narkeldanga Main Road to Ultadanga Main Road.

Some engineering works will be undertaken this year and already the Government have sanctioned the first portion of the Maniktala sewer involving an expenditure of over Rs. 9 lakhs. It is also hoped that during this cold weather, engineering works in Howrah Bridge approach—from Canning Street to Strand Road, Central Avenue to Upper Chitpore Road, and Chittaranjan Avenue to Wellington Street will be taken up.

It is further hoped to commence the final portion of schemes, Gora Chand Road to South Road, Entally. Early in 1946, it may be possible to commence the final phase of the engineering works in Eastern portion of Southern Avenue as well as complete the engineering works of Old Ballygunge Road and Gariahat Road widening.

The Trust have undertaken on behalf of the Government a survey of the Salt Lakes and also the preparation of schemes for a satellite town for 25,000 people. These are not included in the programme. These schemes as also the drainage and sewerage scheme for Howrah cannot be fitted into the Trust programme with the present Trust finances. If the Howrah drainage and sewerage scheme is to be undertaken it will have to be done under a newly constituted improvement Trust brought about by the Howrah Amendment Bill. As to scheme relating to Topsia, it is not considered of an urgent nature, as the benefits of this scheme will not materialise until the reclamation of the Salt Lakes is taken in hand.

HOWRAH MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

Decide To Resort To General Strike From February 1

The Secretary, Howrah Municipal Employees' Association, writes :—

"A largely attended meeting of the employees of the Howrah Municipality was held at the Howrah Town Hall on Wednesday last, with Mr. Sibnath Banerjee, M.L.A., President of the Association in the chair, demanding the restoration of cut in grain allowance of the menials and other demands. It was resolved that if their demands were not fully and finally met at a Special General Meeting of the Commissioners by that date the employees will wait till January 31 and resort to a general strike from the 1st of February without any further reference"

Most people treat municipal subjects with indifference and unconcern—everybody's business being nobody's interest. But, really there are no uninteresting subjects, only uninterested people.

Yet, there is an increasingly large number of people now who believe that civics is a matter of concern to them, to their community and to the future of their city.

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Special Article

A Week In Bombay

[By Kanai Roy, B.A.]

LEAVING Calcutta recently by the B. N. R. Bombay Mail on a Wednesday, I reached Bombay on the Friday following, at about 11 a.m. I actually detrained at Dadar, about 4 miles short of the famous Victoria Terminus Station situated in the heart of the city, as I was to put up with a friend residing at Khandivlee, about 20 miles out of Bombay, and easily reached from Dadar by electric train. It was not till Friday afternoon that I paid my first visit to Bombay City, coming again by electric train from Khandivlee.

My first impressions of Bombay were, that it was a far smaller town than Calcutta, that it was very neat and clean, and that all the people hurrying along the streets were full of "life" and energy. Yet the streets seemed to be less noisy than in Calcutta. Everyone seemed bent on some definite purpose and talking or shouting in the streets was at a minimum. The main roads are wide and well-kept and for going about in the city I had taxis, trams (some of them double-deckers), buses, and Victoria phaetons, which last are greatly in demand and much used. All taxi drivers are in neat uniforms, not like Calcutta taxi-men, dressed anyhow. There is also the electric train-service running through the town at frequent intervals to the suburbs and outlying places, which is a great boon, as it is quick and cheap. There are two kinds, fast and slow, the latter stopping at every station, while the former "hops" several halts. There are stations inside the town such as Marine lines, Ville parle, lower Parel etc. The carriages are roomy, comfortable and clean. The longest run of electric trains called the "Deccan Queen" is from Bombay to Poona, a run of 120 miles, and the coaches of this are of the "corridor" type, *i.e.*, you can walk from one end of the train to the other. In buying intermediate class tickets for "through" railway journeys (*i.e.*, via E. I. R. or B. N. R.) however, there is much trouble and inconvenience, because only a limited number of such tickets is sold very early in the morning, and you have to come at an unearthly early hour in the morning to stand in a queue, shivering in cold, and may have to go away disappointed if the allotted number of tickets is sold out. In consequence, black-marketing in these tickets goes on. Compared with this, the local electric train service is excellent, and it runs day and night except only for 8 hours, from midnight to 8 a.m.

It is, of course, well-known that the city of Bombay is built on a curving, horn-shaped neck or promontory of land, with the sea on all sides except one. On the western part of the city, a huge slice of land has been "reclaimed" from the sea by building high embankments and draining away the water, under the "Back Bay Reclamation Scheme." Over this reclaimed land runs the beautiful "Marine Drive", the resort of the elite, a wide and nicely kept road used for promenades and drives, flanked by imposing buildings. Near this, at the top of Churchgate Street, stands the Eros Cinema, considered the finest in Bombay, which I visited one evening. There are several other luxurious cinema houses such as the Metro, the Roxy, the Capital etc. Some of which also I visited, and found them to be far superior, better equipped, and more luxuriously appointed than any cinema in Calcutta. The only quarter in which European business-houses, shops etc. predominated was the Hornby Road locality where many offices, business-houses etc. are situated, such as the Improvement Trust Office, the Bombay Gymkhana etc. The Municipal office is here, next to the *Illustrated Weekly* office, and appeared to be a smaller building than that in Calcutta. Excepting this locality, I could see no other particular locality or quarter in which the European element predominated, as in the Chowringhee quarter of Calcutta. It is also remarkable that in the everyday life and dealings in the city, in Cinema houses, hotels, restaurants etc. there is no special priority or privilege accorded to Europeans as such.

There are many splendid hotels and restaurants in the city, chief among which is the Taj Mahal Hotel, said to be the finest hotel in Asia, where I had lunch one day. It is situated opposite the well-known "Gateway of India"—the huge gate through which passengers coming in ships from foreign lands first set foot on Indian soil. The Hotel is a massive and magnificent structure, most elaborately and luxuriously furnished, the feet sinking deep in the floor-carpets as you enter. In the dining and other public rooms there are ranged glass show-cases displaying dresses and other articles for sale, and I was surprised to find fine *dhoties* attached to fashionably tailored English coats, shirts and ties. . . . There is another fine Hotel named the "Purohit" situated opposite the Brabourne Cricket stadium. It is elegantly furnished in the style of the best English hotels, and the service is all silver, but the food served here is entirely and strictly vegetarian, no meat or fish being served. There are also numerous "Irani" hotels all over the town, which follow the American "Drug-stores" system, *i.e.*, they supply light refreshments as well as sell provisions, biscuits, toilet articles, hosiery etc. and the most remarkable convenience is that you can always use their telephone. You may simply have a cup of tea and use the telephone for half a dozen calls, because in Bombay the telephone system is automatic (dialling system) and only a fixed sum per annum is charged, irrespective of the number of calls.

I did not, of course, have time to see all the "sights" of Bombay, but will describe first a few.

[*Note*—The writer is the son of our esteemed friend Mr. B. V. Roy, who is well-known as a regular contributor to the *Gazette*—Editor, C. M. G.]

The Nepean Sea Road in Malabar Hill is one of the most aristocratic of roads, skirting the sea across the hill, and is extensively used for drives etc. The locality is very fashionable, and there are many beautiful concrete buildings of modern design as well as buildings of the Bungalow type. The Government House is situated at the extreme tip of Malabar Hill on the sea-shore. The Shivaji Park, on Chowpatty sands (beach) is of immense size, and all "political" meetings are held here. The Park is flanked by many graceful buildings of modern style, and reminded me of the newly developed Ballygunge Lake area in Calcutta. Other places worth visiting are the Elephanta Caves, the Temple of Jogeswari (12 miles out of the city), the Juhu beach etc. of which I could visit only the last, to take a sea-bath. The beach here is dotted with shelters, restaurants and other conveniences in American style on the lines of Miami beach in Florida, U. S. A., and is extensively used for sea-bathing. You can hire ponies here for a rupee, to take a ride on the beach before bathing.

As for the markets, I visited the Crawford Market, near the Victoria Terminus Station. It seems to be built on the lines of the Hogg Market in Calcutta, but is smaller in size, and the range of commodities available here is also rather poor. A much bigger shopping and marketing centre is in the Kalbadevi locality, where large stocks of all kinds of Indian-made goods are available, in the Morarji Gokuldas Market, the Mulji Jetha Market, etc., fresh vegetables and articles of food are available in plenty, of which the prices generally appeared to be cheaper than in Calcutta, excepting eggs, which are priced the same as Calcutta or higher. Meat and fish (mostly sea-fish) are about a rupee a seer. It seems to be a peculiar habit for ladies in Bombay to do their marketing in the afternoon. It may be mentioned that there are no "meatless days" as in Calcutta, but fresh milk is absolutely unprocurable. All hotels and households use milk-powder for tea and other purposes, and I understand fresh milk is supplied under ration-system only for infants up to 4 years of age.

The policemen on the streets appeared to be all locally recruited. In Calcutta they hail mostly from Behar and U. P., there being hardly any Bengali policemen in Calcutta. "Jay-walking," *i.e.*, walking on the roadway meant for wheeled traffic is not only prohibited, but the people seem to have enough civic sense not to do it. Similarly, trying to board a bus or tram in motion is an offence for which you may be arrested, but nobody seems to do it. At every stopping place, people stand in queues waiting for buses, and inside the the buses only 6 people are allowed to stand, when all the seats are filled. Hence, there is no frantic rush and overcrowding as in Calcutta. Each bus has two conductors, and both tram and bus services are run by the Bombay Electric Supply Corporation, there being no private buses or syndicate as in Calcutta.

I saw a very convenient arrangement for people living in outlying places who come to the city for business or service, but who have to leave home too early for their meals. I saw coolies carrying large number of tiffin-carriers (called by them "thalis") coming into the suburban trains near Bombay and distributing them without fuss or confusion to some of the passengers. On enquiry I learnt that these coolies, by arrangement, collect the empty cases, have them filled with food from hotels (also by arrangement, of course) and then distribute them to their patrons. They also take back the empty cases after meals, and charge only two rupees a month (for each person) for this service of fetching and carrying.

Everybody knows that the Film industry is one of the largest industries in Bombay. I found that the studios of most of the famous Film concerns are outside the town, Dadar being the largest film colony with several studios, and most of the artists and other staff also living there. The Bombay Talkies studio is situated in Malad, about 18 miles out of town, easily reached by electric train, and I spent one day there looking over the studio, laboratory etc. The next station from Malad in Gorgaon, where the Filmistan Studios are situated, and I visited this also. I may mention that the Producer and Director respectively of this concern are two Bengali gentlemen, Sasadhar Mukherjee and Jnan Mukherjee, whom I had the pleasure of meeting, and who showed me every courtesy. Finally, I may mention that I also had the pleasure of meeting the famous "Ashok Kumar"—the idol of millions of India's film-fans. He is actually Mr. Ashok Kumar Ganguli, B.Sc., and a more courteous, pleasant mannered gentleman I have hardly ever met.

After spending just a week in Bombay, I left by the E. I. R. Mail, dropping down at Allahabad, where I spent two days with my brother, who is in Military service and stationed there. Going round the city, I found it, generally speaking, rather dusty and dirty, and not at all up to my expectation. The only form of cheap conveyance for going about is the "tonga" (horse-drawn). The bazar area is very congested and dirty, and the town having been a training centre for military personnel, some new English-style hotels, restaurants, shops etc. have sprung up here and there. Food and commodities seemed to be plenty, and much cheaper than Calcutta Cloth-rationing is in force, but the local people do not seem to worry much about it, as they mostly use *Khaddar* or hand-loom stuff in preference to mill-made cloths. I did not see any striking or imposing buildings. The High Court building, though small in size, appeared to be a neat and graceful structure. I also saw Ananda Bhawan, the famous one-time residence of Pandit Motilal Nehru, a huge, straggling building with large grounds. One road has been named after Pandit Jawaharlal's deceased wife, Kamala Nehru. The Tandon Park, named after Purushottamdas Tandon, is a large Park, used for Congress or political meetings. The people seemed to be everywhere politically minded as I found even Government servants greeting each other with "Jai Hind".

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

FOR INDIAN STUDENTS IN ENGLAND

To THE EDITOR, "CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL GAZETTE"

SIR,—The question of Indian students who come to England to study, raises certain problems which have to be faced and disposed of, if fresh bitterness is not to be added to Anglo-Indian relations. Unfortunately there is a tendency—

(1) for some Colleges and Universities to limit the number of students from India, and

(2) for some Boarding-houses to refuse to receive these students from overseas.

These conditions place the student from India in a very unhappy position if he (or she) has not previously made definite arrangements. Often students desiring to come to England are not in a position to make such arrangements because of a lack of the right contacts in this country through which to make them.

Having studied medicine in England and lived and practised as a surgeon in London for 16 years, I have established many contacts with English people, who are sympathetic to Anglo-Indian friendly relations. I am anxious to help intending students from India to avoid the difficulties I have mentioned, and if such students will write to me in the first instance, telling me what studies they desire to pursue here, I will put them into direct touch with a reliable source where every help will be given.

I shall be glad if you please give this letter publicity.—Yours etc.

(DR.) R. U. HINGORANI.

128, Harley Street,
London, W.I.
The 1st December, 1945.

EXPOSED FOOD AND TUBERCULOSIS

To THE EDITOR, "CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL GAZETTE"

SIR,—For more than once we tried to draw the attention of the Corporation authorities to the exposed cooked food epecially during festivals, stacked by the side of the public thoroughfares, but to no effect. The Corporation authorities have made big promises but there has been little in action. The food-stuff lies at the mercy of flies and other insects carrying infectious germs and is covered by dust of the streets raised by the traffic. It is needless to add that the exposed food-stuff is a cause for the spread of tuberculosis and other infectious diseases. Has not the time come for the Corporation to take active steps to prevent the spread of such fell diseases?—Yours faithfully,

TARAPROSAD BANERJEE

284, Chittaranjan Avenue, North,
Calcutta, 20th December, 1945.

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

EXCHANGE OF HIGH DENOMINATION NOTES

The Currency Office, Calcutta, remained open on Sunday, the 20th January from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. to receive declaration forms and high denomination notes tendered by the public for exchange into notes of smaller value.

Despite the extension of the original 10-day period for the declaration of high value notes, the rush at the Currency Office on Saturday, the 19th, was the heaviest of the past three days as many were ignorant of the extension. It is estimated that well over 2,000 applications for exchange were tendered to the Reserve Bank in addition to hundreds more handled by scheduled banks on behalf of their clients.

The city appeared to be settling down after the panic and excitement of the past week.

The Government of India on the 19th January last issued a notification under Section 6 (10) of the High Denomination Bank Notes (Demonetization) Ordinance, authorizing the Reserve Bank every scheduled bank and every Government treasury to extend the period during which high denomination notes may be tendered for exchange to the 26th January, 1946.

FELLOWSHIP FOR CHINESE SCHOLAR

Dr. Shyamaprasad Mookerjee, it is learnt, has sent a letter to the Chinese Ministry of Education, on behalf of Calcutta University, offering to establish a Research Fellowship in Sanskrit on Indian philosophy open only to Chinese scholars. The Fellowship which is named Bipradas Pal Chowdhury Fellowship is understood to be of the value of about Rs. 5,000.

MAHARSHI DEBENDRANATH ANNIVERSARY

The great qualities of head and heart of Maharshi Debendranath Tagore and his contributions in the fields of contemporary social, religious and literary activities were recalled at a public meeting held at Sadharan Brahmo Samaj Hall on the 19th January last on the occasion of his 40th death anniversary. Mr. Rathindranath Tagore was in the chair.

In his speech, Mr. Rathindranath Tagore said that as Maharshi Debendranath was primarily known as a religious preacher his contributions to the Bengali literature had not attracted attention to any remarkable extent. As a matter of fact, the Maharshi was not a man of letters in the main. Like his other activities literature also formed a part of his religious duties. The works he had left us in explaining his theological beliefs and in depicting the beauty of this earth, a creation of God, were a veritable mine of literary excellence in their solemnity, clarity, sobriety, art form and in their influence in shaping the works of his contemporary men of letters. But it was a matter of regret that this contribution had not been duly acknowledged.

There was a vast field, Mr. Tagore said, for a fuller investigation into the extent of contribution of Maharshi Debendranath in the various spheres of contemporary life. It was a happy augury that researches were being carried on by competent persons inside and outside the Brahmo Samaj into the versatility of the genius of Maharshi Debendranath. The speaker assured these persons his sincerest and all possible co-operation.

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Mr. Prabhat Chandra Ganguly said that Debendranath was one of those great personalities, who helped the country in retaining its own culture during the difficult years of the nineteenth century when people seemed to forgo their own culture in the impact of western civllization. The motto of Debendranath was the realization and establishment of truth, beauty and the good.

Mr. Jogananda Das said that the reawakening of the Hindus was due mainly to the new spirit and consciousness with which Debendranath infused the then Bengal.

LENIN DAY IN CALCUTTA

A large number of men and women observed Lenin Day at the University Institute Hall on Monday, the 21st January under the Chairman of Mr. P. De Sarkar. The meeting hall was decorated with red flags and a big portrait of Lenin was placed on the platform. The meeting opened with the song of Red Flag sung in chorus.

Mr. P. De Sarkar said that benevolance was a common trait with human beings but unscientific service was of no help to anybody. The scientific socialism preached by Karl Marx and demonstrated in practice by Lenin was the best way to serve the downtrodden. A proper evaluation of the life and work of Lenin, therefore, could be made through an analysis of Marxism-Leninism The corner-stone of this theory and practice is the conception of a proletarian dictatorship following a proletarian revolution. All other ideas of helping the masses, whether it was parlimentary politics or compromise with imperialists, could lead the people nowhere.

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Reserve & Other Funds	...	Rs. 2,56,09,300
Deposit as at 30-6-45	...	Rs. 97,36,61,000

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VITAL STATISTICS

For the city of Calcutta for the week ending 19th January, 1946

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN AND SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 743 against 783 and 793 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 390. The general death rate of the week was 15.31 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 19th January, 1946, was 624 against 767 and 674 in the two preceding weeks. There were 14 deaths from cholera against 2 and 7 in the two preceding weeks. There was 1 death from small-pox during the week against nil in the previous week. There was nil death from influenza against 1 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 46 to 84 respectively against 50 and 82 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 14.63 per mille per annum.

There were 21 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 14.13.

There were 166 deaths from respiratory diseases against 168 in the previous week.

There were 43 deaths from tuberculosis against 43 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 119 against 107 and 123 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, nil was from cholera, nil from small-pox, 1 from influenza, 20 from fevers, 22 from bowel-complaints and 22 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 19.76 per mille.

There were 7 deaths from tuberculosis against 6 in the previous week.

CORPORATION NOTICES

To Contractors

Tenders are invited in duplicate for the following and will be received by the 2nd Deputy Executive Officer on the late noted for each, up to 1-30 p.m. Each tender in duplicate must be enclosed in a sealed cover and superscribed "Tender for.....". For specifications and tender forms apply to the Keeper of Records. Price Rs. 2/- per set.

Supply and delivery of Alum Cake at the Pulta Pumping Station during 1946-47.

Tenders for the above will be opened on 13th February, 1946. The rate quoted in the tender is to hold good for 3 months.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
The 29th January, 1946.

Public Auction

Re. License of the Dhappa Skinning Platform

The intending bidders are invited at the public auction to be held by the Estates and General Purposes Standing Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta at the Central Municipal Office on Thursday, the 21st February, 1946, at 5 p.m. in respect of *Salami* for the License for the Dhappa Skinning Platform for a period of ten years from 1st October, 1946, on a monthly fee of Rs. 3,300. The full amount of *Salami* together with a security deposit of Rs. 12,000 only shall have to be paid by the successful bidder in cash on the spot on acceptance of his bid by the Estates and General Purposes Standing Committee subject to approval of the Corporation. Other particulars and conditions of this license may be seen in the office of the Health Officer, during office hours.

M. RAY,
Secretary to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
The 28th January, 1946.

Fidelity Bond

Quotations are invited and will be received by the undersigned up to the 2nd February, 1946, for the premium of a Fidelity Bond to be taken out to cover misappropriation and embezzlement of money etc., by the bailiffs of the Collection Department.

Detailed information can be had from this office on any working day between 1 and 2 p.m.

A. K. BASAK,
Collector.

Central Municipal Office,
The 10th January, 1946.

Re-Naming of Street

It is proposed that Badur Bagan Row be re-named as Ramananda Chatterjee Street. Any person having any objection to the renaming proposed above should state the same in writing to the undersigned on or before Saturday, the 23rd February, 1946.

S. M. HUSSAIN,
Offg. Assessor to the Corporation.

Central Municipal Office,
The 28th January, 1946.

Auction Sale

The following articles will be put up for sale in the public auction to be held on the 9th February, 1946, at the Sir Stuart Hogg Market, New Buildings at 2.30 p.m. :—

1. Four wooden *taktaposhes*.
2. Two wooden chairs.
3. Two wooden almirahs.
4. Two wooden cash boxes.
5. One wooden *sinduk*.
6. One wooden almirah.
7. One wooden Secretariat table.
8. One wooden *jal* almirah.
9. Three wooden planks.
10. Two Secretariat tables.
11. Two chairs.
12. One bench.
13. Two wooden stools.

All the above articles are old and broken.

A. SARKER,
Offg. Asst. Collector.

Central Municipal Office,
The 29th January, 1946.

Lake Road Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern that an application has been received from Messrs. Jogendra Lall Kundu and Satendra Krishna Kundu, recorded occupiers of Stalls No. 10—11 in East Block, Lake Road Market, for permission to transfer their rights and interests in the above stalls to Babu Nilpado Dey.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette*.

D. N. SEN,
Superintendent.

Lake Road Market,
The 28th January, 1946.

Drainage License Examination Result

Examination for holding license for drainage works under Chapter XVIII of the Act, 1945.

The following are the successful candidates in the Drainage Examination held on 4th January, 1946, under Chapter XVIII of the Act :—

1. Babu Durga Charan Barik.
2. Babu G. B. Dass.

D. N. GANGULI,
Offg. Chief Engineer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 21st January, 1946.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received for the registration of the names of Messrs. Ling Chiking and Ling Sheowie as occupiers of Stalls Nos. 18 and 19 respectively in Block C (new) in the S. S. Hogg Market in place of their deceased father Mr. Leeson, the recorded occupier in respect of above stalls.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette*.

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer

Sir Stuart Hogg Market.
The 21st January, 1946.

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received for registration of the names of Mr. Sotish Chandra Das, Mr. Atindra Nath Das, Mr. Khagendranath Das, Mr. Kasi Nath Das and Master Mohan Chand Das represented by the above named brothers as natural guardian, as occupiers of stall No. 14 in the New Building in the S. S. Hogg Market in place of their father Mr. Kalipoda Das, the deceased recorded occupier of the stall.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette*.

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

S. S. Hogg Market,
The 16th January, 1946.

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Mr. Dipchand, the recorded occupier of Stalls Nos. 27-28 in Block E (new) and Godown No. (g) 9 in the S. S. Hogg Market for permission to transfer his rights and interests in the above stalls to Mr. G. C. Ghosh.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette*.

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market,
The 12th January, 1946.

CALCUTTA MINERAL PHONE B.B. 1397 31, JACKSON LANE CALCUTTA

PARK CIRCUS MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				
A—8	0 8 0	Do.	...	...	...

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—3 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 111	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

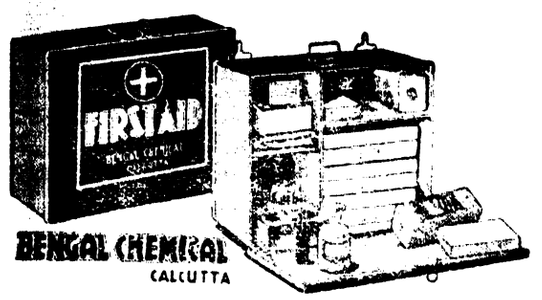
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)								
*,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	8 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each ...	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs ...		1 14 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	
Garlic ,, ...	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Bauchi) ...	0 10 0	
Do. (Country) ...	0 8 0	
*Turnip ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot ...	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each —	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—8 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score —	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20 —	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,, —		
Ghee Lakhee —		
Do. Bhadwa ...	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree ...	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,, —		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1 —		(Con.)
Atta Brown per seer —	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar ,, ...	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb. —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer —	0 10 0	
,, (Sugarcandy) ,, —	0 12 0	
Suji ,,	(Ration Shop) 0 8 0 (Con.)	
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ...	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga ,, ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,, ...	0 6 6	
Biuli ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
,, (Sona) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,, ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) ...	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. —	1 6 0	
Coal ,, ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. —		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley —		
Cobra Boot Polish ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET

Rates quoted on the 23rd January, 1946

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin „ —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted peer seer —				
Do. Melted „ —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump „ —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (s)	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter „ ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 12 0	4 12 0		

ARTICLES.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.				
Chops per seer ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast „ ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart „ ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue „ ...	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters „ ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lunchoon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee „ —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldine „ ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per „ ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 8 0	4 10 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

Prices of foreign articles as well as Indian commodities are liable to fluctuate daily without notice and not controllable at present on account of War and hence approximate prices are given.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Capon	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry)	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting)	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. (special)	4 0 0	4 4 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 12 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 12 0	3 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do (special) each ..	3 10 0	4 0 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	4 0 0
Goose	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock	35 0 0	50 0 0
Do. Hen	25 0 0	30 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ..	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) ..	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ..	2 4 0	2 10 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ..	2 10 0	2 10 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 12 0
GAME.		
Dove each ..	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge		
Peacock	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ..	0 8 0	0 12 0
Do. Lahore ..	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ..	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ..	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Garlic per seer ..	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ..	0 12 0	0 14 0
Turmaric ..	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ..		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ..	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ..	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ..	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ..	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ..	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ..		
Do. Do. (Large) per seer ..		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Patna red (old) ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. .. white ..	0 13 0	0 15 0
Do. Country red ..	0 5 0	0 7 0
* Parsnip per seer ..	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) .. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ..		
Do. Kulu per lb. ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ..		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ..		
Do. Jonathan ..		
Do. Luton per lb. ..	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ..	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ..	0 8 0	0 12 0
Basl Fruit each ..	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ..		
Cocoanut each ..	0 4 0	0 5 0
Courtry Apples ..		
Gooseberry per seer ..	0 10 0	0 12 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ..		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ..	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ..		
Do. Spain per lb. ..		
Do. S. African per lb. ..		
Grape Fruit per doz. ..	12 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ..	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ..		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ..	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Plovers each ..		
Quail		
Rabbit	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ..	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ..		
Wild Duck (special) each ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ..	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen)	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ..	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ..	0 8 0	
Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ..	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ..	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country per seer —		
Bean Ranchi per seer ..	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ..		
Brinjal .. seer ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ..	0 10 0	0 2 6
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling ..	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ..	0 14 0	1 0 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) ..	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) ..	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. Simla	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Country	0 6 0	0 8 0
Snake Coil		
Potatoes (Nainital) ..	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling		
Do. Country do. ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (New) Small ..	0 8 0	0 9 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ..	0 6 0	0 7 0
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ..		
Rhubarb per seer ..	1 0 0	
Pulbul (Patal) per seer ..		
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 8 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 30 ..	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer ..	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tomato per seer ..	0 8 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ..		
Do. Ranchi ..	0 14 0	0 12 0
Do. Shillong ..	0 14 0	1 2 0
Tamarind (Green) ..	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	1 0 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ..	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Red .. per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tarai per seer —		
Kankrole per seer —		
Do (large) per lb. ..		
Kesur China per seer ..		
Lime patty per score ..	0 10 0	0 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ..		
Do. (Country) ..		
Locket per score ..		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ..		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ..		
Mask Melon .. (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ..		
Do. Sipia ..		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ..		
Do. Green per score .		
Do. Golapkhash ..		
Do. Himsagore ..		
Do. Begamfuli ..		
Do. Kanchan ..		
Do. Bombay ..		
Do. Safeta ..		
Do. Lilam per doz. ..		
Mangosteen per doz. ..		
Mulberry per score ..		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ..		
Do. Darjeeling 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ..	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 10—12 ..	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 12—16	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Siugapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Pomtain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritsagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Quince do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score —		
Sofata 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each —		
Do. Kabul —	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer —		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 2, 5 & 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.
			About 2 cottahs of open land on Beltola Rd.	To be fixed by the authority.	To be approved by the authority.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer — ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „	4 8 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Rohi per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 4 0	3 0 0
Butter fish per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	3 8 0	3 12 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Lobster —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 8 0	5 0
Mackerel —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp per seer —	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed, „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 7 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer ..		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 0
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 0
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 12 0
Chola „ —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 13 0
Khasari „ ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 13 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 2 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — ...	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 8 0
Haldu „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.		
Nimki —	1 12 8	3 2 9
Petit Beurre —	1 14 8	3 7 6
School ...	0 13 0	1 0 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Water „ —	1 12 8	3 2 9
Zoological Loose ...	0 14 8	
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 8
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...		
Deresske per packet ...	0 2 0	
Scissor per pkt. ...		0 4 0
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchill Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ ...		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt. ..		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
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Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Veg. 4, 5, 6, 13, and 14	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
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			Do.—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 7th November, 1945.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinishakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...	0 6 0	
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Biswaswar) ...		4 6 0
Do. (Buffalo) ...		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 0
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,, —		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes (Control) ...		0 10 0
Gauhati ...		
Madras ...		

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Brinjal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas —		
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...		
Ginger ...		0 10 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —	1 4 0	2 0 0
Prawns —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Parsey —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki —		
Crab per pair —		
Koi —	2 8 0	3 3 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	2 14 0	3 0 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) —		0 6 0
*Atta		0 5 0
*Do. B ... —		
Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) —		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—80 ...	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		10 0 0
Dates Arab —	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati —		
Mango ...		
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...		
Potatoes New ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanital) —	0 10 0	
Brinjal —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger —		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer —	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	
Pona ,, }	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }	1 12 0	
Bagda ,, —	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	1 12 0	
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) —		
Quaker's Oats —		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin —		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun —		
Do. per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 2nd January, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd " " —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	
Fowls " —	1 8 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	
Ginger " —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 0 6	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —	0 12 0	
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer		0 12 0
Do. Bombay " ...		
Do. Country " —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer		
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi " ...		
Do. Gauhati " ...		
Country — —	0 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly " ...		
Cabbage " ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling " ...	0 14 0	
Do. Deshi " —		
Beans " —	0 10 0	
Squash " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato " —	0 8 0	
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 12 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—3 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Alubokhara per seer ...	2 8 0	
Apricot " ...	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza " ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab " —	1 0	
Do. Bagdad " ...	1 0 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta " ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer " ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi " ...		
Khobani " " ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts " ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Muzafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	2 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul " " —		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeda 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Sandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia ...		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh ...		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Tchanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—26 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Peeta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	}	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—25 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Country each ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Sultuna " ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	6 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled " —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground " ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay " " ...	2 4 0	
Aligarh " " ...	2 4 0	
Jessore " per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur " " ...	3 8 0	
Pabna " " ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga " " ...		
Muzafferpur ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Prawns " ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa " ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Rohi " ...	1 8 0	
Rohi (cut pieces) " ...		2 0 0
Small fish " ...		1 8 0
Chetal " ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Galda —	2 0 0	

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) " ...		
Patnai (Atap) " md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata " ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse " —		
Medium "		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java " " ...		
Cocoanut Oil " ...		
Mustard Oil " ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour " ...		
Atta " ...		
Sujee " ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal " ...	0 10 0	
Arhar " ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari " ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) " ...		0 10 0
Mator " ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal " —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk "		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
" " Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — —	0 8 6	Controlled shop.
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 8 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 22nd December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 8 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	3 0 0
Mutton „ ...	—	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —	—	
Brinjal „ ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 8 0	
Garlic „ —	1 0 0	
Green Chilly ...		0 8 0
Onion „ ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	1 0 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...		
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 8 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond „ seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras „ ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk „		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 8 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana „ —	0 6 0	
Masoor „ ..	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai „ ...	0 7 0	
Biuli „ ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
„ (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor „	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) „	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal „ (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel „	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 24th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A P	Rs. A P.
Pona per seer —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 4 0
Silong —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsay —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton „ —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid „ —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —		2 8 0
Fowl's Eggs „ —		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	0 4 0
Brinjal „ ...	0 2 0	
Cabbage (English) ...	0 6 0	
Cauliflour „ „ ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
„ (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly „ —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion „ —	„ 6 0	„ 8
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) „ ...		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi „ ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger „ —		
Raddish „ —	0 3 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes „ ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White „ „ ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer ...		Contd.
Do. (Country) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra „ —		
Amra (Belati) per score —		
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes „ —		
Lime per score —	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) „ —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer ... —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —		
Sugarcane each —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee „ —		
Do. Bhadwa „ —		
Do. Sree „ —	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative)		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 8 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat „ ...	0 5 0	
RICE SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
„ „ „ "B"	0 8 0	
„ „ „ "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer ...		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) „ —		
Do. (Atap) „ ...		
Rangoon per seer ...		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md ...		
Golap Soru ...		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) „	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil „ (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana „ —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree „ —	0 5 0	0 6 6
Kalai „ —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) „ —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) „ —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946,

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,, ...	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,, ...	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,, —	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,, —	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,, ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,, —		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score) ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Silong —	1 12 0	
Lobster ...	1 12 0	
Bagda ...	1 4 0	
Bhangaur ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair ...		0 4 0
Hilsa ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer —		
Mango fish per seer —	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer. ...	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi) —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer —		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,, ...		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower —	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per doz		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,, ...		
Celery per seer ...		
Cucumber per score ...		
Ginger per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,, ...	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital) ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle ...		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,, ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each ...	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Atubokhora per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6 ...	1 0 0	
Figs per seer ...		
Amra (Belati) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each ...	0 2 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate ,, —		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100 —	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each ...	0 8 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,, ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,, ...		
Do. per box ...		
Goosbarry per seer ...		
Jack fruit each —		3 0 0
Khubani per see —		
Kharbuza ,, ...		
Lichis per 100 —		
Lime per score ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,, —		
Oranges 8 to 16 ...	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz. —	0 8 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 8 0
Pineapple ,, ...	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score ...		
Star apple ...		
Tamarind per seer —		0 5 0
Walnut ,, —	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras) —		
Golap Khas 6—10 —		
Langra 4—8 ...		
Bombay 6—8 —		
Totapari per score ...		
Sipia —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6 —		
Fazli 4—6 —		
Prnes S. W. per seer —		
Sarda per seer —		
Sugarcane each —	0 6 0	
Water Melon each —		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb. —		
Dinapur ,, ...		4 0 0
Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk —	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb. —	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb. ...	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb. —	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer —		
Atta ,, —		
Sujee ,, —		
RICE.		
Patna per seer ...		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer —		
Deshi ,, —		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani) —	1 3 0	
Sugar —		
Tea per lb. —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil —		
Gur —	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —		0 8
Bhanga —		0 6 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,, —	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	
Mattor ,, —	0 10 0	
Salt ,, —		0 2 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md. ...	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk ...		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined —		
Ordinary ...		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robifison Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily, ...	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
33A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 8 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6				
2 Stall	25 0 0 (Monthly)				
27	0 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,

Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

(*Continued from page* 232)

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
18	3 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores
8	4 0 0	Do.
46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
89C	0 10 0	Do.
46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
A. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
52	0 6 0	Do.
55	0 6 0	Do.
56	0 6 0	Do.
57	0 6 0	Do.
Coconut Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
*,, 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
*,, 30	0 4 0	Do.
*,, 31	0 4 0	Do
*,, 39—40	1 0 0	Do
*,, 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	1 12 0	Oilman's Stores
,, 3	8 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range		
,, 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	30 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	28 0 0	Business to be
,, 32	35 0 0	approved by the
,, 58	43 0 0	Committee.
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	33 0 0	Do.
,, 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-130	1 4 0	Do.
,, 75-78		
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do
,, 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, * 9	0 8 0	Do
,, * 10	0 8 0	Do
,, * 18	0 8 0	Do
,, * 19	0 8 0	Do
,, * 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,,		
,,		
,,		
,, * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. N. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 33	0 5 6	Do.
,, 57	0 5 6	Do
,, 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
,, 33	0 5 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 5 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
*,, 5 & 6	0 4 0	Do
*	0 5 0	Do
*,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range ,, 2	0 8 0	Betel
,,		
*,, 12	1 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee
*,, 13—14	1 0 0	Mustard Oil
*,, 86	1 12 0	Miscellaneous Goods.

A few arat spaces are available. Apply to Market office for terms & conditions.

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.	30 ,,	0 8 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Meat.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 5	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS







(Inside Municipal Markets)

Marks for
BUFFALO MEAT







BEEF







MUTTON







VEAL

(Outside Municipal Markets)







Marks for
COW & BUFFALO MEATS







Marks for
SHEEP & GOAT MEATS

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Chronicle And Comment

JATINDRANATH BASU

THE death last week in Calcutta of Mr. Jatindranath Basu removes a most remarkable figure from the ranks of our public men. A nephew of Bhupendranath Basu, he followed in the footsteps of his distinguished uncle, and quite early in his career he entered public life in which he soon carved out a position for himself. There was hardly a field of activity to which he did not make his contribution. Law, Politics, Social Service, Sports,—he took up everything with equal seriousness, and on each of them he brought to bear his high intellectual gifts and rare industry in a manner which could not but evoke deep admiration. There had been and are, of course, many in our midst who had and have risen to greater heights in this or that particular sphere; but there have been few built in a finer mould, few with such intimate and first-hand knowledge of public affairs, such wide cosmopolitan sympathy and such deep affection for their people He was no doubt a "Moderate" in politics but he was no self-seeking sycophant masquerading in the garb of a Statesman. His was the moderation and restraint of the sincere patriot, who, without abating one jot of endeavour for the uplift of his people, takes what he can get, then wraps his soul in patience, and bides his time. Twice invited to form a Ministry in Bengal by the then Governor, Lord Lytton, he declined the honour, because, as he made no secret, he was unable to work Dyarchy, on which the Liberal Party in India had pinned such fantastic faith. The lust of office could not buy him. He was a Liberal in the best sense of the term. It was no mere political colour with him, it was an article of his faith, part of his personality. No doubt he had seceded from the Congress but the Congress always found in him a valiant champion of popular liberties and people's rights. He came back from the Round Table Conference in 1931 completely disillusioned. He plainly told his friends that England did not mean business. She would never give what India wanted; she still believed in 'ruling' India and in *dividing* India. Englishmen, he would often say, understand fighting, and they will yield, he added, only to persistent fighting. How true he spoke!

Jatindranath Basu lived up to what he believed, and was incapable of doing a wrong. He was the soul of sincerity and never could be anything else. He radiated "sweetness and light" all around. Such suavity, such courtesy, such consideration are rarely met with in these days. He led a life of singular purity, in which the desires of the flesh had played little part —a life almost ascetic. The fortitude and patience with which he bore his sorrows and sufferings during the last years of his life afforded testimony to the innate dignity and nobility of his character. His intellectual interests ranged over a wide variety of subjects. He was one of the most well-read persons we have known. History, Philosophy, Literature he had the most complete acquaintance with. He read to good purpose, for whatever he read he remembered. His love of Literature was such that even in his death-bed he would have read out to him the famous Bengali epic, *Meghnad-Badh Kavya* and would wistfully look forward to the readings. He would ask the reader—a keen and accomplished student of Bengali literature—the meaning of archaic words and expressions with which Michael's classic is strewn, and then he would himself explain them. And it was his regret that he could not hear the end of it; his end came sooner.

A singularly modest man, Jatindranath Basu had the utmost contempt for the art of studying appearances and for the tricks by which public men catch the limelight. He shunned them. For more than thirty years it had been our privilege to know him and also to work with him in some spheres of his multi-sided activities, and we pay our tribute to his memory,—the memory of one who stands eminent among many, who have dreamt great dreams for India and worked for their realization untiringly. He leaves behind him before his country's altar no offering so noble, no proof of her greatness so incontrovertible as that one thing of which he never thought at all—his own 'Self'—and his own love.

May his soul rest in peace!

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THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

A SHORT RECORD OF THE MORE IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF AND DISCUSSIONS AT THE CORPORATION MEETING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 1, 1946

PLAGUE IN CALCUTTA

What is stated to be the first case of plague in greater Calcutta this year was reported on Monday, the 28th Januady, when a patient suffering from that disease was admitted to the Campbell Medical Hospital from Cossipore.

"It is a genuine case of Plague. The blood and gland smear of the patient confirm this diagnosis", said Dr. M. U. Ahmad, Health Officer, Calcutta Corporation, in course of a statement the following day in connection with a case which had been removed to the Campbell Hospital from Cossipore Road.

The case was imported from a U. P. village to Cossipore area.

Stating the precautionary measures which the Corporation had taken, the Health Officer added that 20 contacts had been inoculated on Monday.

The Mayor, after reading out the statement made by the Health Officer at a special meeting of the Corporation on Tuesday, the 29th January, said that if the members of the House could suggest any further precautionary measure to be taken by the Health Officer in this matter he would see to that.

Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha drew the attention of the Mayor to the fact that the Bengal Government had been trying to drive 100 House Surgeons and House Physicians from the Medical College. The Government, he informed the House, had practically accepted the resignation of these house surgeons and physicians with effect from the 1st February. Supposing anything like an outbreak of plague took place then, Dr. Sinha emphasised, the city would greatly need efficient house surgeons and house physicians to meet this job. He appealed to the Mayor to request the Government not to discharge these house surgeons and housee physicians from the Medical College.

The Mayor assured the House that he would draw the attention of the Government to this matter.

Lt.-Col. C. L. Pasricha, Director of the School of Tropical Medicine, told a reporter of *The Statesman* that there was no danger of plague occurring in Calcutta or in other places in Bengal except when infection had been acquired elsewhere. For many years Bengal and Assam had been free from plague with the exception of a few cases imported from Bihar, the U. P. and other places where the disease was still endemic.

The exact reason why Bengal and Assam had been free from plague had not yet been fully established.

In 1934, there was an instance when infection was acquired in Calcutta. In this case the plague bacilli were injected into the victim with criminal intent. Several men were brought to trial and the case—Pakur Murder case—ended in conviction of two of the accused persons and they were sentenced to transportation for life.

ANTI-CHOLERA MEASURES

Early steps are being taken by the Public Health Department of the Bengal Government to ensure that adequate measures are adopted this year to combat the incidence of cholera in Calcutta, which usually breaks out in epidemic form in the summer.

Officers of the Department have discussed with representatives of the Calcutta Corporation and medical men what means should be adopted to deal with the problem Lt. Colonel C. K. Lakshmanan, I.M.S., Director of the All-India Institute of Hygiene was among those present at the meeting.

ART IN INDUSTRY ANNUAL

Mrs. Casey's Presidential Speech

At the Annual General Meeting of the Indian Institute of Art in Industry, held on Wednesday, January 30th, Mrs. R. G. Casey said that the art in industry movement was a shadow in 1944. She continued :—

"There was a time when the wares of Hindusthan were known and admired all over the world : admired because of their superb designs To day the brocades of Benares are as wonderful as ever; many handicrafts have not lost the skill of past centuries, but on the average the machine-made goods of this county show a decline in industrial taste. We need only look at the exquisite border and fabric designs in a Moghul or Rajputana painting to see how great that decline has been.

"Whilst industrial development depends upon many factors such as the availability of the necessary capital, on raw materials, machinery, etc., it also depends upon the appearance of the goods which it produces, now they are presented to the public, and on how they are advertised

"Many countries in their ignorance neglected applied art for a long time. Some sought refuge under the cheap price of their goods, others relied on quality and ignored appearance. They have all learned their lesson. America is far advanced in this field. Sweden also In England, the two Councils of Industrial Design and of Art and Industry are to-day most active and work in conjunction with bodies such as the British Colour Council, the Society of Industrial Artists and many others with the same aims as those of this Institute.

"I think India is fortunate. This Institute has a carefully planned programme covering all practical steps for the advancement of Indystrial taste in India. You have heard that the Government of India is supporting this body. The Bengal Government has also become a strong supporter of the Institute. The Institute was registered only nine months ago. It will require Rs. 5½ lakhs a year in order to carry out its carefully planned programme. So far it has under Rs. 2 lakhs a year of which the lion's share comes from the Central Government."

Middles

Civic Reception To Major-General Shah Nawaz Khan

"Nothing Is Worse Than Slavery"—Maj -Gen. Replies



The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, presenting the Civic Address to Major-General Shah Nawaz Khan

THE Corporation of Calcutta accorded a reception to Major-General Shah Nawaz Khan of the Indian National Army in the Council Chamber of the Central Municipal Buildings on the 24th January last.

The address, which was read by the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, was presented by him to the Major-General in a silver casket.

In reply to the address, the Major-General described how Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose formed the Azad Hind Fouz (Indian National Army) and narrated the incidents in connection with their march towards India. About Netaji, he said, "A great politician, he had proved himself to be greater as a General."

THE CITY RECALLS THE EPIC OF KOHIMA AND IMPHAL

THE ADDRESS

To

MAJOR-GENERAL SHAH NAWAZ KHAN

Dear Friend,

On the occasion of your visit to this city, we offer you and through you, to your compatriots, Col. Seghal and Col. Dhillon, a warm welcome and hearty felicitations.

After a protracted trial by Court Martial, at the Red Fort in Delhi, since made famous in history, when the nation has been congratulating itself upon your release and the release of your comrades, this Corporation takes occasion to register on behalf of the city its joyful thanks at so happy a sequel brought on by the nation's unanimous demand in vindication of the will of a whole people of four hundred millions that not a hair on your head should be touched.

To your countrymen, the trial at the Red Fort was an indictment of patriotism, arraignment of the right of self-determination and impeachment before an Imperialist Tribunal of the inalienable right of a subject nation to attain to the completest form of self-expression. At the trial your plea of love of country was considered a reproach and failed you there; but it has stood you elsewhere—at the bar of your own people who acclaim you today as the hero with a halo of glory round your head.

It is a happy augury that your visit to this city should fall to coincide with the inauguration of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations of the birth anniversary of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose. This city to which he gave so much, claims the unique pride and distinction of being the nursery of his hopes and the cradle of his dreams, and recalls on the occasion of your visit, the epic of Kohima and Imphal of which you and your compatriots were the protagonists under the leadership of the man of the moment, the man of Destiny, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose.

Your firm resolve to carry on freedom's battle with the new weapon of non-violence bespeaks your dauntless heart which refuses to submit or to yield. May yau live long to herald the dawn of India's liberation.

JAI HIND

Yours in the service of the Motherland,

DEBENDRA NATH MUKHERJEE

Mayor

ON BEHALF OF

THE ALDERMEN AND COUNCILLORS,

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA

January 24th, 1946,

CALCUTTA

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MAJOR-GENERAL SHAH NAWAZ KHAN

Before presenting the address, the Mayor referred to the police firing which took place in Bombay on the occasion of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's birthday celebrations. He said that there could be no justification for the 'brutal' firing which took place in Bombay on the occasion. The Mayor then requested the gathering to observe two minutes' silence in sympathy for the unfortunate victims.

The two minutes' silence was observed. The address was, then, read out by the Mayor

THE REPLY

Replying to the address, Major-General Shah Nawaz Khan said :—

"During our stay in the Far East, under the British regime and also during the period of Japanese occupation, we saw and we felt that we Indians, irrespective of our rank,—it was immaterial whether we were Rajas or Maharajas, Generals or Colonels,—we were looked down upon by everybody. Very rightly the people said that these Indians, who were themselves slaves were helping the British to enslave other nations of the East. It was a thing which no honourable Indian could tolerate and we told the Japanese that the British were very weak in India and there was every chance of our succeeding. But what we were not quite sure about was the opinion of the Indian people.

"ONE RAY OF HOPE"

"We did not know whether if we came in with the Japanese Army we will be welcomed by our brethren and countrymen or whether we shall be cursed by them. We could not decide that because most of us were very inexperienced. Therefore, to decide such an important question we had to take the advice of great Indian leaders either inside or outside India. We tried our best to contact the Indian leaders inside India but this was not possible. They were all beyond our reach,—inside British jails in India. We saw only one ray of hope and that was Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose. We wanted the Japanese to request him on our behalf to come and lead us in our fight for India's liberation."

FOMATION OF I. N. A.

Describing how Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose came from Germany, braving the dangers of the hazardous journey of those days and formed the Azad Hind Fauz and Government, the Major-General said that total mobilisation was Netaji's programme. He asked all civilians to support the soldiers who were going to make 100 per cent sacrifices on their part. The speaker then narrated how whole families responded to his appeal, the father joining the Army, the mother the Rani of Jhansi Regiment and the children joining the *Bala Sena*.

MARCH TOWARDS INDIA

After narrating incidents culminating in their march towards India, the Major-General said that in actual fighting the I.N.A. soldiers underwent the greatest hardships that any soldier in any army had ever to face. They were fighting against a most powerful combination of Anglo-American forces while they had no aircraft, no artillery, no proper system of ration supply, no proper system of medical attention. All that they had were rifles and with these rifles they faced the strongest army in the world.

The Major-General proceeded :—

"During the operations of 1944, at every front wherever we met the enemy, we defeated him. And I can assue my countrymen that it was not the British might that forced us eventually to fall back. It was hunger, disease and starvation that ultimately forced us to come back."

"On behalf of our soldiers, on behalf of the Army, I can assure you, that the pledge that we took once in front of our Netaji, the pledge of either freeing our country or giving up our lives while attempting to do so stands. There has been no change. The pledge we have taken once, we all mean to stand by."

NETAJI AS A GENERAL

The Major-General maintained that Indians were not inferior to any other people on earth and from his knowledge of great men that he had met in Burma, Thailand, Japan and elsewhere he could say that none of them was in any way superior to their Netaji. A great politician, Netaji had proved himself to be greater as a General.

In this connection the speaker recalled how Japanese Generals sometimes consulted him and used to correct mistakes pointed out by him.

"We have realised that there is nothing in the world which is more evil and which is worse than slavery and to remove this slavery from our motherland, we are prepared to sacrifice everything."

Netaji Bose made appointments not on communal considerations but on considerations as to how far a man was prepared to make sacrifices in the cause of his country, the Major-General said that there were three Divisions in the Indian National Army of which two were commanded by Muslim officers. In his Cabinet of fifteen ministers, eight were Muslims.

MORAL OBLIGATION OF THE PEOPLE

He refuted that Netaji lived a luxurious life. Netaji loved all his soldiers and they all loved him.

"I can assure you that Netaji lived the same life, wore the same dress, ate the same food as any soldier of his Army."

In appealing for contributions to the I. N. A. Relief Fund, the Major-General said that over 4000 I. N. A. soldiers died fighting in the jungles of Burma and he felt that it was their moral obligation to see that their dependants did not suffer. The soldiers who were fit could work and earn their living and they had not started to fight in the expectation of any reward but the case of those who had died and left dependants was different. He appealed to all Indians to make sure that no dependants of the deceased soldiers who had become *saheed* (martyrs) for the country, suffered in any way. *Jai Hind.*

ENTERTAINED AT LUNCHEONS

Mr. Shamsul Haque, Deputy Mayor, held a dinner party (Indian style) on the 25th January last at 8 p.m. at the Councillors' Club Room, Central Municipal Office Buildings, in honour of Major-General Shah Nawaz Khan of the Indian National Army.

Mr. Suresh Chandra Majumdar, Managing Director, *Ananda Bazar Patrika Ltd.*, also entertained the Major-General at a luncheon at the Indian Association Hall.

Major General Shah Nawaz In Calcutta

"I Feel That The Ties Which Bind Me With The People Of Bengal, Are Stronger"

"JUST as the British had raised the slogan through posters at the time of their peril during the war—'All Together Stop That Jap' —henceforth our slogan on the same line will be—'Hindus, Muslims and Sikhs—All Together Kick the Englishmen out of India'."

Thus observed Major-General Shah Nawaz in course of his one and half-hour's speech in reply to the address of welcome presented by the citizens of Calcutta at a mammoth public meeting held at Deshapriya Park on the 24th January, evening.

Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, presided.

POLICE FIRING AT BOMBAY ON NETAJI'S BIRTHDAY CONDEMNED

At the beginning of the meeting, on a suggestion from the Chair, everybody standing observed two minutes' silence in honour of the victims of the police firing at Bombay on Netaji's Birthday.

"I hope I am voicing," the Mayor said, "the opinion of all present here, as also of the 6 or 7 lakhs people of this city of Calcutta that we condemn in a strong term the atrocious and brutal firing by the Government of Bombay.

"I warn the Government of India and also the British Government that they should remember that India is now one. It knows no difference of provinces or caste or creed. It is like now one organism and if one part is hurt that hurt would be felt by the whole of India."

He then said: "I have already to-day wired to the Mayor of Bombay conveying our sympathy for the victims and the families of the victims and I have also let the Mayor know that my citizens of Calcutta are prepared to rush to Bombay and to lay down their lives if necessary as a vindication of the honour of the Indians."

"Ladies and Friends, I would ask you to observe two minutes' silence in honour and sympathy for those who have fallen victims to this brutal conduct of the British Government and I hope you will also observe two minutes' silence with all seriousness and solemnity that this occasion requires."

After the opening song, the Mayor read out the address of welcome to Major-General Shah Nawaz.

To Make India Free

Replying to the address Major-General Shah Nawaz Khan said that in giving the slogan he had taken the one from the British, who preached unity through posters, which he found on the walls, while the danger to India from the Japs lasted. It was now for the Indians to unite and drive out the British.

He said that during his stay abroad one thing had struck him. Everywhere he went he found that Indians were looked down upon, irrespective of their rank, status or religion, as slaves of the British. This inspired them to make India free.

He gave an account of how they built up the I. N. A. and fought under Mr. Subhas Bose's leadership in Burma and Malaya. They sent an appeal to Mr. Bose, who was then in Berlin, to come and lead them and he, in spite of the risks of the journey, agreed.

The Japs at first told them that Indian soldiers were mercenaries and could not fight freedom's battle, but they showed the world by their bravery and courage against one of the mightiest armies of the world what stuff they were made of. The I. N. A., he said, had no tanks and aeroplanes, and was short of food and medical supplies. It was a "Fakirs' Fauj" while it fought the British.

"Netaji is no more with us, but other great Indian leaders are there. We will obey their orders," he declared.

"Learn To Die"

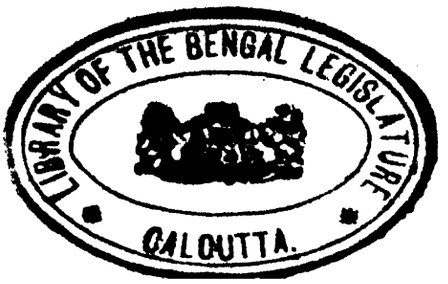
The Major-General said that they had no communal problem in the I. N. A., nor among the Indians in South-East Asia. British imperialism could never help in solving this problem in India. England had been destroyed by German bombs, and they wanted to re-build their country by exploiting India, he said. But the British could not remain in India for a sigle moment if once Hindus, Muslims and other communities combined.

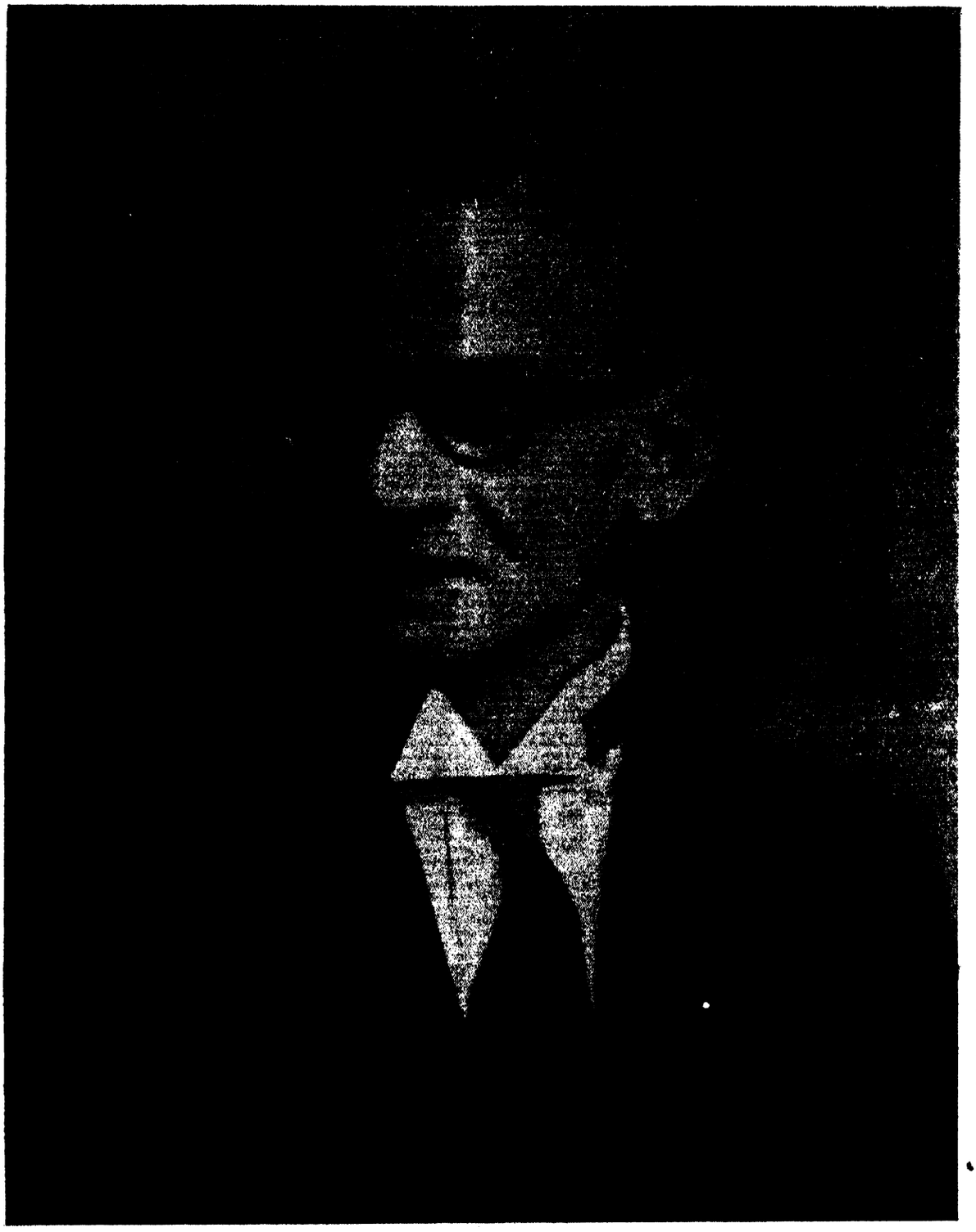
The people of India, he said, were afraid of the police. They feared going to jail and facing police lathi charges. But Mahatma Gandhi, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and other great Indian leaders came and dispelled the fear from their hearts. People were no longer afraid of going to jail or facing lathi charges. They had advanced further and were not afraid of British bullets. Netaji gave one motto to the I.N.A. That was: "If you want to live then learn to die". That was a motto which should be taken up by the 40 crores of the Indian people.

Reception By Students

Speaking at a reception given him by the Calcutta students at Deshbandhu Park in the morning of the 25th January last, Major-General Shah Nawaz referred to the firings on the processions in Calcutta and Bombay and remarked that nowhere in the world except in India the Government who showered bullets on peaceful people was tolerated.

But India had achieved one gain. While they were in Delhi Fort, Shah Nawaz went on, they read in newspapers the sacrifice of the Calcutta students. The blood that flowed on Calcutta streets forced open the prison gates of Delhi Fort. Every drop of blood that was shed mingled together into a mighty stream which ultimately would sweep away the vestige of the British imperialism in India.


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JATINDRANATH BASU

Major-General Shah Nawaz went to Nakhoda Musjid to say his Jumna prayer. When he was coming out after the prayer several Muslims surrounded his car and kept on shouting "Down with I.N.A.", "Muslim League Zindabad", etc. Major General asked the demonstrators to listen to him but without any effect. Some members of the public who gathered round the car of Major General Shah Nawaz to prevent any unpleasant incident received minor injuries.

After he had left the place there was a commotion. Other Muslims who were present at the Mosque resented the demonstration, and a counter-demonstration was held by several others.

Major-General Shah Nawaz was given a public reception in the afternoon at Dalmiya Park, Howrah, by a large gathering of people including many women. Contributions were made at the meeting to the I.N.A. Relief Fund. An address was presented to Mr. Shah Nawaz at the meeting.

A Message To Bengal

Maj.-Gen. Shah Nawaz rounded off his visit to Calcutta by participating in the Independence Day celebrations on the 26th January morning and left by air in the afternoon for Delhi. Before leaving General Shah Nawaz gave the following message to the people of Bengal:

> "On the eve of my departure from Bengal I firstly wish to thank the people of Bengal from the bottom of my heart for the great honour they have shown me and the way they have conducted all their meetings and processions. I feel overwhelmed by the kindness and love that they have shown for Netaji and his Azad Hind Fauj.
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> "I have known all along that the people of Bengal loved Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, but it was not until I had seen it with my own eyes that I realised the limitless depth of that love.
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> "My only prayer is that God be pleased to bring our Netaji back alive and safely to his own country.
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> "Lastly, I wish to assure the people of Bengal that I am an humble soldier of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose and shall continue to be so till the last breath of my life, and as such I feel that the ties which bind me with the people of Bengal are stronger than ties of blood relationship."

Just before leaving the Elgin Road residence of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, where he was staying, at noon the General garlanded the portrait of Netaji in his office room and reiterating his allegiance said, "I still hold myself to the pledge I gave you, Netaji."

The General gave the following message to the I. N. A. Relief Volunteer Corps:

> "I was very much impressed by the well-disciplined manner in which the volunteers conducted themselves, and controlled a huge procession on Netaji's birthday. I can quite confidently say that theirs was by far the best organised show that I have seen so far."

Other Engagements

At Deshabandhu Park, Gen. Shah Nawaz Khan hoisted the National Flag in the presence of a huge gathering, in connection with the Independence Day celebrations.

Later, the General opened the Congress Exhibition and unveiled a Martyrs' Memorial at Sraddhananda Park.

From Sraddhananda Park the General came to the offices of the "Hindusthan Standard" and "Ananda Bazar Patrika" in Burman Street where he hoisted the National flag in the presence of a large gathering.

On behalf of "Hindusthan Standard" and "Ananda Bazar Patrika" a purse of Rs. 10,101 was presented to the General by the Managing Director, Mr. Sures Chandra Majumdar, for the relief of the I. N. A. men.

On his way to the aerodrome before his departure from Calcutta, Gen. Shah Nawaz paid a visit to the Mahajati Sadan. He went round the uncompleted building and hoisting the National Flag there before a large gathering, he said: "So Netaji, I am honoured to-day."

His Impressions

Giving his impressions of the Calcutta tour on Netaji's birthday celebrations, Major-General Shah Nawaz stated on the 27th January from New Delhi that he was greatly impressed by the enthusiastic welcome accorded to him by the people of Calcutta. He fully realized that this was so because he was a humble soldier of Netaji and representative of the Azad Hind Fauj.

What impressed him most was the excellent manner in which a huge procession nearly three and a half mile-long and several meetings attended by many lakhs of people were organized and kept disciplined.

He remarked that in this very pleasant trip there was one ugly incident. It was on Friday, January 25, when he attended Jumma prayers in the Mosque in Zacharia Street. When he came out after saying the prayers a big crowd collected round him and started cheering. He stood up on top of his car to show himself to the crowd and then requested them to allow the car to proceed, when some youngmen belonging to a reactionary political groups tried to stop his car by shouting anti-national slogans.

NETAJI SUBHAS CHANDRA BOSE

Birthday Celebrations At Lahore

The birthday celebrations of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose were marred by an incident in Lahore in which the police resorted to a mild *lathi* charge on students of a local procession. A police party arrived on the scene and tried to persuade the students not to march in a procession. While the police were persuading them to disperse, some of the students are alleged to have thrown brickbats at the police, and so police sustained minor injuries. The police then made a *lathi* charge and dispersed the processionists, some of whom were injured.

The leader of the students told the *Associated Press* that they did not intend to form procession but they were proceeding to the rally of the students held in the Gol Bagh when they were stopped by the police and were dispersed with a *lathi* charge.

Ex-Alderman J. N. Basu

His Death Condoled By The Corporation

THE death occurred of *ex*-Alderman J. N. Basu the well-known Liberal leader, at his residence, 14C, Balaram Ghose Street, Calcutta, at about 11 o'clock in the morning on the 24th January last. He was 74 at the time of his death.

The Corporation at its meeting held on Tuesday, the 29th January, condoled the death of *ex*-Alderman Basu, and adjourned the meeting till 1st February as a mark of respect to his memory.

Paying a glowing tribute to the memory of Mr. Basu, the Mayor said that he was a man of all-India distinction and universal popularity. His integrity of character, sincerity of purpose and devotion to duty endeared him to all. Mr. Basu belonged to a Kayastha family of Shambazar to which the city of Calcutta was indebted for production of a number of eminent citizens of lead and thought.

Two minutes' silence was observed as a mark of respect to the memory of the great departed.

Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Basu moved for the adjournment of the meeting as a mark of respect to the deceased which was accepted by the House.

Then the Mayor adjourned the meeting till Friday, the 1st February.

Life Sketch

Mr. Basu received his education at Hindu School and Presidency College, Calcutta, and after passing the M.A. and B.L. examinations of the Calcutta University, he joined a well-known firm of solicitors, of which he later became the head. His father, the late Mr. Trailokyanath Basu was a pleader at Muzaffarpore.

He took up public work quite early in life. He enrolled himself as a volunteer in connection with the session of the Indian National Congress which was held in Calcutta in 1890 under the presidency of Sir Pheroze Shah Mehta and took up Congress work. In 1917, Mr. Basu along with some others severed his connection with the Congress and joined the National Liberal Federation of India.

Mr. Basu was a former President of the National Liberal Federation of India and was a delegate from Bengal to the London Round Table Conference. He had been a member of the Bengal Legislature for the last 20 years representing North Calcutta General Constituency except for a short period of one year and was a former President of the Indian Association, Calcutta. He was a leading solicitor of Calcutta High Court and was a former President of the Incorporated Law Society.

Mr. Basu was connected with numerous educational, cultural and social service organizations in Calcutta. Following a serious illness in August, 1941, he retired from active public work. But in spite of his failing health, he always made it a point to attend the sittings of the Bengal Legislative Assembly of which he was a member, on the occasion of every crucial voting in support of the popular cause.

Mr. Basu was loved and respected by all classes of people for his sincerity of purpose, courage of conviction, genial temperament and old-world courtesy.

Mr. Basu was chairman of the non-official Committee which was appointed to enquire into allegations of police atrocities in Contai, Midnapore, during the Civil Disobedience movement in 1930 and showed considerable courage by signing the report of the Committee.

He was deeply interested in the educational, cultural and social advancement of his people and worked hard in that cause.

He was a lover of sports. When the Mohun Bagan Athletic Club was started, he was selected as one of the first batch of its players. He was the President of that club till the time of his death.

He leaves behind him six sons and four daughters.

The funeral took place at Kashi Mitter Burning Ghat and was largely attended. A large number of people also called at his residence to pay their last respects to the deceased. Wreaths were offered on behalf of numerous institutions and organizations.

Tributes

Paying tributes to the departed Mr. Hemanta Kumar Bose issued the following:—

"Jatin Babu is no more, long live Jatin Babu.

"People of Calcutta and specially those of North Calcutta will cherish his memory with reverence and gratitude. He was to them really a friend in need and a friend indeed. His munificence knew no bounds. Not only that, his ungrudging charities to the poor had become a byeword in the locality, but also in every distress and difficulty, he had been the best counsel and help to the citizens of North Calcutta and always stood by their side.

"He was sweet and mild in temper, noble in spirit, and determined in actions. A sincere patriot, his public moves were always inspired by a motive of selfless service to the people.

"Though he belonged to a different school in politics, it was no bar to his taking exception to Government atrocities on Congressmen during the Civil Disobedience movement in Contai in 1930, and he actually came out of his recluse, and proceeded to the spot to lead an enquiry. It is no wonder, therefore, that he commanded universal respect.

"His death is a distinct loss to the country, and I pay my respectful homage to his hallowed memory, and convey my sincere condolence to the bereaved family."

Owing to the death of Mr. Basu, President of the Mohun Bagan Athletic Club, all activities of the club remained suspended till 30th January.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

REFORMS IN THE CORPORATION

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To THE EDITOR, "CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL GAZETTE"

SIR,—There is a general complaint that the Calcutta Corporation has not been discharging its duties properly or efficiently for a pretty long time. To those, who love their city and are zealous of her reputation, this is very painful indeed. I am not one of those, who indulge in cheap gibes at the expense of our Councillors and think I have thereby done my civic duty. A people always get the government they deserve.

It is undeniable that our roads except a few are full of pot-holes and entirely out of repairs. Generally speaking, the City has a dirty apppearance and in some places, *e.g.*, Posta, Barabazar, Jorabagan, Aheeritola, etc.—not to speak of the suburban areas—a sort of anarchy prevails. This is partly due to the insanitary habits of the people resident in these areas and partly due to ineffective conservancy organisation.

It cannot also be denied that our City Fathers have largely lost the fire and zeal of the reformer which Deshbandhu C. R. Das tried to inject into the administration. This is partly due to lack of co-operation between groups of Councillors. A serious blunder was the introduction of communal electorates.

For the last ten years or more, we have had Governments in Bengal, whose antagonism to the Corporation has been notorious. Whatever "reforms" they have tried to effect have been reactionary. A further complication has been introduced by the division of the Councillors into separate groups. It cannot be too much emphasised that pure politics is totally out of place in civic affairs and efficient administration can be the result only of common aims and objects among the Councillors themselves.

Moreover, the Municipal Act is defective inasmuch as it has given no executive powers to the Mayor. In my opinion, the Mayor must be vested with the power to issue directives to lay down policies, to call for reports direct from the heads of the departments, and to interfere on his own responsibility, when he is of opinion that any officer of the Corporation has been acting manifestly against its interests. On the other hand, the Chief Executive Officer must have his powers enlarged not only in the interests of his prestige, but also for the sake of efficiency. It should be a rule that Councillors and Aldermen must not interfere directly with the executives, but issue directions and orders only through the Committees.

In my opinion, the Chief Executive Officer should be relieved of his routine duties to a very great extent, and one of his principal duties should be daily three hours outdoor inspection for 5 days in the week. It should be his chief endeavour to see that the plans and policies of the Corporation are being given due effect and that the outdoor staff have been discharging their allotted duties properly and efficiently. It is no use putting "new wine" into old bottles. The Corporation must recruit first-class men, who are well educated, well trained and healthy, active and energetic.

I propose that the office and routine duties may be entrusted to a Deputy Chief Executive Officer. There should be four Assistant Executive Officers who should be in charge of different groups of departments and final authorities in routine and purely departmental matters. I propose the following scales of pay to attract really first class men:—

Chief Executive Officer	Rs. 2,500—100—3,000
Deputy Executive Officer	Rs. 1,350—100/2—2,350
Asst. Executive Officer	Rs. 800—40—1,000—50/2—1,250

Plus ten per cent House allowance.

The Mayor should hold a conference with the Chief Executive Officer and the Deputy and Assistant Executive Officers once a week in his chamber, and gather the latest information about the affairs of the Corporation. He should also hold outdoor inspections paying surprise visits to different institutions.

One of the principal causes of the deterioration in the administration, is the fact that Calcutta's finances are totally unequal to her needs. You cannot make bricks without straw. I have studied the financial needs of the Corporation, and find that a minimum assured revenue income of Rs. 330,00,000 is necessary.

The city is growing by leaps and bounds. The population is not less than 3,000,000 and next to Tokyo and Kyoto, Calcutta is the biggest city in the East. Her water supply and conservancy and drainage system has to be remodelled without delay. The congestion is fearful, nearly 300 to the acre. The city must be extended both southwards and northwards. It will not do to wait till the Salt lakes are reclaimed or the Howrah Municipality with the help of the proposed Improvement Trust succeeds in bringing up its amenities up to the standard of Calcutta. The Tollygunge area north of the Budge Budge Railway should be vested in the Corporation and the work of improvement should be put in hand as soon as possible.

H. H. THE AGA KHAN

MARBLE SHRINES FOR MRS. GANDHI AND MR. DESAI

His Highness the Aga Khan is rebuilding with white marble the mud shrines of the late Kasturba Gandhi, wife of Mr. Gandhi, and Mr. Mahadev Desai in the compound of the Aga Khan Palace in Poona, where Mr. Gandhi was detained. The shrines will be surrounded by specially built walls. The Aga Khan has obtained Mr. Gandhi's consent for this work.

Mr. Gandhi has been requested to suggest inscriptions to be carved on the shrines.

The work of rebuilding has already been started and is expected to be completed in the first week of February.

CEYLON LOCAL BODIES'

POLICE FUNCTIONS FOR LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT

Local Government authorities in Ceylon are considering the advisability of vesting police functions in local bodies. The matter is likely to be discussed at a conference of Government agents which will be held early next month.

I give below my estimates of the possible Expenditure which the City Administration will have to bear if it is brought up to the requisite standard of efficiency.

		per annum. Rs.
I.	General Administration ...	12,00,000
II.	Assessment and Collection of rates and taxes ...	9,00,000
III.	Collection and disposal of refuse etc. ...	40,00,000
IV.	Water Supply ...	30,00,000
V.	Drainage and Engineering Departments ...	8,00,000
VI.	Repairs to Roads, Footpaths etc. ...	18,00,000
VII.	Road watering ...	3,00,000
VIII.	Markets ...	4,50,000
IX.	Service of Loans ...	60,00,000
X.	Primary Education ...	22,00,000
XI.	Grants to Hospitals, Dispensaries and Charitable Institutions ...	10,00,000
XII.	Corporation Dispensaries, Maternity Homes and Baby Clinics ...	7,50,000
XIII.	Fire Brigade ...	6,00,000
XIV.	Pensions and Gratuities ...	6,00,000
XV.	Calcutta Improvement Trust ...	20,00,000
XVI.	Contribution to the Garden Reach Municipality ...	2,50,000
XVII.	Development schemes ...	20,00,000
XVIII.	Miscelleneous Items not included in above ...	5,00,000
	Grand total ...	2,83,50,000

[*Note.*—In all estimates I have included establishments. I have assumed that the law shall be modified so as to limit the Corporation's contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust to a maximum of Rs. 20 lakhs.]

It is plain a revenue income of Rs. 3 crores must be assured enabling the Corporation to put at least Rs. 10 lakhs to a reserve fund to meet emergent expenses.

In my opinion, the consolidated rate including Howrah Bridge Tax should at once be raised to 22½ per cent. The Collection Department needs looking after. If proper assessments are effected—say, for instance, in the Barabazar area, the income will go up at once by at least ten lakhs. Violation of building rules and regulation are rampant in the city and should stop.

As far as I can see, the best course for the Corporation is to insist on being allowed to levy a terminal tax. There is such a tax at Bombay, Karachi and Lahore. I believe regard being had to the fact that Calcutta is the chief port for centre part of India such a tax is sure to prove lucrative.

The position then would be this:—

	Rs.
Income from Consolidated Tax (taking collection at 92 per cent. of the demand) ...	2,07,45,000
Contribution from Government (Refund from Petrol Tax) ...	4,50,000
Contribution towards Primary Education by Government say ...	10,00,000
License Fees ...	15,00,000
Market Collections (Municipal Markets) ...	13,00,000
Terminal Tax ...	30,00,000
Miscellaneous Heads of Receipts ...	6,00,000
Total ...	2,85,95,000

As regards Primary Education the Government of Bombay makes a handsome contribution. There is no reason why the Bengal Government, half of whose revenues are derived from the city, should not make a similar contribution.

My letter is already long. I hope, however, to revert to this matter at a later date, and, in the meantime, I shall be glad if others come forward to comment on my suggestions. I hope you will give the same opportunity as you have done me to offer my suggestions,—Yours etc.

NRIPENDRA K. GUPTA,

36A, Raja Basant Roy Road, Calcutta,
The 12th January, 1946.

DOCTORS PROSECUTED

For Violation Of Public Health Ordinance

Eleven doctors of Calcutta have been prosecuted by the Detective Department of the Police before Mr. W. J. Palmer, Chief Presidency Magistrate, for the alleged violation of the Public Health (Emergency Provisions) Ordinance, 1944, by making unauthorised advertisements about the treatment of venereal diseases on sign-boards, walls and in newspapers.

Some of the doctors on receipt of summons appeared in court and were released on bail of Rs. 500 each while fresh summons were issued against the rest, and the hearing was adjourned till February 20.

INDIA'S FOOD DEFICIENCY

Central Assembly Debate

India's food deficiency was debated early this week by the Central Legislative Assembly on an array of motions in which Congress, Muslim League and even the European group combined to warn the Government against what was described as a dangerous food situation ahead

Mr. B. R. Sen initiating the debate admitted that "India had been living from hand to mouth for the past three years," and the Government's failure to build an adequate central reserve precipitated the situation.

On the assessment of the situation, he revealed it was felt necessary to send the permanent Food Secretary, to Washington to place India's case before the combined Food Board.

But the hopes of adequate relief from the Board, were meagre, he admitted, and stressed on what he described as Government's basic plan, which demanded that the "general deficiency of foodgrains in India should be shared on an All-India basis."

This evidently envisaged a plan for reduction of rations, against which Mr. Masani (Congress)) warned that "already the people were not having a balanced diet and any reduction in rations would lead to serious consequences."

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Leader of Opposition, in his speech outlined a food policy for the quidance of the Government of India and the Treasury benches, who, he said, were responsible for the situation, and added:—

In so far as Government could not better handle the situation, "they must quit and make room for others who could discharge that responsibility."



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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

"INDEPENDENCE DAY" IN CALCUTTA

The "Independence Day" was celebrated on a grand scale in Calcutta on the 26th January last.

Houses were profusely decorated with National Flags and portraits of national leaders. Portraits of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose figured prominently among the portraits of national leaders displayed.

The beflagged streets echoed with the shouts of "Bande Mataram" and "Jai Hind" raised by young men and women who paraded the city streets in batches.

"Liberty Arches" were erected at important street crossings and street light posts decorated with National Flags and foliage. "Martyrs' Memorials" were raised at different parks and squares where ceremonial hoisting of the National Flag was held.

A procession of nearly 500 buffalo carts, decorated with National Flags and portraits of national leaders, which was taken out in the morning and a procession of nearly 300 cyclists which came out in the afternoon, attracted large crowds of spectators.

An outstanding feature of the celebrations was a "Martyrs' Exhibition" in Shraddhananda Park displaying posters depicting different phases of development of the nationalist movement beginning from the Battle of Plassey.

In hoisting the Congress flag in Deshabandhu Park Mr. Shah Nawaz Khan said that pledged to non-violence the Congress was marching to its goal of freedom for India under the leadership of Mahatma Gandhi. They should be prepared to lay down their lives to achieve their ideal.

Under the auspices of Bengal Carters' Union and Coal Mazdoor Sabha a mile and a half long procession was taken out by the Calcutta carters, coal and other workers from Cossipur, Ultadanga, Baghbazar, Hatkhola and other areas to celebrate the Independence Day.

The procession passed through Cossipur Road, Ultadanga Road, Baghbazar-Chitpur Road, Harrison Road, College Street, Cornwallis Street, R. G. Kar Road and terminated at the Deshabandhu Park, where the National Flag was unfurled by Mr. Sudhindra Pramanik, President of the said Unions.

At about 10-30 in the morning when an "Independence Day" procession comprising boys and girls, numbering about two hundred, were passing by the Communist Party's Office on Russa Road on its way to Bhowanipore, two throw-down bombs and stones were hurled from the building, resulting in injuries to two girl processionists, *namely*, Miss Mridula Gupta (12) and Miss Minati Bhowmick (12) said to be members of the South Calcutta Congress Volunteer Corps.

Four communists including the Secretary of the South Calcutta District Communist Party were arrested following incidents which took place in front of the party's office, near Kalighat Tram Depot.

PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION ARRIVES

The members of the British Parliamentary Delegation arrived in Calcutta by air from Madras on the 25th January last.

The members of the Delegation had one of the quitest days of their Indian tour on Sunday, the 27th. January.

They met His Excellency the Governor of Bengal at the Government House on Sunday morning.

Later Mr. Sorensen visited the Kidderpore labour area. He was shown round the workers' quarters. He visited a labour union office, inspected a primary school, started by the workers. The visit lasted about three hours. "We want a Free India and a National Government", some workers told Mr. Sorensen when he asked them about their main grievances. When reminded of the poverty of India they said, that in a Free India all ploughable land would be cultivated and industries would provide employment for poor people. The country would no longer be exploited by foreigners. The salaries of *Burra Sahibs* would be distributed among poor people.

The Delegation spent their busiest day in Calcutta on Monday, the 26th January, when they met representatives of about half a dozen political parties and other associations. Two of the members—Mr. Sorensen and Lord Cheolay—visited some villages in the suburbs of Calcutta.

Among the parties whose viewpoint was explained to the Delegation were the Provincial Muslim League, the European Association, the Hindu Mahasabha, the Scheduled Castes, the Radical Democratic Party and the Pre-reform Political Prisoners' Release Campaign Committee. Some Congress leaders also met the Delegation.

LATE PROF. BIDHU BHUSAN RAY

The portrait of the late Professor Bidhu Bhusan Ray, D.Sc., Guruprasad Singh Professor of Physics, Calcutta University, was unveiled by Dr. B. C. Roy at the University College of Science on Monday, the 28th January. This portrait is a present from Dr. Satyaban Roy to the Memorial Committee. The deceased scientist died an untimely death in 1944.

The Committee has so far collected Rs. 8,322, which will be handed over to Calcutta University for the creation of an endowment. Out of this, a lectureship named after the late Professor will be instituted on Experimental and Mathematical Physics and allied subjects. A course of lectures, at least three in number, will be delivered once in every three years at the University Science College by a distinguished scholar.

PANDIT NEHRU AND CONVOCATION ADDRESS

A deputation of the Calcutta Muslim Students' League met the Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University, at his residence on the 25th January last to protest against the invitation extended to Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru to deliver the Convocation address of Calcutta University this year, "as Pandit Nehru has become the champion of the conservative Right-wing of the Congress which has always worked in close alliance with Indian capitalists."

The deputation also pointed out that Pandit Nehru had now taken the undemocratic stand that even if the Muslim League won the majority of the seats in the Provincial elections, as they had already done in the election for the Central Assembly, he would not abide by the judgment of the Muslim masses and would have "no truck with the Muslim League."

The deputation also notified that unless the invitation was withdrawn Muslim students would organize a demonstration in which they hoped students of all communities will participate.

The Vice-Chancellor, it is stated, assured them that the matter would be placed before the Syndicate.

CALCUTTA FIRINGS ECHO

After considering a list of casualties among the students of affiliated colleges and recognised schools in Calcutta during the firing incidents in November last, the Senate at its meeting on the 26th January last reaffirmed the resolution passed by the Syndicate demanding an imperial public enquiry into the matter and also demanded that a representative of the Senate should be included in the Enquiry Committee.

MR. SATYARANJAN BAKSHI

Mr. Satyaranjan Bakshi, security prisoner, is having frequent attacks and his condition is now causing anxiety, according to his wife Mr. Santosh Lata Bakshi, who saw him at the Medical College Hospital on the 23rd January last.

Mr. Bakshi's mother and son were also present at the interview.

MAYOR OPENS ART EXHIBITION

The Second Art Exhibition sponsored by Charka Baithak was opened at 1, Chowringhee Terrace by Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee. Mayor of Calcutta, in the presence of several distinguished ladies and gentlemen. The exhibition consists of 100 water colours and sketches executed by 14 artists mostly belonging to the School of Art inspired by Dr Abanindra Nath Tagore and Nandalal Bose.

A COURSE OF STUDIES IN PLASTICS

The Senate of the Calcutta University at its annual meeting on the 26th January last accepted an offer of an endowment of Rs. 1,15,000 for introducing a course of studies in Plastics in the M.Sc Course and in furtherance of research in that subject.

It may be mentioned here that Rai Bahadur S. K. Ghosh in course of a letter to the University intimated that a group of his friends wished to make the aforesaid endowment. The Syndicate also at its last meeting accepted the offer with thanks.

SECURITY DEMAND FROM "SWADHINATA"

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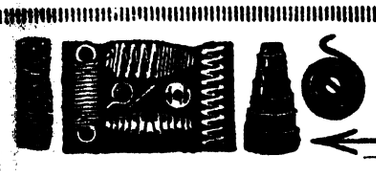
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MR. DILIP ROY'S BIRTHDAY

The 50th birthday of Mr. Dilip Kumar Roy, of Pondicherry, will be observed on the 8th February. Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose will preside over the function.

ROMAIN ROLLAND'S 80TH BIRTHDAY

A message from Mahatma Gandhi was read at a commemoration meeting held on the 30th January at the Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture to express India's reverence and love for the late Romain Rolland on the occasion of his 80th birthday.

Gandhiji, in his message, which was read by Dr. Kalidas Nag, said:

"The few days I passed with Romain Rolland and his sister were among the happiest days of my life. He has been truly described by some of us a Maharshi. He bore on his benign face the marks of a great sage. He lived and died for humanity, leaving it the richer for having lived."

Swami Pavitrananda presided. Dr. Kalidas Nag outlined the plan for publishing a Romain Rolland Commemoration Volume containing reminiscences of Indian leaders of thought and culture who knew Romain Rolland personally and through his writings. They include Mahatma Gandhi, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and Raj Kumari Amrit Kaur.

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MRS. ARUNA ASAF ALI

In her first public utterance in Calcutta on the 30th January after three and a half years of underground life to evade arrest by the police in connexion with the August 1942 disturbances, Mrs. Aruna Asaf Ali called upon the people totally to boycott within three months goods of foreign manufacture, particularly British.

She addressed a crowded meeting held in Deshbandhu Park to protest against Government atrocities of August, 1942, and the recent police firing in Bombay.

Mrs. Asaf Ali said that negotiations for settlement of India's political issues were afoot. The people must remember that under any negotiated settlement power went only to the powerful. But the power achieved through struggle remained with the people. The Indian masses should, therefore, be on their guard to see that the rights they were trying to wrest from the British were not usurped and exercised by the few capitalists in the country. To prevent this, they should single-mindedly carry on their struggle for independence. The first item on the programme should be to refrain from buying even a pice worth of foreign goods henceforward. Let those engaged in parliamentary politics continue their work inside the legislatures. It was for the masses outside to keep the freedom movement alive.

Referring to the August disturbances, she said that the Congress being a people's organization could in no way divest itself of the responsibility for the 1942 movement launched by the people themselves.

She appealed to the people to strengthen the Congress in its fight for freedom.

Mrs. Asaf Ali left for Delhi on Thursday the 31st January.

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CONVOCATION ADDRESS BY PANDIT NEHRU

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, who was invited by the Calcutta University to deliver the next convocation address has accepted the same. The next convocation will be held in March next.

DELHI-CALCUTTA AIR MAIL SERVICE

The Delhi-Calcutta Indian National Airways Air Mail Service is operating now daily with intermediate halts at Allahabad and Cawnpore. An air fee of anna one per tola will be charged for letters carried by this service in addition to the ordinary postage payable, says a postal notice.

The latest hour of posting of such air correspondence at the local General Post Office is 9 a.m.

MEDICAL COLLEGE HOSPITAL STAFF

The House staff of Calcutta Medical College hospitals are to discontinue their work from the 8th February next if their demand for introduction of a system of honorarium is not met by that date.

Dr. K. K. Sen Gupta, President of the Association, in a statement says that the Medical College hospitals are under the control of Bengal Government and the work there is carried out by a large number of medical men most of whom are appointed by the Government on a purely honorary basis.

Several representations for a system of adequate honorarium have been submitted to the authorities since December, 1944. No steps have so far been taken by Government.

PROF. EINSTEIN'S SERVICES RECOGNIZED

The Sir Devaprasad Sarvadhikary Gold Medal for 1945 has been awarded to Prof. Albert Einstein, D.Sc., F.R.S. N.L., now of Princeton University, U.S.A., by the Calcutta University in recognition of his services to the cause of science.

ALLOWANCES TO MEDICAL COLLEGE HOSPITAL STAFF

The Bengal Government have, states a *Press Note*, decided to pay allowances to the house staff at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, in the scales of Rs. 50 per month for junior house men, Rs. 75 per month for senior house men and Rs. 100 per month for Clinical Pathologists.

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,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

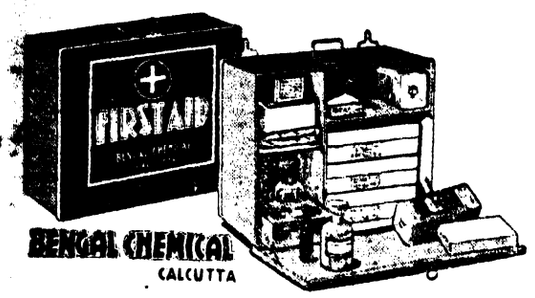
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)						H. 1-3	8 0 0	Refreshment Room.
*,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.			
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, BAR-AT-LAW,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
		1 14 0
Duck's eggs per score		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs		
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal "	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	
Garlic "	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Rauchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
" (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 8 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras "		
Ghee Lakhee	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	
Do. Sree	5 0 0	6 0 0
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		
Milk "		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar "	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
" (Sugarcandy) "	0 12 0 (Ration Shop)	
Suji	0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor "	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga " "	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai "	0 6 6	
Bluli "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
" (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar "	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) "	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal "		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. 2 "		
Corn Flower 1 "		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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Rates quoted on the 30th January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or underout per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted peer seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 12 0	4 12 0		

ARTICLES.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.				
Chops per seer ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain ,, —	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each ...	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — ...	3 6 0	4 10 0

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (outlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 10 0	4 4 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 8 0	3 12 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	25 0 0	20 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ..		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 6	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 12 0	0 18 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 2 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb	3 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 0 0	0 8 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country per seer ...		
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 2 6
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do. (Allahabad) ,,	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. Simla ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,, ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Old) Nainital ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 6 0	0 5 0
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbu (Patal) per seer ...		
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 8 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,		
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 12 0	0 12 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tarai per seer —		
Kankrole per seer —		
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...		
Do. Gulapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Bogamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
*Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 14—18 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 12—16	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Siugapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo Balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonte do. ...		
Malasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kalu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
„ 13	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ ...	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „	4 8 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Rohi per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Mullet per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Butter fish per seer	3 8 0	4 8 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)		
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. (Large) —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Lobster —	2 0 0	2 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other fish ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 4 0	4 0 0
Do. (fillet) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Mackerel —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Shrimp per seer —	2 4 0	2 8 0
Ladies finger ...		
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 8 0	0 8 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed. „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 8 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 6 0
Do. White per seer ..		
Do. Red „ „ — ..		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		
Rice per seer (retail) —		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		0 12 0
Arahar „ ...		0 8 0
Chola „ —		0 13 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 10 0
Khasari „ ...		0 13 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 8 0
*Salt —		
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches:—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Haldi „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. —		4 0 0
Short bread per lb. .	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie —		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 3
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 3	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 3	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot...		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only ...	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0	
Deresske per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	2 0 0
„ „ (magnum)		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 ...	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ ...		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ ...		
Chutneys 1 „ ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 36 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 3 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb, per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 0
*Bisurated Magnesia,large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	123 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

* Controlled Price

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Ver. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 14	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...		0 8 0
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled	Price)	
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 5 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		0 5 6
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 0
Do. (white) ,, —		
Suji ...		0 5 6
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital ...	0 4	0 5 0
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal —		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas —	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns —		
Parsey —		
Bagda —		
Bhetki —		
Crab per pair —	0 2 0	0 5 0
Koi —	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) —		0 6 0
*Atta ,, ...		0 6 0
*Do. B ,, —		
*Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—80 ...	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		10 0 0
Dates Arab ...	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati ...		
Mango ...		
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...		
Potatoes New ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanital) ...	0 10 0	
Brinjal —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger —		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 1 0	0 6 0
*Cabbage per seer —	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	
Pona ,, }	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }	1 12 0	
Bagda ,, —	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	1 12 0	
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Crackes		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats —		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 3 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ ...		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country ... —		0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	3 0 0	6 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Aubokhara per seer ..	2 8 0	
Apricot „ ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 0 0	
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	1 0 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul „ „ —		
Solapjam —		
Panital per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeta 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh ...		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	}	6 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	6 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 4 0	
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 4 0	
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Mazafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...		2 0 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) —		
Do. (large) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Galda —	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A.P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 8 6	Controlled shop.
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 22nd December, 1945.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 8 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	—	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —	—	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 8 0	
Garlic ,, —	1 0 0	
Green Chilly ...		0 8 0
Onion ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	1 0 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	1 0 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...		
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	2 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)	0 6 0	
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. —		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, —	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 24th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 4 0
Silong —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —		
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —		2 3 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —		2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (English) ,, —	0 6 0	
Cauliflour ,, ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score —	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,, —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes ,, —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree ,, —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, ...		
Rangoon per seer ...		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Bfuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 6 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Ililong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos.	0 8 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 8 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 6
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
36A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 6 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
13	3 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
* " 89C	0 10 0	Do.
* " 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
Coconut Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.
M.		
* " 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
* " 31	0 4 0	Do
* " 39—40	1 0 0	Do
* " 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (old) 58	1 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	6 10 0 Mon. rent	Oilman's Stores.
West Range		
" 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 32	35 0 0	
" 58	43 0 0	
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-180	1 4 0	Do.
" 75-78		
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
" * 9	0 8 0	Do
" * 10	0 8 0	Do
" * 18	0 8 0	Do
" * 19	0 8 0	Do
" * 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
"		
"		
"		
" * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. E. 16 N.	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 33	0 5 6	Do.
" 57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72—78	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
* " 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
	0 5 0	Do
* " 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Betel
"		

A few arat spaces are available. Apply to Market office for terms & conditions

* Stalls temporarily exempted.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.	30 „	0 3 0	„
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	„			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	„	15 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	„	16 W. B.	1 0 0	„	50 „	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	„	64 „	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	„	65 „	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	„	21 W. B.	1 0 0	„	68 „	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	„	22 W. B.	0 15 0	„	69 „	0 4 0	„
22 S. B.	0 12 0	„	23 W. B.	0 15 0	„	75 „	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	„	24 W. B.	0 15 0	„	76 „	0 5 0	„
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	„	77 „	0 5 0	„
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 „	0 4 0	„
„ 5	0 8 0	„	17 „	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 „	0 4 0	„
„ 6	0 8 0	„	18 „	0 7 0	„	80 „	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
„ 7	0 8 0	„						

MEAT MARKS







(Inside Municipal Markets)

Marks for
BUFFALO MEAT







BEEF







MUTTON







VEAL

(Outside Municipal Markets)







Marks for
COW & BUFFALO MEATS.







Marks for
SHEEP & GOAT MEATS

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The Week In The Corporation

POLICE FIRING IN BOMBAY

The Corporation on 5th February, recorded its emphatic protest against police firing on peaceful processions in Bombay on the occasion of the birth-day celebrations of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose on the 23rd January last and congratulated the citizens of Bombay for their "bold stand in vindiction of their right of taking out processions through public streets."

Moving this resolution Councillor Dr. M. N. Sarkar said that there was absolutely no justification for the way the police had behaved. Similar processions had been taken out all over India but no such action was taken by the police anywhere. They must send their condolences to members of the bereaved families and convey their sympathy to the injured.

ENHANCEMENT OF SALES TAX

A reference was also made by Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen to the enhancement of the sales tax from three pice to four pice in the rupee.

Councillor Kaviraj Sen said that in only one or two other provinces the sales tax had been imposed. In view of the talk about famine occurring again, it was time that they should record their protest against the enhancement. In that view he suggested that the Corporation should write to Government intimating the latter that the citizens of Calcutta were against the enhancement.

The Mayor wanted to know if he would write the letter personally or the Corporation would do it.

Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen was of the opinion that the Mayor could do it himself.

Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury suggested that Councillor Kaviraj Sen should put in a motion protesting against the enhancement of the tax.

MEDICAL COLLEGE HOSPITALS STAFF

The Corporation expressed the opinion that the demands of the Honorary House Staff of the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, were just and legitimate and viewed with alarm the serious situation likely to be created in the event of Government's failure to reach a satisfactory settlement.

Friday, the 1st February

SPEECHES IN INDIA LANGUAGE

For the first time in the history of the Corporation Councillors began speaking in their respective Indian languages at the meeting of the Corporation held on Friday, the 1st February.

Councillor N. C. Paul first started speaking in Bengali while moving for adjournment of an item. Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, in seconding Councillor Paul's proposal, made a lengthier speech also in Bengali.

Thereafter Councillor Mohamed Rafique, having spoken in Urdu for some time, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, asked him if he was supporting or opposing the proposal for adjournment of the item.

Councillor Rafique said that it was he, the Mayor, to see what a Councillor meant.

Councillor Rafique was followed by Councillor S. Afzal, who also began speaking in Urdu.

The Mayor said that he was unable to follow him.

Councillor Afzal pointed out that two members had spoken in Bengali, which was not intelligible to all, though he had understood it for he knew Bengali. The Mayor said that he could not compel any member to speak in English.

Councillor Afzal then said that he could understand some members, who always spoke in Bengali speaking in that language but there was no reason why those members who were accustomed to speak in English should speak in Bengali. He expressed the view that members should speak in a language which would enable others to understand what they said and participate in the discussion.

Councillor Afzal requested the Mayor to adopt a definite principle. The proceedings, he said, ought to be conducted in a language which was intelligible to all sections of the House.

The Mayor said that it was for the House to decide.

Councillor A. A. Wise said that it was only fair that proceedings should be conducted in a language which was understood by all, otherwise they should have the help of interpreters.

On an enquiry by Councillor S. N. Banerjee as to how the proceedings could be recorded if members persisted in speaking in different languages, the Mayor said that that question did not arise. The question was whether members were debarred from speaking in languages other than English.

The law laid down nothing definitely as to which language should be the vehicle of expression in the House. It absolutely depended upon the decision of the House as to which language the members should speak in.

Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri said that the day was not distant when the Britishers would quit India. In that event they would have to carry on the proceedings in the vernacular languages.

Councillor M. A. H. Ispahani proposed to speak either in Tamil or Persian.

Councillor Ray Chaudhuri said that it had been settled among them that they would speak in Bengali. There were many among them who knew English but were not in a position to speak fluently in English. It was not certainly just that such members would remain silent when the House would be making deliberations on important matters.

After this, there was no attempt to check any speaker using any Indian language and the Indian members went on speaking in Bengali, Urdu and Hindusthani.

The European members, who apparently could not follow the proceedings well, one after another left the chamber.

PURCHASE OF THE TRAMWAYS

While the House took up for consideration the report of the Chief Law Officer as regards the arbitration proceedings in the matter of acquisition of the tramways undertaking by the Corporation, Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri blamed the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Law Officer for the failure to appoint umpires which, he said, had sabotaged all their efforts in the matter of municipalizing the Calcutta tramways. The arbitrators had declined to proceed with the arbitration because they had failed to appoint an umpire beforehand.

It was a matter of great regret that their labour for last few years came to a failure.

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that he had taken the opinion of Mr. N. C. Chatterjee and Mr. Atul Gupta, two distinguished lawyers of Calcutta High Court, as to what the Corporation should do after the collapse of the arbitration proceedings due to the non-appointment of an Umpire at the right time as enjoined in the Agreement between the parties.

They had expressed the opinion, he said, that the Corporation had still the right to appoint its own Arbitrator and issue 15 days' clear notice to the Company to appoint theirs. In the event of the Company's failure to do so, the award given by the Corporation's Arbitrator would be binding on both the parties.

The Mayor said :—

"You appointed Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose Arbitrator and Mr. P. B. Mukherjee as one of their leading Counsels of the Corporation in that matter. The Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Law Officer are moving under the directions of Mr. Mukherjee. You, who are holding the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Law Officer as responsible in this connection, I must tell that if I am to give my honest opinion, I must hold Mr. S. C. Bose and Mr. P. B. Mukherjee responsible for the collapse of the Arbitration proceedings. If you hold anybody guilty you should hold your Arbitrator and Counsel guilty. Your lawyers must give advice to your officers and it is not that our officers should advise the lawyers.

"I have consulted Mr. Atul Gupta, Barrister-at-Law, and Mr. N. C. Chaterjee, Barrister-at-Law, in this connection and in their opinion they stated that because the two Arbitrators failed to do their duties, the agreement under which the arbitration proceedings started could not be inoperative or void. The Corporation has got still the right to appoint their Arbitrator and call upon the Tramway Company to appoint their Arbitrator and if the Company fails to appoint their own Arbitrator then the Corporation may appoint its Arbitrator as sole Arbitrator, whose award shall be binding on both parties.

Councillor J. H. Method suggested that the lawyer's opinion should be circulated to members and further consideration of the matter should be adjourned.

Thereupon the House postponed decision on the matter till Tuesday next (the 5th February) pending circulation of the Counsel's opinion amongst the members.

Tuesday, the 5th February

PURCHASE OF THE TRAMWAYS

At the meeting of the Corporation held on Tuesday, the 5th February, consideration of the report on the arbitration proceedings with regard to the Corporation's proposals to acquire the tramways undertaking was postponed until the 13th February next.

The first arbitration proceedings having failed, the Chief Executive Officer had sought legal opinion as to whether arbitration could be proceeded with afresh.

When the matter was mentioned at the meeting, Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul moved that consideration of the subject be postponed as members

had not had sufficient time to study the opinion of the lawyers, to whom the question had been referred.

Protesting against the proposal, Councillor Syed Afzal said that there should be no objection to the Corporation considering the matter straightaway. At one time the Corporation were anxious to rush through the proposal to acquire the Tramways undertaking; why should they now hold up discussion?

Councillor S. C. Ray Chaudhuri, speaking in Bengali, remarked that they had already made up their minds to refer the matter to arbitration afresh, but had not yet selected an arbitrator and so required time to come to a decision.

Councillor A. A. Wise asked for an English translation of Councillor Chaudhuri's speech, which was furnished by the Mayor.

Replying to Councillor Afzal, Councillor Paul said that they were still zealous of making an early purchase as they had been all along.

As stated, Councillor Paul's adjournment proposal was carried.

PRESS-WORKERS' STRIKE NOTICE

The fresh strike notice, given by the men in the Corporation Press, was referred to in the House.

A 14-day strike notice dated the 4th February had been submitted by the men of the Corporation Press following the Corporation's alleged failure to redress their grievances within a reasonable period. Their main demands pointed to the proper revision of grades and the same service benefits including provision for leave rules as enjoyed by the clerical and subordinate staff. They, however, expressed the hope that the Corporation would bring about an amicable settlement of the dispute without delay.

It may be here recalled that after their first strike in November last the Corporation appointed a Special Committee to consider their case.

Referring to the strike notice at the Corporation meeting, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said that the Strike Special Committee of the Corporation which was considering the matter had submitted an *ad interim* report and by the middle of February the final report would be ready. The Committee, of which he was the Chairman, was doing its best and the Committee expected to place its report in a week's time.

He complained of an attitude of non-co-operation on the part of the Press employees and said that on account of this, the Secretary's Department was experiencing considerable difficulty and he did not know whether in view of this attitude it would be possible to have the budget printed for presentation on Friday next (the 8th February). Being Press employees, they had somehow or other come to know what decisions of the Committee were on different items.

The Mayor said that it was unfair to the Corporation that the men had decided to go on strike without waiting for the Special Committee's final recommendations which were expected to be ready in a week's time.

So far as the revision of grades and the scales of pay were concerned, he assured the House that the Committee's decisions would be placed before the House by the middle of February.

The Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Saila pati Chatterji, said that he had called quite a number of the Press employees and told them that it would be unfair on their part not to wait till the Corporation had come to a decision. He had also told them that even if they went on strike, they should do their duty properly meanwhile.

Criticising the attitude of the Press-workers the Chief Executive Officer said that he had asked the men not to alienate the sympathy of the Special Committee which was doing very valuable work for them by any hasty action. He informed that he would later let the House know the men's reaction.

The Mayor remarked that it would be incorrect to suggest that the Press employees had alienated the sympathy of the Special Committee. However, they should wait until the Corporation had come to a decision.

In the course of the discussion, which followed, Councillor Mrigendra Kumar Majumdar said that the Chief Executive Officer should be authorized to take necessary steps so that the budget could be printed and presented in time.

Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha opined that the Press employees received the lowest wages, compared to other corporate bodies.

Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee remarked that they should study the reaction of the Press employees to the talk they had with the Chief Executive Officer.

The House decided to watch the Press employees' reaction to the Chief Executive Officer's advice.

CONDOLENCE

The Corporation condoled the death of Mr. David Hendry, formerly Member, Bengal Legislative Assembly, in Scotland.

Calcutta Improvement Trust

Purchasers are permitted to leave Half the Purchase Price Outstanding on Mortgage for a Period of 12 years.

Valuable Freehold Building Sites

Are available for sale by private treaty in the Belgachia area facing the Cossipore-Chitpore Open Space (Section V) in the Narkeldanga area (Scheme IIIM). The sites are eminently suitable for the erection of shops, flats, dwelling houses, etc.

In the near future plots will be available for sale in the Dhakuria Lake Area (Scheme XLVI). Entally Area (Scheme XLIX) and Howrah Bridge Approach Road—Canning Street to Strand Road (Scheme L). Intending purchasers should register their names with the Trust immediately

For rates and further information apply personally to the Chief Valuer, C. I. T., 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

J. A. PARKS,
Chairman

5, Clive Street, Calcutta,
Dated 8th December, 1945.

Middles

C. E. O.'s Budget Estimates For 1946-47

A Deficit of About Rs. 16 Lakhs Revealed

THAT the estimated expenditure on Revenue Account will exceed the estimated receipts by approximately Rs. 15,81,000, *is revealed in the Budget Estimates of the Corporation for* 1946-47 *placed before the House on Friday, the 8th February.*

Receipts during the year are estimated at Rs. 4,03,69,000 *and expenditure at Rs.* 4,19,50,000.

The deficit is proposed to be met from the opening balance which stands at Rs. 36,68,000 *on the* 1st *April,* 1946, *leaving a closing balance of Rs.* 19,87,000 *on the* 31st *March,* 1947.

[As we go to press, it has not been possible for us to publish the Budget Estimates in details, which will be included in the next issue along with the Chief Executive Officer's statement. The figures of Estimates have been going elsewhere as supplement to this issue.]

The Revised Estimates for the current year (1945-46) place the receipts at Rs. 4,56,28,000 against Rs. 3,11,24,000 and Expenditure at Rs. 4,90,30,000 against Rs. 8,06,13,000 in the Original. The Actual of Receipts and Expenditure for 1944-45 were Rs. 2,73,03,428 and Rs. 2,63,03,098 respectively.

The Chief Executive Officer proposes that the consolidated rate be levied at 19½ per cent. as at present for the first quarter and 21½ per cent. for the remaining quarters, with an additional ½ per cent. as the Howrah Bridge tax, the dog tax at Rs. 5 per dog per annum and the other taxes in accordance with the Municipal Act.

On the receipt side the consolidated rate is estimated to yield Rs. 2,29,42,000 against the revised estimate of Rs. 2,12,00,000 for 1945-46.

Receipts from other sources include :—

Contributions from Government—Rs. 56,10,200;

Loans and Advances from Governmnet—Rs. 37,86,400;

Tax on trades and professions—Rs. 15,75,000;

Receipts from markets, slaughter houses, etc.—Rs. 15,63,500; and

Sale proceeds of lands and produce of lands—Rs. 11,51,000.

On the expenditure side, establishment charges (salaries of officers and other staff) account for Rs. 74,29,760. This does not include Rs. 10,00,000 for school staff which is included in the provision under Improvement of Primary Education.

Other principle items of expenditure are :—

Dearness allowance to employees—Rs. 63,86,000;

Food concessions—Rs. 5,16,000;

Contributions to Calcutta Improvement Trust—Rs. 20,38,000;

Improvement of primary eduaction—Rs. 12,80,700;

Interest on loans—Rs. 38,14,900;

Contributions to hospitals, alms houses, etc.—Rs. 6,65,000;

Cost of motor vehicles—Rs. 5,82,000; and

Slum improveement work—Rs. 1,50,000.

A provision of Rs. 12,00,000 has been made to meet grade increments, etc. in settlement of the municipal strike in November last.

MAYOR INTERVIEWS GOVERNOR

The Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. D. N. Mukkerjee, had an interview with His Excellency the Governor of Bengal on Wednesday, the 6th February. During the interview, it is understood, the Corporation finances and administration as also the political situatoin were discussed.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

CALCUTTA HOUSE-RENT CONTROL ORDER

A Case Against Corporation

P. Mullick, of Damodar and Co., College Street Market, instituted a case against the Calcutta Corporation before Mr. A. Ahmed, Calcutta Rent Controller.

Applicant's case was that he had been carrying on business in leather goods in a shop-room in the market building since 1942, paying a monthly rent of Rs. 100 to the Calcutta Corporation. In September 1944, the Corporation demanded rent at Rs. 5-6 per day, i.e., Rs. 161 per month, and also Rs. 2,500 as *salami* for continuance of tenancy, in default, applicant to be ousted from the shop-room.

It was contended on behalf of the Corporation that the Calcutta House Rent Control Order, 1943, did not apply inasmuch as the shop-room was situated in a market place as defined in Section 3, Clause 39 of the Calcutta Municipal Act with reference to para 2, sub-para 3 of the Rent Control Order, and as regards the rate of rent, the shop-room had been let out since 1925 at the rate of Rs. 100 per month.

The Rent Controller observed that the rate of rent not having been increased from 1925 till September, 1944, it was clear that in December, 1941, i.e., the standard month of rent, the rent was Rs. 100, and regarding the applicability of the order, it was held that as the shop-room was not being used for the purpose of selling foodstuffs or live-stock, Section 3 of the Municipal Act excluded the shop-room from the definition of "market" and as such the Rent Control Order did apply.

The rent was fixed at Rs 100 with effect from September, 1944 and the demand of *salami* was declared illegal under the amended provision of the Calcutta House Rent Control Order 1943.

Mr. D. N. Coomar, Advocate, appeared for the Calcutta Corporation : Mr. Sudhansu Kumar Basu, Advocate, for the applicant



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MEMORANDUM

NATURE OF WORK : General economical decoration and protection, interior and exterior.

MATERIALS RECOMMENDED : For low cost decoration with reasonable protection the following standard products are available.

"1 Umbrella", "2 Umbrella" and "3 Umbrella" Ready Mixed Paints.

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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

NETAJI'S LIFE TO BE FILMED

The life story of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose will be the subject matter of a firm, to be produced at an estimated cost of Rs. 50 lakhs by a newly established film producing concern in Calcutta

This was announced by Mr. Nripendra Krishna Chattopadhyaya on behalf of National Theatre at a luncheon given to a number of Calcutta journalists at the Great Eastern Hotel on the 1st February last. Mr. Makhan Lal Sen presided.

The story will be divided into two parts. The first will depict Netaji Bose's activities in India and the second will deal with the formation of the Inidan National Army outside India. Every effort, it was emphasized, would be made to give realistic touches in filming the activities of the I N. A. in Singapore, Malaya and Burma and for this purpose the producers propose to send their artists to those places.

Mr. Bijay Ratna Majumdar, a well-known Bengali writer, has been commissioned to write the script. The writer would be assisted with some good technical experts to make the film a success.

BENGAL PROVINCIAL STUDENTS' CONGRESS

Resolutions noting with grave concern the progressive deterioration of the world situatoin as emerged out of the World War II, re-affirming its faith in the Congress leadership and reiterating its determination to abide by the decision of the Indian National Congress in all struggles against the British Imperialism, and expressing its helief in the 'constructive programme' as given by Mahatma Gandhi, were adopted at the annual Congerence of the Bengal Provincial Students' Congress which met for the second day at Sraddhananda Park on Sunday, the 3rd February, undor the presidentship of Mr. Bijay Singh Nahar.

The Conference also was of opinion that the students organization should not be allowed to be used as tools in the hands of different political parties and in practical politics it should always follow the lead of no other party but the Indian National Congress.

INQUIRY INTO BOMBAY DISTURBANCES URGED

Bombay Corporation's Resolution

... A demand for the institution of an independent and impartial enquiry into the recent disturbances in the city following police firings and *lathi* charge on a procession on the 23rd January last was made in a resolution adopted at a special meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation held on the 31st January. Dr. Alban De'Souza, the Mayor of Bombay, presided.

The Corporation expressed its "profound shock at the extensive use of tear smoke, *lathi* charge and the frequent firing resorted to by the authorities on the occasion of the celebrations in connection with the Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's Birthday Anniversary, resulting in severe loss of life and injuries to several innocet persons." The Corporation demanded the institution of an open, independent and impartial enquiry into the whole affair.

The Mayor was asked to forward a copy of the resolution to the Government of Bombay.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTION

A Bengal Government *Press Note* states that Mr. George Morgan, C.I.E., Mr. Francis Charles John Stuart and Mr. John Lightbody Nelson have been declared elected to the Bengal Legislative Council from the European Constituency. Haji Muhammad Yusuf, has been declared elected to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Calcutta and suburbs (Muhammadan Urban) Constituency. The two other candidates Mr. Abdul Wadud Sarker and Haji Kassim Abdulla Mohomed withdrew their nomination papers.

Mr. Bijay Singh Nahar (Congress) has been declared elected uncontested to the Bengal Legislative Council (Upper House) from Calcutta General constituency by the Chief Presidency Magistrate who acted as the Returning Officer. The other candidate Mr. Ganapati Sarkar withdrew his candidature.

BENGAL EMPLOYMENT TAX ABOLISHED

The Government of Bengal in a *Press Note* state that they have decided to abolish the Bengal Employment Tax, which is at present realized at a flat rate of Rs. 30 per head per year.

SMALL SAVINGS SCHEME

The Central Government's Small Savings scheme was primarily aimed at inculcating the habit of thrift in the backward classes of the country, said Mr. Justice C. C Biswas, President of the Bengal National Savings Committee, at a meeting of officials and non-officials in the British Indian Association Hall, Calcutta, on the 2nd February last.

A circular issued by the National Savings Central Bureau of the Government of India was discussed at the meeting. The circular stressed the necessity of forming savings groups and recruiting people to them. For this purpose it advocated the formations of Savings Committees in various localities throughout the country. The members of these committees would consist of officials and non-officials who would approach in their respective areas every person able to save, even if the amount was only four annas a month. The names and addresses of these persons would be taken and made over to Government-appointed authorized agents for the sale of National Savings Certificates.

The meeting passed a resolution welcoming the Central Government's proposals and urging the appointment of ward committees to inaugurate the scheme in Calcutta. Those present were requested to send in the names of persons willing to serve on such committees.

MR. SATYA RANJAN BAKSHI

Mr. Satya Ranjan Bakshi, now security prisoner, was re-transferred from the Medical College Hospital to the Presidency Jail on Sunday, the 3rd Jannuary.

PROF. O. C. GANGOLY IN CHINA

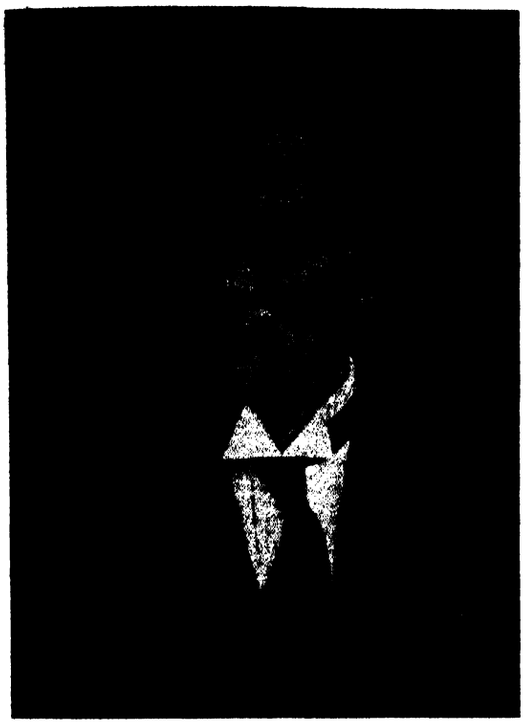
The Vice-Chancellor of Calcutta University has received the following message from the Associated Christian Universities in West China :—

"On the occasion of the departure from Chengtu (Szechuan) of Prof. O. C. Gangoly of Calcutta University, after a visit of ten days during which he delivered a series of scholarly lectures on Indian Art, we would like to express, our appreciation of the services of Prof. Gangoly in the cause of increased interest and closer co-operation between the universities of India and China. Prof. Gangoly has charmed us all by his personality and his skilful treatment of his subjeect. We hope that in the future there may be other opportunities for us to welcome Professors from Indian Universities who will continue this important work of establishing the most helpful relations between the universities of our two countries."

LATE MR. J. N. BASU

Great qualities of head and heart of the late Mr. J. N. Basu and his services to the cause of the country were recalled at a condolence meeting held on Sunday, the 3rd February, at the Baghbazar Reading Library Hall. Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, presided.

Mr. Mukherjee said that they were there to pay homage to Mr. Basu not that he was a man of rare abilities and scholarship but that in him was housed a heart overflown with the milk of human kindness—in him the distressed and needy found a real friend.



JATINDRANATH BASU

Referring to the deep regard of the late Mr. Basu for the tradition and culture of his land of birth, Mr. Mukherjee said that although Mr. Basu received Western education he was never an imitator of Western manners—he was a Bengalee out and out.

A resolution expressing deep sense of sorrow at the death of Mr. Basu and conveying sympathy to the members of the bereaved family was adopted at the meeting, all standing.

Dr. Bhupendra Nath Basu, Mr. Bhutnath Mukherjee and Mr. Amiya Kumar Guha, among others, dwelt on the manyfold virtues of the late Mr. Basu.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of Cornwallis Library, the sad death of Mr. J. N. Basu, Solicitor, was condoled on the 27th January last under the chairmanship of Mr. Manilal Srimani.

LATE MAHAMOHOPADHYAYA GANANATH SEN

The first Death Anniversary Memorial Meeting of the late Mahamohopadhyaya Gananath Sen Saraswati Vidyasagar was held on the 26th January last at Viswanath Ayruveda Mahavidyalaya at 94, Grey Street, Calcutta. Mr. Debendra Nath Mukerjee, Mayor of Calcutta, presided over the function.

Mr. Sudhir Kumar Ray Chaudhuri proposed for a Memorial in the form of statue and naming a street after him.

The Mayor spoke elaborately on the Mahamohopadhyaya and said that he represented a fusion of Eastern and Western culture, placed Ayurveda on modern basis, and strengthened it on scientific efficiency, restored it to its former glory that was lost due to foreign rule. The Mayor characterised him as an erudite scholar a pious sage, an out-and-out Indian, a profound personality inspiring love and respect and a great patriot having had contact with Deshbandhu C. R. Das and Deshapriya J. M. Sen Bupta. The President further observed that it was through the princely gifts and untiring zeal and devotion of the lamented Ayurveda Rishi that the Viswanath Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya and Arogyasala came to exist and that the best homage the countrymen could pay to his pous memory would be to maintain and expand this Mahavidyalaya by their contributions.

With a vote of thanks the meeting came to an end.

CALCUTTA FIRINGS ECHO

When asked by Mr. V. Yates (Labour) whether he would instruct the Government of India to order a public inquiry "into the shooting of unarmed students of Calcutta and other places in India" and if he would publish figures of casualties during these incidents, Mr. Henderson, Under-Secretary of State for India, replied that the Governor-General did not consider a public inquiry was called for. Lord Pethick-Lawrence, Secretary for India, accepted that view.

Mr. Henderson said: "I regret to say that altogether 57 persons have died and the number known to have been injured is about 700. The disturbances were, in all cases, dealt with by the police and the military were not called in.

"As regards Calcutta, a departmental inquiry was held and it was shown that in all but possibly one case firing was justified. That case is being further investigated.

"In no instances were the disturbances confined to students, nor did the police fire until the crowd had thrown missiles or resorted to other violent methods or until firing was necessary in defence of life or Government property."

DEDICATION CEREMONY AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

At St. John's Church, Calcutta, in the evening service on Sunday, was interpolated a dedication ceremony of a memorial given to the church by the 2nd Battalion Dorsetshire Regiment of their many comrades who fell in the South-East Asia campaign, in which the regiment added greatly to its great fame. The memorial consisted of a silver plaquelet into the buttress wall of the Lady Chapel, and a silver cross and candlesticks for the altar of the chapel; it will be completed by two vases not yet received.

ELECTION DEMONSTRATIONS

On Monday evening, the 4th February, a demonstration was staged in front of the house of Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy at 40, Theatre Road by a large number of students against the decision of the Muslim League Parliamentary Board on certain nominations.

When Mr. Suhrawardy came out of his house and confronted the demonstrators, they demanded an explanation of him as to the arbitrary nominations of some undesirables.

Mr. Suhrawardy agreed to listen to their grievances if they would send a small deputation to meet him.

Earlier, the student demonstrators stormed the Muslim League office. They broke several chairs and tables and shouted slogans.

ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY

A Rs. 16,00,000 plan for a new building for the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal was announced by Prof. M. N. Saha presiding over the annual meeting of the Society in Calcutta on Monday, the 4th February.

Stressing the need for a new building, he said that the present house was 137 years old, and according to engineers and Government chemists was unfit for keeping precious col-

lections of Sanskrit, Arabic and Persian manuscripts held by the Society in public trust. The space in it was also quite insufficient for the growing needs of the Society.

The proposed new building would serve as a Burlington House for Calcutta. It would not only accommodate the library, the office and scholars' rooms, but would afford an asylum to other learned societies in the city, springing either from the activities of the Royal Asiatic Society, or otherwise. It would also provide a commodious meeting room for all classes of members of the Society and quarters for some members of the staff. The Central and Bengal Governments had been approached for financial help.

The necessity for a new building for th eSociety was also urged by Dr. Kalidas Nag, General Secretary, in the annual report. He said that most of the rooms of the present building were damp and dark, and the books and manuscripts in the library were damaged by white ants, cockroaches, mice and other pests. The Society had to house about 100,000 books and periodicals and 40,000 manuscripts. Its own publications from 1788 to date numbered several hundred, the total value being about Rs. 10,00,000.

There were 714 ordinary and 16 institutional members in 1945.

Mr. Justice N. G. A. Edgley was elected President and Dr. Kalidas Nag was re-elected General Secretary.

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GOVERNOR AT THE UNIVERSITY

Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, had tea with the Vice-Chancellor of Calcutta University, Dr. Radha Binode Pal, at the University on Sunday afternoon, when he met a group of students of the University. Mr. Casey spent some 90 minutes with the Vice-Chancellor and students, during which he discussed with them various problems of the country—political, social and economic.

The discussions were entirely informal and the Governor was asked a number of questions to which he replied.

A pleasant time was spent, at the end of which the students said farewell to the Governor with *Jai Hind* and Mr. Casey replied with *Jai Hind*.

MR. S. N. HALDAR DEAD

The death occurred of Mr. S. N. Haldar, Barrister-at-Law, brother-in-law of Deshbandhu Chittaranjan Das, at his son's residence, P/286, Darga Road, Park Circus, on Thursday evening, the 7th February.

Mr. Haldar was a staunch nationalist and played a prominent part in the Swadeshi movement in 1905. He was prominently identified with the labour movement of those days. He appeared on behalf of the accused in a number of political cases.

He was a member of the Swarajya Party in the old Bengal Legislative Council, to which he was elected on Congress ticket in 1924 from the South Calcutta General Constituency, defeating his rival candidate the late Mr. Surendra Nath Mullick.

His father, the late Mr. Barada Nath Haldar was the Dewan of the Bijni Raj Estate. He hailed from the well-known Haldar family of Noagaon, Vikrampore Dacca. He joined the Bar in 1900.

He leaves behind his wife, Mrs. Ela Devi, three sons and a host of friends and relations to mour his loss.

DEATH OF SIR U. N. BRAHMACHARI

The death occurred in Calcutta on Wednesday, the 6th February, of Sir Upendra Nath Brahmachari, the well-known physician.

A Fellow of the Royal Society of Medicine and of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, London, Sir Upendra Nath was formerly Professor of Tropical Medicine, Carmichael Medical College, Calcutta. He was also a former President of the Indian Science Congress and of the Indian Chemical Society.

Sir Upendra Nath is best known for his discovery in 1921 of Urea Stibamine for the treatment of kala-azar.

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Sir Upendra Nath, who was 70, is survived by his widow, two sons and two daughters.

SIR SYED NASIM ALI

The Governor-General has appointed the Honourable Mr. Justice Syed Nasim Ali, Kt., a Judge of the Calcutta High Court, to perform the duties of Chief Justice to the said High Court during the absence on leave of the Honourable Sir Harold Derbyshire from the 18th February, 1946 or from such other date on which he proceeds on leave to the 29th August, 1946, says a *communique.*

POSTAL EMPLOYEEES' STRIKE THREAT

At a meeting of Calcutta Postal and R.M.S. employees, held in the Indian Association Hall it has been decided that the men should go on strike from March 11 if the Government did not revise their scales of pay in the meanwhile.

A month's notice to this effect is proposed to be given on the 9th February.

Mr. Somnath Lahiri presided over the meeting, which called upon the postal employees to wear from February 15 a "hunger badge" indicating their "starving" condition.

ASHUTOSH MUSEUM OF INDIAN ART

The Ashutosh Museum of Indian Art, Calcutta University, has recently been enriched by the addition of a bronze image of Chandrasekhara Siva. Measuring about seven inches in height, it is complete in every detail, including the matted locks of Siva decorated with the crescent moon and other emblems peculiar to the God, who stands erect.

The image, which has been collected from near Rangamati (Murshidabad), may be attributed to the 8th Century A.D. on stylistic grounds alone, according to the Curator of the Museum, Mr. E. P. Ghosh.

MR. JINNAH'S VISIT TO CALCUTTA

It is learnt that the programme of Mr. Jinnah's' Bengal visit has not yet been fixed up finally. It is, however, expected that Mr. Jinnah will arrive in Calcutta about February 17.

Nawabzada Liaquant Ali Khan, Honorary Secretary of the All-India Muslim League, is arriving in Calcutta on the 8th February.

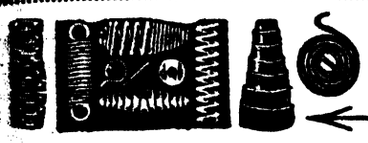
THE FIRST CASE OF PLAGUE

A Note Of Warning

The necessity for all official and non-official hospitals, Calcutta Corporation and other public bodies remaining in full staff efficiency and in a state of readiness is stressed by Dr. K. K. Sen Gupta, president of the Bengal Provincial branch of the Indian Medical Association, in view of the discovery of a genuine case of plague in the Campbell Hospital in Calcutta recently.

Urging all concerned properly to realize the gravity of the situation, Dr. Sen Gupta says that there are "susceptible rats and carrier-rat fleas galore. Climatic conditions and the squalor of the *bustees* and the devitalized condition of the people, are extremely favourable for multiplication and transmission of the highly virulent germs."

He emphasized that arrangements must be made beforehand for effecting inoculation and immediate rounding up of suspicious cases.


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CALCUTTA TRAMWAY DISPUTE

THE ADJUDICATOR'S AWARD SENT TO GOVERNMENT

The Bengal Government has received the award given by the adjudicator in the Calcutta Tramway Company dispute and it was published on the 21st January last. The award binds the Company and its employees for a period of 4 months from that date and afterwards remains in force for the duration of the Defence of India Act, except in so far as it is determined by notice in writing given by the Tramway Company or its employees not less than 20 days before the date of expiry of the four months' period.

The more important findings of the adjudicator are :—

(1) General upward revision of grade pay with a minimum basic wage of Rs. 20 per month.

(2) Traffic staff and depot cashiers to qualify for privilege leave after 280 days of work (which need not be put in within the last 12 months) instead of 288. Engineering and overhead staff not at present entitled to any privilege leave to have 14 days' privilege leave.

(3) All workers, except certain purely temporary categories, who have been in the Company's service continuously for a period of 1 year on April 1, 1946, to be made permanent. In future, the qualification for permanency to be one year's continuous service under the Company.

(4) Construction of Raja Bazar and Park Circus canteens to be completed without delay, and new canteens to be opened at Ballygunge, Kalighat, Kidderpore and Howrah. The work to be completed within 3 months of the award.

(5) The Company to recognise the Calcutta Tramway Workers' Union.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

There was an all-round improvement in Calcutta's health during the week ended February 2. Total mortality during the week was 749, a drop of 11 from the previous week's figure. Mortality figures for the corresponding two weeks last year were 1,076 and 1,073.

Small-pox attacks and deaths were two each against three and two the week before. There were 379 and 339 attacks and 284 and 254 deaths from the disease during the corresponding weeks last year.

There were 38 attacks and 13 deaths from cholera against 39 and 20 in the preceding week. During the corresponding weeks last year attacks were 28 and 16 and deaths 13 each.

Malaria took a toll of 22 lives against 35 the week before. There were 54 and 60 deaths during the corresponding weeks last year.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 134 against 115 in the previous week.

EMERGENCY HOSPITALS TO BE RETAINED

The extensive facilities for hospital treatment at present provided by the Famine Relief Emergency Hospitals in Bengal to supplement normal hospital accommodation in the province are to be continued.

During the months which followed the famine, some 23,000 emergency hospital beds were set up in Bengal. As originally intended, these beds were to be closed down on March 31, 1946, but they proved of such inestimable benefit to the sick, especially in areas which previously had no hospital accommodation, that their retention on a more permanent basis is regarded as most desirable.

At present, some 17,000 beds are actually occupied, and though the number of patients is declining, it is realised that to close down these beds would be to inflict great hardship on the people, and would retard most seriously the provinces's rehabilitation.

Government has, therefore, decided that 20,000 beds should be retained until they are replaced by permanent beds or until thanks to the recovery of the people and to improved health measures—they are no longer required.

For the present, the continuance of these 20,000 beds has been sanctioned up to three years; and though beds will be closed down when no longer needed, Government is aware of the inadequacy of hospital arrangements in the mofussil, and every care will be taken to ensure that Bengal's hospital facilities are as extensive as provincial resources allow.—*Press Note.*

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Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

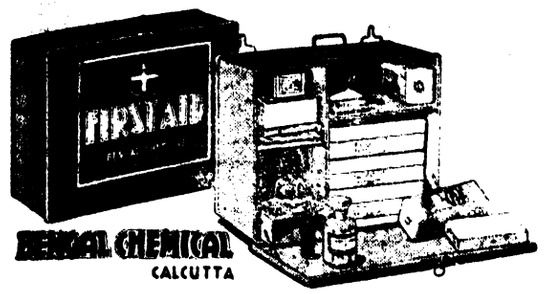
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New) ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each ...	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs ...		1 14 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 4 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	
Garlic ,, ...	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Baichi) ...	0 10 0	
Do. (Country) ...	0 8 0	
*Turnip ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot ...	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score ...	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20 ...	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ...	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Bhadwa ...	5 0 0	
Do. Sree ...	5 0 0	6 0 0
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		
Milk ,, ...		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 6 0	(Con.)
Atta White No. 1 ...		
Atta Brown per seer ...	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar ,, ...	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb. ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, (Sugarcandy) ,, ...	0 12 0 (Ration Shop)	
Suji ...	0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ...	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga ,, ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,, ...	0 6 6	
Bluli ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
,, (Sona) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,, ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) ...	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. ...	1 6 0	
Coal ,, ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. ...		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley ...		
Cobra Boot Polish ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly ...		

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET
Rates quoted on the 4th February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 8 0	4 12 0		
Saddle ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Leg per seer	4 4 0	5 0 0		
Other portion per lb —	3 12 0	4 12 0		

ARTICLES.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.				
Chops per seer ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 12 0	4 12 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 14 0	1 0 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. (In the building on the south-east of the Market)	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 8 0	4 10 0

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 10 0	4 4 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 6 0
Do (special) each ...	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 10 0	3 12 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	33 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	25 0 0	20 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
ucks per score ...	3 0 0	2 8 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0	3 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 3 0	0 5 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 2 6
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do Allahabad) ,,	0 1 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) ...	0 10 0	0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 6 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 8 0	0 9 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 12 0	0 13 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 7 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ..	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
Do. Simla ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Do. Shillong (Contd.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbus (Patal) per seer ...		
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 8 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 8 0	0 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 12 0	0 12 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Taral per seer ...		
Kankrole per seer —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Country Apples ...		
Goosebery per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,,	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score		
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 14—18 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 12—16	1 0 0	

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
am per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
napple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
ntain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
paya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
ums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
omegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
amalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
umalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
runes Fresh per lb. ...		
runes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
alasia do. ...		
ears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
eaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
ineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato—	As. 4 each	Potato.
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.	*9, 12* & 13*		
E. 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel—3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ..	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ ...	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „	4 8 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Rohi per seer .	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Butter fish per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 8 0	4 8 0
Lobster % —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 4 0	4 12 0
Mackerel —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp per seer —	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 8 0	0 8 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do, unmixed, „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
	Selling Price	Control Price
***FLOUR**		
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ..		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ..	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer ..		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ..		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
	Control Price	Selling Price
***DAL Etc.**		
Kalai per seer —		0 12 0
Arahar „ ...		0 8 0
Chola „ —		0 18 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 10 0
Khasari „ ...		0 13 0
Mung (Bhaja)		0 8 0
*Salt —		
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	5 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ..	5 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ..	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A. P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — ...	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Halud „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb ..	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. ..		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ..	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 14 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 1 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To	ARTICLES.	From	To	ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.			OILMAN'S STORES.			OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—			LIPTON'S TEA—			Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9	Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0		Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Nimki —	1 3 6	1 12 3	Red do. do. „	1 12 0		Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0		Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 3 0		Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0	TOSH'S TEA—			Isinglass per pkt. —		
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 3	3 2 9	Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0		White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Water „ —	0 14 3		Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0		Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 3 0	
Zoological Loose —			Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0		C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 3	Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0		Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...			Broken —	1 4 0		Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 3 0	
Cow & Goat Rusks ...			SPICES			King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—			Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial			C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —			Cinnamon „ „ ...			Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...			Ginger „ „ ...			Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Skimmed Milk ...			Mixed Spice „ ...			Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...			„ Herb „ ...			Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....			Sage „ „ ...			Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...			Natmeg „ „ ...			*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
			ISPAHANI'S TEA"—			*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
	Controlled Price		Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0		*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES			Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0		*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 0
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0		Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0		*Bisurated Magnesia,large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0		Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)			*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
Deresske per packet		0 4 0	Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 3 0		*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0		Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0		*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	2 0 0	LOOSE TEA			*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
„ „ (magnum)			F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0		*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb			O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0		*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Spencer's "Doretto" ...			DUST TEA			**Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator** 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0		Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0	Do. 8 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0	Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0	Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —			Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0		Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Black & White tin of 50			Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...			Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Craven A tin of 50 ...			Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...			Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
* Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0		Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0			
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0		Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —			PAINTS.		
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0		Chutneys 1 „ .	1 8 0	1 12 0	Enamel Paint English per doz.		
			Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0		Do. (India) per doz.		
			Mustard Colman per tin			Do. (Japanese) „		
			Do. (Country) ½ lb.					
			Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0				
			Pepper — —		0 14 0			
			Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0			
			Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0				
			Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0				
			Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0			
			Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0				

* Controlled Price

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Nos. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 13	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Kora)		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chinisakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dadkhani		
Deshi Boilee		
Dudhkalma		
Control (Medium)		
,, (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole)		
Gram (Dal)		0 8 0
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 6
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Moscor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,,		
Pabna ,,		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree Mark)		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo)		
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		0 5 6
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 0
Do. (white) ,,		
Suji		
Gur (Beli) (control)		0 5 6
,, Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital	0 4	0 5 0
Potato (New)	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal		
Brinjal	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khasht	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns		
Parsey		
Bagda		
Bhetki		
Crab per pair	0 2 0	0 5 0
Koi	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kaccha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Moscor Dal (Splits)	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer		6 0 0
Ranchi ,,		
Sree (Mark)		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled)	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do.	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata)		
*Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
*Atta ,,		0 5 0
*Do. B ,,		
Gur (Bheli)		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer		4 0 0
Milk		0 10 0
Cows' Head		
Condensed Milk		
Milk Maid		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer		2 0 0
Oranges 12—80	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,,		10 0 0
Dates Arab	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer		
Naspati		
Mango		
,, (Langra)		
Pomegranate per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer		
Potatoes New	0 8 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanital)	0 10 0	
Brinjal	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer	1 8 0	
Pona ,, }	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }	1 12 0	
Bagda ,,	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,,	1 12 0	
Crab (each)	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do.		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin		
Cocoa Hornby		
Coffee Poison's lb.		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb.	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do.		
Household per tin		
Jacob's Cream Crackers		
**Rice		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin.		
Pearl Barley (C. B.)		
Sago (Pearl)		
Quaker's Oats		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each		
Jam		
Jelly		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin)	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin		
Do. per bottle		
Do. ,, bulk		
Rising Sun		
Do. per bottle		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —		0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ ...		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country — —		0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	3 0 0	6 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...		
Bit per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Alubokhara per seer ..	2 8 0	
Apricot „ ...	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 0 0	
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...		
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	1 0 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul „ —		
Jolapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safata 8—16 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra —		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh ...		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Tchanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	}	6 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	6 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		8 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 4 0	
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 4 0	
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Mazafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...		2 0 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Galda —	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A.P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 8 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White)	0 8 6	Controlled shop.
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red)		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Orab each ...	0 2 6	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	—	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 3 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi ...		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, —	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsay —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Orab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 12 0	1 12 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —	1 12 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	
Cabbage ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 12 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 3 0	0 3 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 3 0
White ,, ,, —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes ,, —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz. —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree ,, —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946,

ARTICLES.	From	To
MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Beef per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,, ...	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,, ...	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,, —	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,, —	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,, ..	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,, —		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score) ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,, .	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Bilong —	1 12 0	
Lobster ...	1 12 0	
Bagda ...	1 4 0	
Bhangaur ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair ...		0 4 0
Hilsa ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer —		
Mango fish per seer —	4 0 0	6 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer. ...	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi) —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer —		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,, ...		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling) -	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower —	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,, ...		
Celery per seer ...		
Cucumber per score ...		
Ginger per seer —	0 3 0	0 10 0
Garlic —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,, ...	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,, ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital) ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,, ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle ...		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,, ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each ...	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Atubokhora per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6 ...	1 0 0	
Figs per seer ...		
Amra (Belati) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,, —		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100 —	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,, —	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,, ..		
Do. per box ...		
Goosbarry per seer ...		
Jack fruit each —		3 0 0
Khubani per see —		
Kharbuza ,, —		
Lichis per 100 —		
Lime per score ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,, —		
Oranges 8 to 16 ...	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos. —	0 3 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each —	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,, —	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins —	2 3 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple ...		
Tamarind per seer —		0 5 0
Walnut ,, —	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras) —		
Golap Khas 6—10 —		
Langra 4—8 ...		
Bombay 6—8 —		
Totapari per score ...		
Sipia —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Keshin Bhog 4—6 —		
Fazli 4—6 —		
Prnes S. W. per seer —		
Sarda per seer —		
Sugarcane each —	0 6 0	
Water Melon each —		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb. —		
Dinapur ,, ...		4 0 0
Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk —	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb. —	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb. —	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb. —	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer —		
Atta ,, —		
Sujee ,, —		
RICE.		
Patna per seer ...		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer —		
Deshi ,, —		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani) —	1 8 0	
Sugar —		
Tea per lb. —	1 4 0	1 12
Cocoanut Oil —		
Gur —	0 5 6	0 10 6
DAL,		
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —		0 8 0
Bhanga ...		0 6 0
Khasaree ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,, —	0 10 0	
Salt ,, —		0 2
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md. ...	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk ...		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined —		
Ordinary ...		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily, ...	1 4 0	

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Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
33A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
32 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

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Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
1—8		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
18	8 0 0	Do.
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7.	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do.
,, 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 46C	0 10 0	Do.
,, 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
,, 55	0 6 0	Do.
,, 56	0 6 0	Do.
Cocoanut Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
*,, 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
*,, 31	0 4 0	Do
*,, 39—40	1 0 0	Do
*,, 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (New) 8	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	30 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 52	35 0 0	
,, 53	43 0 0	
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	33 0 0	Do.
,, 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do.
,, 58		
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-130		
,, 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do
,, 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 3 0	Egg
,, * 9	0 3 0	Do
,, * 10	0 3 0	Do
,, * 18	0 3 0	Do
,, * 19	0 3 0	Do
,, * 22	0 3 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,,		
,,		
,,		
,,		
* 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 3 0 each	Do
F. R. N. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods. European Vegetable
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
N. 33	0 5 6	Do.
57	0 5 6	Do.
,, 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
*,, 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
*	0 5 0	Do
*,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range		

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables
						30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do	9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

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The Week In The Corporation

BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 1946-47

CORPORATION FACES A DEFICIT OF Rs. 51,63,000

Increase Of Consolidated Rate Suggested

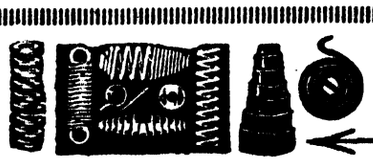
WHEN the House met on Friday, the 8th February, over a special meeting, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, informed that, in reference to his discussion with the Governor of Bengal, His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey, about the financial position of the Corporation, the House could be assured of Government assistance if only the Corporation did everything possible to save themselves from the impending crisis. As regards the various claims of the Corporation due from Government the latter's attitude was favourable to the Municipality.

The financial position of the Corporation was such that the deficit could not be met from the receipts.

According to the Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, the Mayor said that the Corporation were faced with a deficit of Rs. 51,63,000.

Presenting the Budget Estimates for 1946-47 *the Chief Executive Officer said that a scrutiny of figures both on the receipts and expenditure sides showed that the Corporation were faced with a deficit of Rs.* 31,63,000. *For the last few years it had not been possible for the Corporation to maintain their closing balance at Rs.* 40,00,000, *the minimum decided upon in* 1935. *The administration would be unworkable without a minimum closing balance of at least Rs.* 20,00,000. *To bring about this position at the time of passing the budget, the deficit of Rs.* 31,63,000 *plus Rs.* 20,00,000, *namely Rs.* 51,63,000 *in all would have to be accounted for.*

This deficit could not be met from their present income. He suggested an increase of 2 *per cent. in the consolidated rate and expected to raise about Rs.* 15,00,000 *by that means. He was also counting on Government help in the shape of ways and means advance to the extent of Rs.* 37,00,000. *If they could get these amounts, their budget might yet somehow be balanced.*


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The Mayor told the House :—

"I may tell you that Government have assured me that if the Corporation do their part, namely, help themselves as much as they can, Government will also co-operate and give their help as far as possible. I will tell you later on, in details, about the different claims that Corporation are making on Government and also whether Government are prepared to write off our claims on Government against their dues from Corporation."

Continuing he said :—

"All these things came in during the discussion with the Governor and the reply of the Government has been very favourable, provided we play our part to save the Corporation from the financial crisis. If you do your part, the Governor has assured me that Government would come to the help of the Corporation."

Councillor Provansu Kumar Sett asked :—

"Are we to take it that Government insists on increasing the consolidated rate by 2 per cent.?"

The Mayor replied :—

"I have said what I had to say now. I will tell you all in details later on."

The Chief Executive Officer then presented the Budget.

How To Meet The Deficit?—C. E. O. Explains

To meet this deficit, the Chief Executive Officer suggested an increase of 2 per cent. in the consolidated rate which now stood at 19½ per cent. Such an increase in the rate taking collection at 90 per cent., he said could produce an additional revenue of Rs. 19,68,000 in a full year. But taking into account the probable cost of working out details, a net sum of about Rs. 14,50,000 could be obtained from such increased taxation. Further, Government should be approached for a ways and means advance of Rs. 37,00,000 during 1946-47.

If the Corporation had to carry on their administration, permanent additional sources of revenue must be found and Government should take steps to make such additional revenues available to the Municipality. But as schemes for the provision of additional revenues would necessarily take some time to mature, he had already requested Government to advance Rs. 37,00,000 to the Corporation. This figure he had included on the receipt side, to present a workable budget.

In this connection the Chief Executive Officer mentioned the efforts made by the Corporation year after year to induce Government to take necessary steps to provide the Municipality with some additional sources of revenue. The Corporation, he said, should press their claim on the Government for suitable legislation to enable the Corporation to impose certain new taxes, and a share of some of the existing taxes, such as the Amusement tax, the Electricity tax and the Sales tax.

Explaining briefly some of the important features of the budget, the Chief Executive Officer said that in spite of the impending financial collapse, he had provided for new works to the extent of Rs. 5,51,000, including Rs. 4,00,000 to put Calcutta roads in order. About Rs. 14,00,000 had been allotted to meet 20 per cent. of the dearness concessions which, according to Government's decision, had to be borne by the Corporation. A further provision of Rs. 12,00,000 had been made for additional emoluments to Corporation employees on the basis of the recommendations of the Strike Settlement Special Committee.

To meet the liability under the new Slum Improvement Act, Rs. 1,50,000 had been provided.

With the removal of lighting restrictions, the demand for restoration of normal lighting had become insistent, and accordingly a provision of Rs. 8,34,000 had been made in the budget against Rs. 2,22,000 in the current year. The budget also provided Rs. 2,52,000 for the purchase of different types of motor vehicles including 15 conservancy lorries and 4 ambulance cars.

For want of funds, no action could be taken on some of the Government directives requiring heavy outlay. Provision had, however, been made for putting up a cold storage room, remodelling of the animal vaccine depot, clearing of surface drains in Manicktolla and Cossipore, etc., and in respect of several other directives.

As regards receipts, the outstanding rate bills, specially in the Law Department, had been a matter of great concern to the Corporation for the last few years. In this connection a Committee was appointed to increase the Municipal revenue. The Committee, which was empowered to compromise outstanding claims at a discount not exceeding 10 per cent., had failed to secure the co-operation of defaulting ratepayers, with the result that collection in the Law Department remained at the normal level. He suggested that the question of sale of unrealized bills at a discount should now be considered and the Advocate-General's opinion sought in the matter.

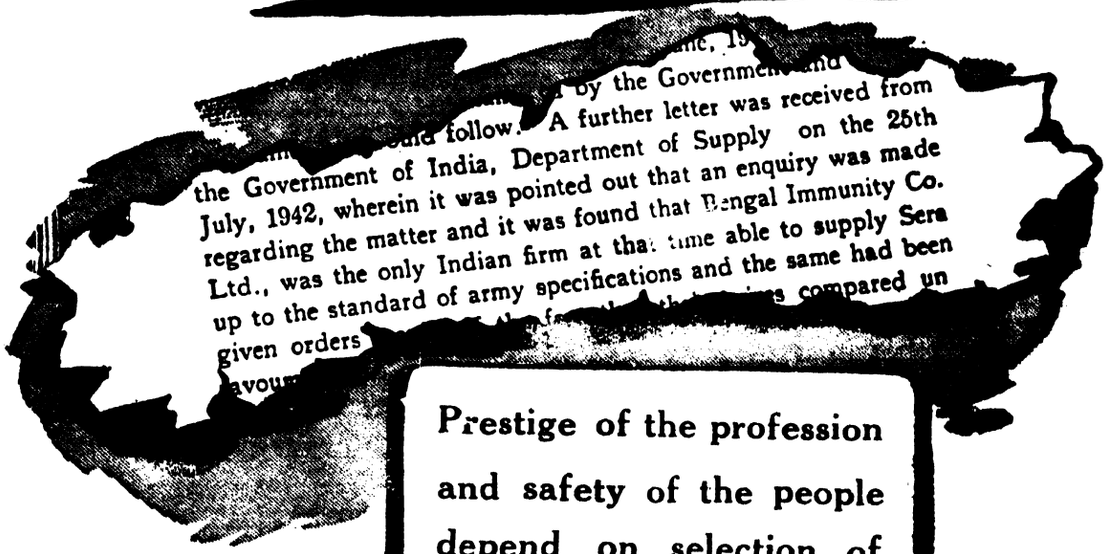
Mr. Chatterji referred to the negotiations between the Corporation and the Government of India on the question of contribution from the Centre for the repair of city roads damaged by military traffic. The Government had now asked the Corporation to draw up and send to them a comprehensive road-repairing programme.

The Corporation appointed a Special Committee of 21 members to consider the Budget Estimates.

CONDOLENCES

References were made in the House to the deaths of Sir U. N. Brahmachari, the well-known physician; Mr. S. N. Haldar, a Barrister-at-law and former member of the Corporation, and Mr. Ranjan Sen, a prominent business man.

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MC/3223/18CS/T. D/15-6-45.	1/2" Rounds. Ton. 1-17-0- 4. 11-17-2-21.	B.94273	30.6	27.0	.028	.042	Satisfactory
CS/45/74/P.18CS /2119/ D/24-8-45.		B.94273	30.6	27.0	.028	.042	Satisfactory
MC/2886/18CS/T. D/28-8-45.	7/8" Sqr. Ton. 2-9-3- 4.	B.94280	31.6	29.0	.037	.033	Satisfactory
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DISTURBANCES IN CALCUTTA

Demonstrations : Lathi Charges :

People's Protest Against The Sentence Passed on Capt. Rashid Ali

WHEN the procession taken out to protest against the sentence passed on Capt. Abdur Rashid Khan of the Azad Hind Fauz and to demand the release of all political prisoners attempted to proceed through Dalhousie Square it was dispersed by the police with lathi charge on Monday, the 11th February, once shortly after midday and the second time in the afternoon, resulting in injuries to 20 students.

As the news of the lathi charge passed round with lightning rapidity throughout Calcutta, indignant protest demonstrations were staged in various places in Central and North Calcutta. Group meetings were held on the streets and the entire tram and bus traffic were at a standstill.

Gradually, towards the night the disturbances centered round Chittaranjan Avenue, where military trucks were intercepted and set ablaze.

The police opened fire on mobs on three occasions in different parts of Calcutta. One man was killed and ten persons injured by bullet and gun shots. Tear gas was also used for the first time in many years and lathi charges were made

Between 17 and 20 persons, including boys below 10 years, were killed and about two hundred mostly by bullets and gun shots were wounded in the disturbances that lasted from daybreak till mid-night on Tuesday, the 12th February.

Towards the evening military assistance was requisitioned. The police opened fire on 14 occasions. Repeated attempts were made to disperse the mobs by use of tear gas and by lathi charges.

The city's life was completely paralyzed. Public transport services were brought to a standstill. Complete *Hartal* was observed in the city. Both Hindus and Muslims joined in the demonstrations throughout the city.

Kalighat Post Office was looted; Kalighat tram depot was attacked and 10 trams were destroyed by fire; European shops were stoned, pedestrians assualted, and military-type vehicles and civilian cars stopped and burnt by rioters.

Twelve persons were killed and nearly 200 others injured as a result of military and police firings and *lathi* charges in course of incidents in several parts of Calcutta on Wednesday, the 13th February.

Despite the presence of military patrols in the streets an attack was made on the 67-year-old Dharamtolla Street Methodist Church. which the rioters entered and set fire to. A raid on the office of the North District Deputy Commissioner of Police on Upper Circular Road, the burning of Colootola Post Office in the University Buildings, destruction of lorries and private cars, looting of shops, attacks on pedestrians and barricading of important city roads were carried out.

An order under Section 144 was promulgated in Calcutta banning public meetings and processions and Government issued a warning that any person obstructing or barricading public roads were liable to be fired upon by police or military.

After a lull of about two hours in the morning, trouble started afresh in several localities. Vehicles passing along the road were stoned, road-blocks erected, overhead tramway and telephone wires cut and brickbats were hurled at mobile military and police squads who patrolled the streets.

Fire was opened by the military and police nearly two dozen times to disperse large crowds of people, who collected on the roads in different parts of the city. Tear gas was also used many times to disperse the crowd.

The situation worsened after nightfall when fire was set to two military lorries near Jagu Babu's Bazar in Bhowanipore, to a church on

Dharamtola Street, to a postal van near College Street-Bowbazar Street crossing. The Fire Brigade attended repeated calls.

Disturbances spread to Greater Calcutta area. Mill and factory workers struck work in a number of places in Howrah and Hooghly district areas and trains were held up on E. I. R. and B. & A. R. by crowds standing on the railway tracks.

Vital public services remained paralyzed throughout the day. None of the city's transport services was able to function. Over 5,000 telegrams for Calcutta residents and business houses could not be delivered. The city's telephone exchanges worked throughout the day with skeleton staffs. As many as 80 per cent. of the operators failed to report for duty.

A large percentage of the Municipal conservancy staff was unable to come to work. As a result, garbage dumps at street-corners were mounting, menacing the city's health. Street gas-lamps in many places were unlit.

The riot situation in the city of Calcutta showed a marked improvement on Thursday, the 14th February. There were a few incidents on that day. Two military lorries were reported to have been burnt in the vicinity of Sir Ashutosh Mukherjee Road at about 10 a.m. and a few shots were fired. The Fire Brigade put the fire out. *Lathi* charges were made on crowds at the junction of Baitakhana Road and Harrison Road. In the evening there occurred a clash and some firing at Manicktolla.

The death-roll in Calcutta firings mounted to 44, with 9 of the injured persons having expired in hospital on Thursday.

The trouble had already spread to Greater Calcutta area, and attempts were made again to hold up trains by people lying on railway tracks.

At Naihati, where 3 people were killed as a result of military firing on the previous day, nearly 60,000 mill and factory workers struck work on Thursday. An order under Section 144 was promulgated in Barrackpore Subdivision.

One person was killed and 8 other injured when a party of troops opened fire on a crowd of factory and mill workers in front of the Indian Air Survey Office in Dum Dum Cantonment in the morning.

"Peace brigades" went into the troublous parts of the city, pleading with the rioters to remain calm and peaceful.

There was no examination for the I.A. and I.Sc. students at the Calcutta and Bhowanipore Centres both on Wednesday and Thursday, the 13th and the 14th February.

BENGAL GOVERNOR'S BROADCAST

His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey, broadcasting from Calcutta Station of All-India Radio on Tuesday night said that 'mob violence must be ended and ended speedily". He also said :—

> "The situation is such that I have asked the army to come to the assistance of the civil power in order that order may be restored in Calcutta as quickly as possible. Peaceful citizens should keep to their houses.
>
> Keep off the streets and keep out of trouble."

Formations of military started operating in Calcutta about 8 p.m. on Tuesday.

Regretting the incidents that had taken place in Calcutta, Moulana Abul Kalam Azad, the Congress President, appealed to all the citizens to try their best to stop the spread of hooliganism in the city.

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose and Mr. S. M. Ghosh, President, Bengal Provincial Congress Committee, in a joint statement said :—

> "It is the duty of every one of us to prevent a recurrence of molestation of innocent passers-by and damage to property."

Khwaja Sir Nazimuddin and Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy issued a statement :—

> "We entreat everyone to preserve the peace and keep calm. To those of our brethren, Muslims and Hindus, who have been injured, we extend our heartfelt sympathy."

A Government *Press Note* announced a ban on processions and warned people against interfering with traffic. It stated :—

> "Government have decided that, in view of the fact that free and safe movement for all on the public roads has not yet been re-established, meetings and processions and assemblies for whatever purpose must, for the time being, be prohibited. Orders to this effect are being issued and will come into force at once."

Calcutta's disturbed areas were patrolled by the military and the police throughout the day and night.

Members of the Indian National Ambulance Corps, the Friends' Service Unit and Indian Red Cross Society, Bengal, cruised round the city in cars

and vans, picking up the injured from the streets and removing them to hospital.

Mr. Sarat C. Bose said on Wednesday in the course of a statement that handing over the city to the armed forces had only aggravated matters. The Governor had been unwise in not consulting the leaders of public opinion, especially the President of the Indian National Congress, who was then in Calcutta. Mr. Bose said that unless the armed pickets were withdrawn forthwith the situation might become uncontrollable. He appealed to all to maintain peace and order in spite of gravest provocation.

Due to lack of a quorum the meeting of Calcutta Corporation due on Wednesday was not held.

In reply to a question of East Winterlow (Conservative) about the riots in Calcutta in the House of Commons, Mr. Arthur Henderson, Under Secretary for India, said that the disturbances reached a pitch at which is was impossible to restore and maintain order with available civil resources. Governor accordingly authorised the importation of strong military forces.

He would make a fuller statement when he had received further report.

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As a mark of protest against the sentence passed on Capt. Abdur Rashid of the I. N. A., all Muslim shops in Delhi were closed on the 11th February.

In spite of a ban, a procession was taken out in the city. Dr. Abdul Ghani Qureshi, a member of the Delhi Provincial Muslim League Committee, and three others were arrested.

Muslims of Bombay observed *hartal* on the 12th February as a mark of protest against the sentence of seven years' imprisonment passed on Mr. Abdur Rashid, of the I. N. A., and to urge his release.

As a protest against the police firing in Calcutta the students of the Sind Madrassah Muslim College did not attend classes on the 12th. They held a meeting at which a resolution was passed demanding the release of Mr. Rashid, of the I. N. A.

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Death of Sir U. N. Brahmachari

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The death occurred in Calcutta on the 6th February last of Dr. Sir Upendra Nath Brahmachari, whose discovery of a specific for Kala-azar made him famous throughout the world. He was a former President of the Indian Science Congress.

Sir Upendra Nath, who was 70, had been in ill health for sometime past but the death was sudden due to heart failure.

He is survived by his wife, two sons—Dr. Phanindra Nath Brahmachari and Mr. Nirmal Kumar Brahmachari—and two daughters.

The funeral took place at Nimtolla Burning Ghat and was largely attended.

A SKETCH OF HIS CAREER IN LIFE.

SIR U. N. Brahmachari, M.A., M.D., Ph.D., F.R.A.S., B.F.N.I. was a well-known figure in the medical world of India. His rise in his profession was almost meteoric and within a few years the discovery of a specific for Kala-azar made him famous throughout the world. It is not often that such a career of usefulness is ever vouchsafed to men. He was a renowned man not only in his profession but also in other fields of activity.

He was born on June 7, 1875, in Jamalpur, a station on the E. I. R. line. His father Dr. Nilmony Brahmachari was a well-known medical practitioner of the place with an extensive practice.

His Education.

Young Brahmachari was educated at the Hooghly College. Later he joined the Presidency College in Calcutta. He took his B. A. degree with honours in mathematics. He passed his M.A. examination in the first class group and chemistry was his subject. He joined the Medical College of Calcutta and duly received there the degrees of M.B. and M.D. He also got Ph.D. in physiology. He won the Coates Medal, and Griffith Memorial Prize. He was further a Minto Medalist of the Calcutta School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene.

He went to Dacca as a teacher in the Dacca Medical School. Within a short time he picked up a wide practice. But the possibilities in a far-off district town were very limited. He soon came back to Calcutta and joined the Campbell Medical School where he served from 1905 to 1923. Having come to a bigger field of activity, Dr. Brahmachari found scope for his undoubted genius. He was soon in touch with the various cultural societies of the city. The Asiatic Society of Bengal, the foremost association of India, was his favourite resort to further research work in various fields. He got the Sir William Jones Medal of this institution.

His Discovery

Dr. Brahmachari created sufficient reputation for himself to get himself selected as research worker under Indian Research Fund Association. He continued as such for nearly six years, 1920 to 1926. His work brought him an ample reward. He was now known throughout the world as the discoverer of a specific for that serious ailment, Kala-azar. He discovered the famous "Urea Stibamine" an organic antimonial—a powerful medicine for this disease. Millions were benefited by it. It brought him huge fortune and fame. It may be said of him that he awoke one morn to find himself the richest medical practitioner in the whole of India.

But this fame and fortune never brought stagnation in his activities. He acted as a physician to Calcutta Medical College from 1923 to 1927. This was not only a high distinction, but an opportunity to medical practitioners of the premier city of India for real work.

Dr. Brahmachari accepted the professorship of Tropical Medicine in the Carmichael Medical College at Belgachia when it was started and also was appointed an honorary Professor of Bio-chemistry by the University of Calcutta.

His Connections

Sir Upendra Nath, unlike others of his profession, never forgot his early connections with the learned societies of the city. He had also connections with several international societies. He was elected President of the International Association of Microbiologists, a society started for the furtherance of a remarkable study. He was elected a fellow of the Royal Society of Medicine, London, and also a fellow of the Royal Society of Trophical Medicine and Hygiene, London.

He was Vice-President of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal and became the President of this Society in the year 1928-29. This implied not merely study and original work, but a recognition of his undoubted powers to continue research work and attending success in the same field. Only genuine workers with some international repute could hope to become its President. He also acted as its Secretary for some time.

In the field of pure scientific research also, Dr. Brahmachari held several important positions. He was a member of the court of Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, a leading society of India in the domain of scientific research. He was a Vice-President of the National Institute of Science in India. He was elected President of the Medical and Veterinary section of the Indian Science Congress. This was a high compliment paid to a member of the healing profession. Again in the Jubilee Session of this Congress held in the year 1938, he presided over the Medical Section. In view of the fact that this was really an international session, the selection of Dr. Brahmachari proved his great position in the line chalked out by him as his particular concern.

There were other societies which honoured him in various ways. He was the Vice-President of the Physiological Society of India and there were other societies too which claimed him either as patron or

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leader. In the sphere of education, his assistance was counted as an important factor. He was elected a fellow of the Calcutta University. As a fellow, he did useful work on behalf of this great body of which he was an ornament.

His Authorship

He was the author of several works. His "Studies in Haemolysis" is an important contribution to Science.

In Dr. Karl Mense's famous "Handbook of Tropical Medicine" he writes in a masterly way on Kala-azar. His treatise on Kala-azar which is a masterpiece in its line, his articles on "Chemotheraphy of Organic Antimonial" "Chemotheraphy of Quinoline Compounds" and other topics are illuminating in their brilliant exposition.

The Syndicate of the Calcutta University at its meeting on 8th February last adopted the following condolence resolution on the death of Sir U. N. Brahmachari:

"The Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the University place on record their profound grief and sense of loss at the sad and sudden demise of Sir Upendra Nath Brahmachari, which took place on the 6th February, 1946. Eminent Physician and Scientist, who had been connected with the University for the past forty years, as an Ordinary Fellow, as a Member of the Syndicate, as Dean of the Faculties of Science and Medicine and in various other capacities, he had rendered unique services to the cause of education in this country. A discoverer of the famous drug "Urea Stibamine', he will rank as one of the great benefactors of humanity, who has helped to save lives of millions of his fellowmen."

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,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
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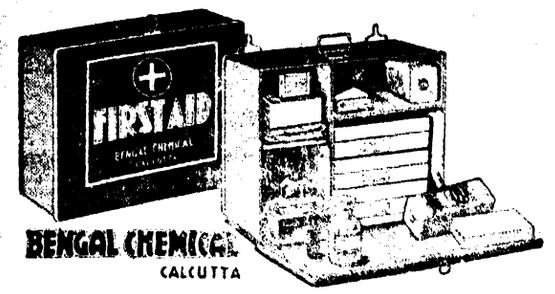
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6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

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Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
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Brinjal "	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 [illegible] 0	0 10 0
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Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	
Garlic "	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Beuchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
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*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

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Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—8	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras "		
Ghee Lakhee	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	
Do. Sree	5 0 0	6 0 0
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Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
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DAL.		
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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET

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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin „ —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted „ —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump „ —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (s)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Hind-quarter „ ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0		

MUTTON.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Chops per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Breast „ ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 8 0	4 8 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart „ ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver „ ...	1 12 0	2 4		
Brain „ ...	0 4 0	0 6		
Tongue „ ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters „ ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee „ —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive „ ...		
China Grass White per packet small ...		
Do. large per „ ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 6 0	4 10 0

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ARTICLES	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 10 0	4 4 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 6 0
Do (special) each ...	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 10 0	3 12 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	20 0 0	25 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) ...	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Portridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,		
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 8 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 4 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 12 0	0 13 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 7 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 1 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	3 4 0	3 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 12 0
Khurbanee ,,	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 10 0	0 14 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 10 0	0 14 0

Do. Simla ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 8 0	0 9 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (New) Small	0 5 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round)	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Do. Shillong (Contd.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbul (Patal) per seer ..		
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 8 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tomato per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 12 0	0 12 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 10 0	0 14 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 8 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundl	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tarai per seer —		
Kankrole per seer —		

Do. (large) per lb		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 10 0	1 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ,,		
Do. Green per score		
Do. Golapkhash —		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. —		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 12—16	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 16—18	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Calasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..		
Rose Apple per score —		
Sofata 10—16 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score —		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each —		
Do. Kabul —	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer —		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. pecket ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cak- Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ..		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ..	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ..	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „	4 8 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) ..	2 0 0	2 4 0
Rohi per seer .	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer .	1 4 0	1 8 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Mullet per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Butter fish per seer	3 8 0	4 8 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)		
Do. (Bagda) per seer ..	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. (Large) —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Lobster —	2 0 0	2 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other fish ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	4 4 0	4 12 0
Do. (fillet) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Mackerel —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Shrimp per seer —	2 4 0	2 8 0
Ladies finger ...		
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddern (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. Do. Jumaica „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „		
Wheat „		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ..		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer ..		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL, Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ..		0 12 0
Chola „ ..		0 8 0
Khari Masoor „ .		0 18 0
Khasari „ ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja)		0 12 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ..		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches:—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot .—	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ..		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Halud „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab .. }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb ..	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb —	1 14 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 1 lb. tin ...		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem ..		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie —		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd*.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 3
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 3	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 3	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 3	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot...		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 5 ...	0 2 0	
Deresske per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pkt. (magnum)	0 6	2 0 0
„ „		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ ...		
Chutneys 1 „	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 16 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott.		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ...		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 3 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-2 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Redgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 8 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	1 12 0	
*Sherman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 2 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Sloan's Liniment ...	2 11 0	
*Kruschen Salt ...		
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	12 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Ward. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 14	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits Stall 1	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 8 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do. ...		
Dudkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...		1 8 0
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khesari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		
Jessore ,,		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 1 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 0
Do. (white) ,, ...		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 1 6
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital ...	0 4	0 5
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas ...	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton		
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other ...		
Hilsa ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns ...		
Parsey ...		
Bagda ...		
Bhetki ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Sphta) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 5 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) ...		0 6 0
*Atta ...		0 5 0
*Do. B ...		
*Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 1 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer .	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—80 ...	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		10 0 0
Dates Arab ...	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati ...		
Mango ...		
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...		
Potatoes New ...	0 8 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanital) ...	0 10 0	
Brinjal ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger —		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer —	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	
Pona ,, }	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut-pieces) ,, }	1 12 0	
Bagda ,, —	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	1 12 0	
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Horuby ...		
Coffee Folson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Cracker —		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats —		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each —		
Jam * ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) .	0 5 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun —		
Do. per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th February, 1946

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ..	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ ...		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country ... —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari) Patal Murshidabad per seer —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ..	0 6 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ ...	0 1 0	0 2 0
Green Mangoes each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Ait per seer —		
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bubokhara per seer ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „ ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ..		
Jamrul „ ...		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Seore ..		
Shunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safata 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra —		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Bimsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—1 —	1 0 0	
Do Nagpur 1 —12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches ..		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Mazafferpur ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda ...	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A.P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ..	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 8 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ..	0 8 0	Centre filled abor.
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ...		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 8 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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The largest quarry owners in the Mirzapore District
Supply Mirzapore and Chunar Stones of every description

PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 13 0	2 4 0
Silong ...		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish ...	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	...	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	...	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer ...		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 5 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score ...		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 ...		
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi ...		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	2 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 3 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ...	0 3 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Bluli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. —		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, —	2 3 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 3 0	2 0 0
Silong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Veal —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 13 0	1 12 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —	1 10 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	
Cabbage ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score —	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,, —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes ,, —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree ,, —	4 3 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 3 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Bfuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 3 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946,

ARTICLES.	From	To
MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Rona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Sflong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Sagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Atubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 8 0	
Papaya each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Pineapple ,,	0 3 0	0 3 0
Plums per score	0 4 0	0 12 0
Raisins	0 3 0	0 6 0
Roseberry per score	2 8 0	3 0 0
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 8	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
33A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 6 0 ,,		Stall No. 38	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
37	0 5 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	8 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
,, 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do.
,, 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
39C	0 10 0	Do.
46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
K. 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
,, 55	0 6 0	Do.
,, 56	0 6 0	Do.
Coconut		
Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut.
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
*,, 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
*,, 31	0 4 0	Do
*,, 39—40	1 0 0	Do
*,, 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (New) 8	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	30 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 32	35 0 0	
,, 58	43 0 0	
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	33 0 0	Do.
,, 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do
,, 58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-130		
,, 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 227-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
,, 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, * 9	0 8 0	Do
,, * 10	0 8 0	Do
,, * 18	0 8 0	Do
,, * 19	0 8 0	Do
,, * 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,,		
,,		
,,		
,,		
* 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42 each	0 8 0	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable
,, 57	0 5 6	Do
,, 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet		Suet
*,, 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
*	0 5 0	Do
*,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range ,, 2	0 8 0	Betel

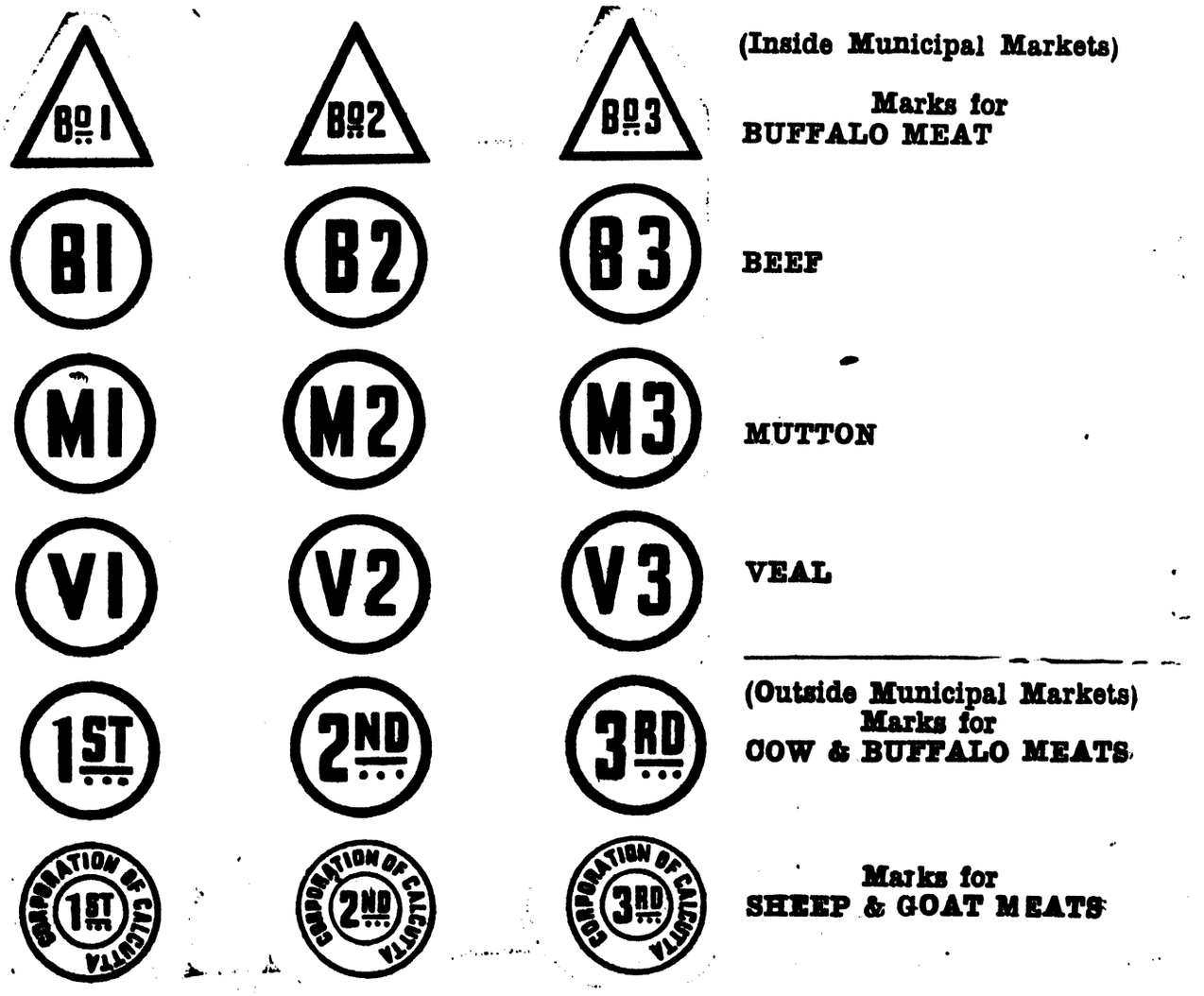
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ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in this Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.	30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 5	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

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Chronicle & Comment

Karachi's Deficit Budget

The first peace-time budget of Karachi Municipal Corporation shows a deficit of Rs. 5,72,000 in 1946-47. The estimate of revenue is Rs. 76,40,000 and that of expenditure Rs. 82,12,000.

The Corporation budgetted Rs. 49,98,000 on capital works including the water works and the drainage schemes. It proposes to raise loans amounting to Rs. 80 lakhs to finance these schemes. Besides a post-war development programme for the development of the city estimated to cost Rs. two crores has been prepared.

The Chief Officer, Mr. T. J. Bhojwani, in his note sounding a warning against any increase in expenditure urges the Councillors to proceed with utmost caution during the coming year when, he says the Corporation would be placed in "extremely grave financial positions."

Bombay Corporation and Victory Day.

The Bombay Municipal Corporation in a letter addressed to the Government of Bombay had expressed its "inability to arrange for the distribution of sweets on account of victory day."

This has been made known in a Press Note recently issued by the Government of Bombay which says:

> "It was intended to distribute sweets to children in all primary schools in the Province on the Victory holiday, December 24, 1945. The Bombay Municipal Corporation was requested to make arrangements for the primary schools under its control. The expenditure, limited to eight annas for each child, was to be borne by the Government. The Corporation informed the Government that as all the Municipal schools would be closed on December 24, for the Christmas Holidays, it was unable to distribute sweets. The Corporation was, then, requested to arrange for the distribution on the first working day of the New Year. The Corporation replied on January 17, expressing inability to arrange for the distribution of sweets on account of Victory. The Government desired to provide sweets to the children in Municipal schools in Bombay City, together with other parts of the province, but owing to the attitude of the Bombay Municipality this could not be done."

The Week In The Corporation

MONDAY: THE 18TH FEBRUARY

Police Firings In Calcutta Condemned

Corporation Records Its Protest

The Corporation of Calcutta at its meeting on Monday, the 18th February, condemned the recent police firings on the citizens of Calcutta and adjourned its meeting as a mark of protest till Wednesday next.

The Corporation also placed on record their deep sense of sorrow at the loss of so many lives and conveyed their sympathy to the members of the bereaved families.

It was urged that the Mayor should institute a public inquiry to expose the vagaries of the authorities.

In the course of his speech Councillor S. M. Usman said that he would like to remind the British Government that the time was gone when the people would submit tamely through the fear of machine guns. His countrymen, both Hindus and Muslims, had joined hands and the speaker haa seen how in spite of repeated firings and hundreds getting wounded they stood and faced bullets.

According to him, the tension had eased not because of military action but because leaders had gone about asking people to keep the peace. What had happened was not according to any plan. "I again warn the British Government," he said, "that they should see the writings on the wall. If the same things are repeated, not only this city, not only this province, but the whole of the country will be in turmoil."

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, expressed that in every city there had been outlaws and hooligans. But who was responsible for the trouble. Heavens would not have fallen if the peaceful procession was allowed to pass. British Imperialism would not have been collapsed. It was the police who created the trouble by firing upon the innocent citizens. He held the police, the agents of the British Imperialism, were responsible for creating trouble. During the Netaji's Birthday the Police did not interfere in Calcutta and nothing happened. At Bombay police interfered and created trouble. The Government of Bengal should take a lesson out of it. The Government and the British Raj ought to remember that the time had come when men and women were inspired with the burning desire of emancipation of their motherland. Unless there was complete transfer of power to the Indians there was bound to be disturbances and there would be damages to properties. They could not prevent that.

"ANARCHY WAS NOT ON THE PART OF THE PEOPLE BUT OF THE GOVERNMENT ITSELF"

COUNCILLOR P. S. BASU

Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Basu, who moved the adjournment of the House as a protest against the wanton police and military firings on citizens said that as representatives of the citizens it was their duty to voice their indignation at the uncalled-for action of the police and the military which caused loss of many valuable lives.

The public demand for an impartial inquiry in connection with the disturbances last November had not been met by the Government. Councillor Basu doubted if the Government would hold any inquiry in regard to the present disturbances. But they could not sleep over it and he requested the Mayor to form an influential committee so that the vagaries of the police and the military might be exposed and the liberty of the citizens safeguarded.

COUNCILLOR S. C. RAY CHAUDHURI

In seconding, Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri said that the British Government pretended that they were prepared to offer something to the Indians. But their actions in this country were just the different.

The sort of atrocities that had been perpetrated in the city of Calcutta recently and in November last should not be tolerated any longer. The procession, organised in protest against the sentence on Capt. Abdur Rashid, that started on the first day of the incidents was admittedly peaceful. What happened after the police had made a lathi charge on the peaceful student processionists was due to the unwarranted action on the part of the authorities.

If so many valuable lives were lost in such a way and within such a short space of time, he thought that they were not living a civilized life. There had been complete anarchy during the last few days. But that anarchy was not on the part of the people but on the part of the Government itself.

Councillor Ray Choudhuri said that it was high time that the Mayor should lead them in this matter so that the oppressors of people could not only be taught a lesson but these atrocities were

stopped. These atrocities had passed all limits of toleration and not a single citizen considered his life and property to be safe.

It was the Government who was responsible for these atrocities and not the people. The Mayor should rise equal to the occasion and do something to put a stop to these atrocities otherwise they would be faced with another crisis within a short space of time.

COUNCILLOR B. N. ROY CHOWDHURY

Expressing his sorrow for those who had lost their lives during the disturbances in the city, Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury said that he must say in the interest of truth that the responsibility for lawlessness and violence lay to a great extent on certain persons, who had indulged in acts of violence against the wishes of their leaders. Mahatma Gandhi, Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose and others.

He did not believe that the educated young men of their country were responsible for violence. But certainly there were reactionary elements, who had taken advantage of the situation for which there had been bloodshed, for which innocent lives had been lost.

COUNCILLOR H. K. GANGULI

Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli said that Councillor Roy Chowdhury laid the responsibility to a greater extent on the hooligans than the police. It was the Police Raj that was responsible for the lawlessness in the city and also for unnecessary bloodshed. The Governor, Mr. Casey, perhaps thought that he would be doing proper justice by setting armed forces against unarmed public.

COUNCILLOR M. M. BARMAN

Councillor Madan Mohan Barman said that during the days of disturbances when about 200 Oriyas were proceeding along Harrison Road after crossing Chittaranjan Avenue an armed Gurkha, or perhaps Bhutanese used tear gas with the result that four of the Oriyas fell unconscious. The marksmanship was so perfect that tear gas shells fell upon his own house on Harrison Road, and on Marwari Hindu Hospital, although there was no disturbance in that area.

He also referred to the tragic circumstances in which a Marwari boy and a girl on the third storey of a house on Jagannath Ghat Road had been killed in military firing.

COUNCILLOR S. M. USMAN

Giving a graphic description to the incident that led to the worsening of the situation Councillor S. M. Usman, who was all along with the procession at Clive Street and also with the procession that passed round Dalhousie Square, said that once more the atrocities of the British Raj had proved to the hilt that they, Indians, were slaves and they were treated not as human-beings but as cats and dogs. The police was determined to create trouble. They knew that the Muslim League, and the Congress were not going to create trouble. The processionists were peaceful all through. The provocation came from the British Government and their agents, the police. Two lakhs of Hindus and Muslims paraded Dalhousie Square and there was not the slightest provocation. It was the police, who unnecessarily opened tear gas firing near Lal Bazar on the processionists. He could assure them that the cause of all this trouble was due to the police and nobody else.

Councillor Usman said that the students' procession was proceeding smoothly on that day towards Dalhousie Square when all on a sudden a police lorry came and wanted to stop it.

But the processionists marched on. At last, one very responsible police officer came and caught hold of some of the students and put them in the police van. In spite of that, the students were peaceful and every one of them offered himself for arrest. Instead of arresting them, there came the *lathi* charge upon them.

On receipt of this information he rushed to the spot. He contacted a high police officer, who appeared to be very nervous and told him that what he had done would again put the city in turmoil. He told the police officer that the students would march peacefully along Dalhousie Square and the police should not interfere.

But the police would not agree. Mr. Suhrawardy also came to the spot and they both asked the students to remain calm and peaceful. They found that some of the students had been wounded. He asked the students to sit down and practically all of them sat down and he wanted to address the students. But suddenly a high police officer called him. The police knew that the Congress and the Muslim League were not out for creating a trouble.

The police did not allow him to address the students. He could say that without any warning and without a single pebble being thrown at the police, that a high police officer snatched away a *lathi* from a constable and the first blow came upon a friend of his and the second upon the speaker himself.

Councillor Usman said that if an independent enquiry took place he would disclose the name of that police officer. According to the speaker, whatever trouble had come upon the city, the responsibility for that lay entirely on British Government and the police here.

Referring to the students' procession in Dalhousie Square area on the first day of the incidents, Councillor Usman said that if he had been given an opportunity to address the students, he would have been able to persuade them to leave the place peacefully, as most of the students were willing to hear him.

On the second day of the incidents, the speaker proceeded, a procession led by Mr. Suhrawardy and some other leaders, passed through Dalhousie Square smoothly. When the front part of the procession had reached Chittaranjan Avenue, a lorry with police constables on it wanted to pass through the procession. Councillor Usman said that some of the constables charged the processionists with *lathis*. Later, some tear gas was also used.

Councillor Usman thought that the cause of all trouble was the police and nobody else. Proceeding he said that, after serious provocation, some of the lorries were burnt. He did not like to throw the blame on *hooligans*. That was not correct. They were men of their country.

It might be that they did something wrong; it might be that they were misguided, but they were not *hooligans*; it would be insulting their people to

say that they were *hooligans*. There had been atrocities and acts of violence. Some of the acts of violence should be condemned and deprecated.

Continuing Councillor Usman said:—

"I am not a coward. I don't like to throw blame upon the *hooligans*. It may be some were misguided, but they were actually inspired with the highest motive. I want to warn the Government that those days are gone when people of our country will tamely submit before their machine-guns and bullets. I have seen with my own eyes that Hindus and Muslims joining hands together in spite of repeated firings, in spite of the fact that hundreds were being wounded, faced bullets bravely. Let Government do not think that this act subsides because of the military. What happened was a sporadic act on the part of the people. There is writing on the wall and if the same things are going to be repeated, not only the city but the whole country will be in turmoil. Our students, our youngmen and the Indian masses will join hands together. I have seen when one Muslim was shot down, Hindus also joined and *vice versa*. That is a good sign. Whatever we elder people cannot do, the younger people and the masses have done."

Councillor J. H. Method

Councillor J. H. Method said that although he did not profess to know the origin of the trouble, he must say that he was convinced that there was a large *hooligan* element involved in the incidents.

To Indian members he would say that whatever form of Government they might have in this country, Hindusthan or Pakistan, it would be the duty of that Government to see that such a state of things was not allowed to continue, and law and order was maintained.

He saw many people throwing brickbats at houses and shops on Chowringhee smashing doors and windows.

Councillor Abdus Sattar

Councillor Abdus Sattar deprecated attack on women and raid on churches and said that the police and the military were responsible for all that had happened during those few days. There was no organisation behind this trouble, none of the political parties lent their support to it; it was a voluntary act of some of the youngmen of this province in protest against the actions of the Commander-in-Chief in connection with the sentence passed on Capt. Abdur Rashid Khan of the Indian National Army. The situation could have been averted but for some of the silly acts of the police officers of this city.

Councillor Nalin Ch. Paul

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul said that the very fact that the Government had called in the aid of the military tantamounted to a confession of their incompetence. It was, therefore, no wonder that Indians should raise the cry that the British should "Quit India".

Councillor A. A. Wise

Councillor A. A. Wise said that he had nothing to say about police opening fire on harmless students. But through the evidence that had come out in course of statements made by different members of the House it had been proved that there were definite reasons for the police opening fire. The fact that acts of violence were perpetrated by members of their city proved conclusively that there were elements of unrest among their people. He said that in course of the disturbances police and military lorries were burnt and glass panes of shop windows in Chowringhee area were broken. He alleged that there had been rape of woman on public street.

Proceeding, Councillor Wise said that after 88 years' of association with Indians, he could not say that these atrocities could be perpetrated by Indian gentlemen. They were perpetrated by men who could be found in every nation, he said, among the British, among the French. He was not blaming right-thinking Indians.

If they went round Chowringhee, they would find that every house and shop on Chowringhee up to Army and Navy Stores had been damaged and furniture burnt down. The speaker said that he had taken an impartial view of things as a member of his party. His views, he said, did not represent the views of his party as a whole. Even places of worship had been desecrated. He would ask them to consider if such acts excited love and affection. He could not understand why hatred against his nation should be engendered when they all could work together peacefully. He did not believe that these acts of violence had been perpetrated by educated and right-thinking Indians but by elements, who were found in every civilised country. The point he emphasised was that such acts must not be condoned and that steps must be taken to put a stop to this.

Others Also Spoke

Councillor Bijoy Kumar Banerjee and Alderman Hemaprova Majumdar also spoke, condemning the firings, and said that it was time that the British should quit India. According to them, such disturbances were bound to occur from time to time if the British did not quit India.

The Mayor

"The Government should remember that the time has come when every man and woman in India is inspired with a burning desire for emancipation of the motherland. On the slightest irritation that flame will burst into a conflagration. Unless the Government redeem their pledge to give independence to India, such disturbances will occur again and again."

Thus said the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, in the course of his speech.

The Mayor said that he was not present in the city when it was overtaken by most tragic incidents. He was sorry that Mr. Wise had not really said a word about the genesis of the tragedy. It was true that in every city there were outlaws and *hooligans* and when there was confusion and complete disorder, it was only then that these outlaws and *hooligans* had their full play.

Who was responsible for creating confusion and disorder which afforded opportunity to outlaws and *hooligans* to commit acts of violence and do damage to the property of innocent citizens? What would have been the result if the peaceful procession was allowed to go on and finish its march? Heavens

...ld not have fallen, British imperialist power ...ld not have collapsed if the students' procession ... allowed to proceed in the way it liked to go. ... was the police who created this trouble, accord... to the speaker, by firing on innocent citizens. The speaker thought that it was the police, it was Government, who was primarily responsible for the creation of confusion and disorder. If there had been a free play of *hooliganism*, that was the result and not the cause, for which he thought Government was responsible.

The Mayor thought after the incidents of November last, Government had grown wiser. That was why he thought Government had left the procession organised on the occasion of Netaji's birthday celebrations, the biggest for many years to the care of the organisers and the volunteers. There was no policeman visible along the mile-long procession on that occasion. There was no disturbance, no disorder on that occasion.

He had thought that Government would take into account the fact that non-interference in the procession organised in Calcutta on the occasion of Netaji's birthday celebrations led to no disturbance, while interference with a procession on this occasion in Bombay led to disturbances and loss of life. It was only when Congress peace squads toured the city of Bombay that peace was restored there and the Police Commissioner had to appreciate the services of these peace squads.

He had hoped that by comparing the results of their policy of non-interference with those of the policy of interference in Bombay, the Government here would not repeat their foolish action of November last. Unfortunately, he said, the British power here, obsessed with a false sense of prestige and intoxicated with the power of domination that it had been enjoying for a long time, could not give up its habit. They interfered with a harmless procession. The British power ought to realise that to-day every man and woman of this country was filled with a burning desire for emancipation of his or her motherland and with the smallest spark of discontent and the slightest cause of irritation, the burning flame in their hearts might develop into a conflagration.

He felt that unless the Government in England was sincere with the promises which they were making year after year for giving India complete independence and unless these promises were redeemed, these disturbances were bound to come.

The Mayor concluded :—

"These pleasure trips of the British Parliamentary Delegation and the expected august visit of Lord Pethick-Lawrence will not satisfy us. It is now time that something substantial was given to Indians. Unless there is complete transference of power from the British agencies to Indians there are bound to be such disturbances".

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul referring to a resolution of the Services Standing Committee that the post of the Chief Executive Officer be advertised and that the best person selected appointed on the expiry of the term of office of the present incumbent, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, asked whether the Committee's direction that, pending confirmation by the Corporation, the resolution be forwarded to the Government, had been complied with.

The Chief Executive Officer said that the resolution required the sanction of the Corporation before it was sent to the Government. He had consulted the Advocate-General and according to the latter the resolution was illegal.

The Mayor suggested that the subject might be discussed on a proper motion.

Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri said that the Chief Executive Officer had been already asked to place the matter before the Corporation but nothing had been done yet. This was a vital issue and they wanted to discuss the matter straightaway.

The Chief Executive Officer said that he was prepared to go but not at the request of Mr. Ray Chaudhuri.

Ultimately it was decided that the matter should be discussed at a meeting on Friday.

CONDOLENCE

The House condoled the death of Sir Renwick Haddow, a prominent European businessman of the city who expired recently.

Wednesday : The 20th February

SIT-DOWN STRIKE AT THE PRESS

At the Corporation meeting held on Wednesday, the 20th February, the Chief Executive Officer made a reference to the sit-down strike of the Press-workers. Mr. Shamsul Haque, the Deputy Mayor, was in the chair.

The Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, while appraising the House of the strike situation, said that for some days in the past the Corporation Press workers were going very slow. From Tuesday, the 19th February, they were actually on strike. As a result very little progress had been done in printing out the Chief Accountant's Budget Report which would be placed before the Corporation shortly.

Replying to a question put by Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, the Chief Executive Officer said that the Mayor had a discussion with the representatives of the strikers on Tuesday evening about their demands. But, as far as he knew, although the Mayor was willing to make certain concessions to the Press workers they showed no willingness to resume their duties. He also admitted that he had closed the Press under lock and key on the suggestion of the Mayor.

PROTEST AGAINST SALES TAX

A resolution protesting against the enhancement of the sales tax was adopted by the House. In the opinion of the Corporation it would be very difficult for the poorer section of the community to pay the tax at the increased rate.

The resolution was moved by Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen and seconded by Councillor Gosto Behari Sett.

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Mr. M. A. Jinnah In Calcutta

"Trial And Punishment Of I. N. A. Men Legally Wrong, Logically Untenable And Morally Indefensible"

MR. M. A. Jinnah, President, Muslim League, arrived in Calcutta by the Delhi Mail, on the 15th February last.

To avoid crowds at Howrah Station Mr. Jinnah alighted at Belur, about six miles from Calcutta, and motored to 5, Harrington Street, the residence of Mr. M. A. H. Ispahani. He was received at Belur by Nawabzada Liaquat Ali Khan, Chairman of the Central League Parliamentary Board, who is now in Calcutta, Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, Mr. Ispahani and several other League leaders.

Later, Mr. Jinnah had a discussion with local leaders regarding conditions in the city and the prospects of League candidates in the coming elections to the Provincial Legislative Assembly.

Meets The Governor

Mr. Jinnah met H. E. Mr. R. G. Casey, Governor of Bengal, at Government House on the 16th February morning. Sir Frederick Burrows, Governor-Designate of Bengal, was present for a few minutes.

The interview lasted about 90 minutes. Mr. Jinnah arrived at Goverment House at 10-30 a.m. and left just before noon.

Nawabzada Liaquat Ali Khan, Deputy Leader of the Muslim League Party in Central Assembly, also had an interview with Mr. Casey the same day.

The I. N. A. Trials

Mr. M. A. Jinnah in the course of a statement issued on Sunday, the 17th February, said that the Government of India's Press *communique* concerning their policy of trial and punishment of Indian National Army men, issued last week, was legally wrong, logically untenable and morally indefensible. He added:—

> "I do not wish to add to the enormous bitterness, passion and excitement that prevail throughout the country. In Calcutta alone 44 innocent lives have been lost and about 700 persons have been injured, to say nothing of the other parts of India, for the simple reason that they wanted to condemn in unmistakable manner the policy and action of the Government by exercising their right as citizens to hold meetings, to take out processions and to stage demonstrations. One cannot slur over the conduct of the police, which is basically regulated to suppress free expression and liberty of speech of the people. An impartial tribunal must be appointed to hold an enquiry into this whole affair, wherever firing has taken place."
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> "I wish to make it clear beyond doubt that I witnessed all along the countryside from Delhi to Calcutta blood in the eyes of the people over the discriminatory treatment of Abdur Rashid. It has stirred every section of the people and has shocked every thinking man. It will be a folly to expect that this action of the Government or their persistence in it will blow over like a passing storm. It has gone deep into the hearts of the people and I am afraid will nullify our efforts to co-operate with the Government in the handling of the threatened food situation and other matters of importance facing the country."

Lunches With The Governor

The meeting between His Excellency the Governor of Bengal, Mr. R. G. Casey, and Mr. Jinnah was resumed on Sunday, the 17th February.

Mr. Jinnah arrived at Government House, at 12-30 p.m.

A crowd at the north gate cheered him as he drove in.

This was the second day of the meeting.

After the meeting with Mr. Casey, at which Sir Frederick Burrows, the Governor-Designate, was also present, Mr. Jinnah stayed on to lunch with His Excellency at Government House. Nawabzada Liaqat Ali Khan, Mr. M. A. H. Ispahani and Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy were among the guests at lunch.

On Thursday, the 21st February, Mr. M. A. Jinnah along with Messrs. H. S. Suhrawardy and M. A. H. Ispahani visited the Campbell Hospital and saw the patients wounded during the recent disturbances in Calcutta.

Calcutta In Turmoil

Corporation Protest Against Police And Military Firings

THE Corporation of Calcutta at its meeting held on Monday, the 18th February, condoled the deaths of those who were killed as a result of police and military firings during the recent disturbances in the city and adjourned its meeting without transacting any business in protest against such firings.

Members expressed the view that the responsibility for the trouble which came upon the city, should lie on the shoulders of Government and the police.

Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Bose, who moved adjournment of the House, urged the Mayor to constitute a Committee of enquiry so that the vagaries of the police and the military might be exposed and the liberty of citizens safeguarded.

The condolence resolution was moved by the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, who was in the chair, and accepted all standing.

The Mayor told the House that one of those killed as a result of the firing was a nephew of the Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shamsul Haque.

Except one incident in which troops opened fire in Bhowanipur the city of Calcutta after three stormy days was quiet on the 14th February last.

The military continued to patrol the streets and strongly guard Chowringhee, Bhowanipur and Wellington Square area and Sealdah Railway Station.

Public transport services were suspended and telephone exchanges functioned with skeleton staffs.

His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey made a tour of inspection of the greater part of the city of Calcutta.

The Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, issued an order prohibiting, with effect from Thursday (the 14th February), any procession or public assembly within the city and suburbs of Calcutta without previous permission. Under the order "public assembly" means an assembly of five or more persons, but does not inlcude persons while in the pursuit of or engaged in their lawful profession, calling, business or trade.

... It was officially stated that the order will be withdrawn as soon as normal conditions are restored in the city.

Labour demonstration in the outlying industrial areas was more marked. Most of the mills and factories in Hooghly, Howrah, Budge Budge and Barrackpore in 24-Parganas were closed.

Of the injured admitted to hospital during the last four days, 10 died on the 13th February last, bringing the death-roll to 42. The injured totalled about 860. In addition 82 members of the Calcutta Police, including five officers, were injured. There was no death.

Two trains were held up by a crowd at Champahati Railway Station or the South-Suburban Section of B. A. Railway.

Conditions in Calcutta returned almost to normal on the 15th February last. In the morning several buses and taxis were on the streets and as the day advanced the number increased. The tram service, however, remained suspended.

The telephone service, which had been dislocated due to shortage of staff during the past three days, improved considerably.

Shops in European quarters were open, but many in Indian localities remained closed as a protest against the Government decision to increase the rate of the Sales Tax from three pice to one anna in the rupee with effect from the day before.

No incidents were reported and no deaths occurred among the injured in hospital.

The ban on processions and assembly of more than four persons remained in force until further orders.

Military and police patrols continued and traffic police returned to point duty.

In view of the improved situation, military pickets stationed at various points in the disturbed areas were withdrawn at night.

During the last four days' incident in the city and its suburbs over 80 lorries were burnt, a tram depot and a post office burnt and another post office raided.

Over 150 arrests were made in connection with the incidents on various charges of rioting, assault, for setting fire to lorries and cars etc.

The death roll in Calcutta firing mounted to 47.

Two of the persons injured in Calcutta firing, expired in hospital on the 15th February last.

Calcutta switched on to normal life on the 16th February last when no firing or disturbance was reported from any part of the city. The tram service was resumed from early morning. It was, however, discontinued after dusk, presumably as a matter of precautionary measure. Buses were plying in all the routes till late hours of night as usual.

All the offices, some of which were working partially and others completely closed during the disturbance, were working as usual. While Cinemas had started their shows, most of the shops still remained closed on account of the anti-sales tax campaign.

Three others, who were injured as a result of firing in Calcutta early in the week, succumbed to their injuries in hospital bringing the total number of deaths in the city firings to 50.

GOVERNMENT'S SHARE OF RESPONSIBILITY

In a statement on the Calcutta disturbances Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, the Congress President, said that the Government must bear a large share of responsibility for whatever had happened. The worst incident of all in the disturbances was the attack on the Methodist Church in Dharamtalla Street. He appealed that the damage must be made good by contributions raised by citizens of Calcutta.

Comments in the Press and on the platform have revealed that the actual position in respect of the so-called 'protected area' in Calcutta is widely misunderstood, states a Bengal Government *Press Note* issued on Sunday, the 17th February.

Under the Calcutta Police Act, the *Note* adds, the Commissioner of Police is empowered, if he considers it necessary in the public interest, to prohibit public assemblies and processions in any specified area for a period not exceeding 7 days, and for longer periods with the sanction of Government.

This power was exercised by him to prohibit demonstrations in the neighbourhood of Dalhousie Square for limited periods on many occasions in the past. In 1936, circumstances arose which made it necessary for the Government to authorise the Commissioner of Police, without any limit of time, to ban the holding, except with his previous permission obtained in writing, of public assemblies and processions in the Dalhousie Square area and also in three other areas in the city.

The question was reviewed by the Council of Ministers in August, 1937, and it was their decision that special powers were not called for in respect of other areas but that the area bounded by Strand Road on the south, Canning Street on the west, Radha Bazar Street, Bentinck Street and part of Chowringhee Road on the north, and Ochterlony Road, Lawrence Road and Auckland Road on the east required special treatment.

Accordingly, the power to prohibit without limit of time, the holding of public assemblies and processions in this area alone, except with his previous permission obtained in writing, was left in the hands of the Commissioner of Police.

A revised order was issued and this now forms part of the statutory rules which are in force for the regulation of traffic in the streets and public places in Calcutta and its suburbs.

It will be obvious from the history of the order that it was not a war-time measure, but has, in fact, been in force since 1936, and was, in 1937, endorsed and continued by the Council of Ministers.

Press Freedom Necessary For World Peace

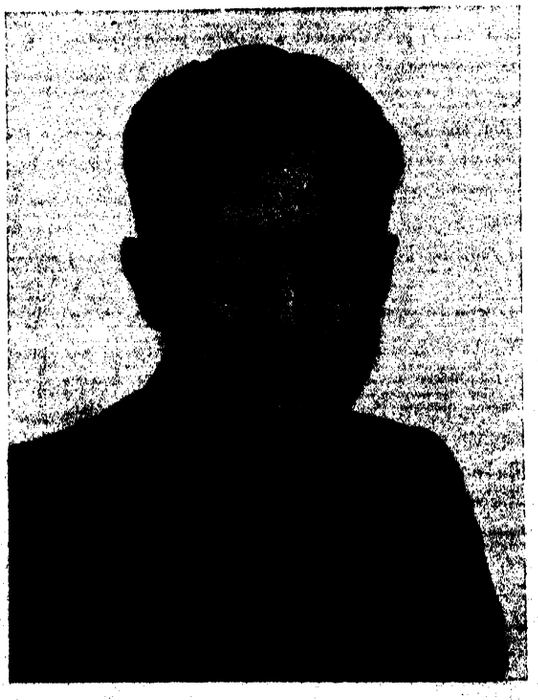
Calcutta Journalist Presides Over Editors' Conference At Allahabad

"Nothing short of a radical change of the Government and their policy will assure anything like the freedom of the Press or freedom of information, which is necessary for peace in India, no less than world peace," said Mr. Tushar Kanti Ghosh, Editor, 'Amrita Bazar Patrika,' presiding over the fifth session of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference held in Allahabad on the 16th February last.

Among the Calcutta journalists who attended the Conference were Mr. W. C. Wordsworth, Acting Editor, "Statesman" (Calcutta); Mr. Amal Home, Editor, "Calcutta Municipal Gazette"; Mr. J. C. Himkar, Editor, "Jagriti", Mr. B. Sen Gupta, "United Press of India"; Mr. Vivekananda Mukherji, Editor, "Jugantar"; Mr. Gopal Haldar, "Jana Yuddha"; and Mr. Satyendra Nath Mazumdar, "Globe".

OUTLINING the demands of the Indian newspapers Mr. Tushar Kanti Ghosh said: "We do not ask for a Royal Charter for the Press. We do, however, demand that the Press be not subjected to extraordinary pains and penalties, and that too at the whim and caprice of the Government and their officials. In other words, we demand that the Indian Press should be as free as the British Press is."

Welcoming the delegates to the Conference, Mr. Subramanayam, Chairman of the Reception Committee, said: "Our demand is a simple one. We want a free press but we claim no special



TUSAR KANTI GHOSH

privileges for ourselves. The freedom of the Press is nothing more and nothing less than the freedom of the citizen.

On the second day of the Conference Sir Akbar Hydari, Member for Information and Broadcasting in the Viceroy's Council, urged the editors to avoid stories which might create a panic among the people and to avoid criticism of the efforts of the Government to meet the crisis.

The Press in India should devote more time and space to village and rural life and conditions in the rural area. The Press in India should guard against big combines starting a chain of papers and dictating policies detrimental to the interests of the country; the Press in India should do everything in its power to prevent distortion and total suppression of news and the Indian Press should have a foreign news service of its own, not as a competitive service but as a supplementary one purveying news from world countries and cities such as Washington, London, Paris and Moscow, the Middle East Countries, and the East Asia countries.

There were the high lights of an interesting address delivered by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru inaugurating the session of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference at Allahabad.

"A free India cannot afford an unfree press", said the Rt. Hon. Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru addressing the Conference. Sir Tej referred to the law of sedition, the law of libel and the law of contempt which directly affected the Press.

—*THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION*

(Continued from page 324(a)

RELEASE OF POLITICAL PRINSONERS

A resolution demanding immediate release of Mrs. Leela Roy, Messrs. Satya Ranjan Bakshi, Purna Ch. Das, Jyotish Joardar, Monoranjan Gupta, Bhupendra Kumar Dutta, and Jnanendra Nath Mazumder, who are in detention under the D. I. Rules and who had been selected as Congress nominees in the forthcoming elections, was adopted unanimously by the Corporation.

The resolution was moved by Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri and seconded by Councillor Gosta Behari Sett.

RELEASE OF CAPT. ABDUR RASHID

Another resolution sponsored by Councillor Abdus Sattar and seconded by Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Basu urging upon the Government of Bengal to impress upon the Government of India the immediate necessity of releasing Capt. Abdur Rashid in view of the resentment and public opinion against the sentence passed upon him was adopted by the House unanimously.

MR. JNANANJAN NEOGI

The Corporation rejected the recommendation of the Services Standing Committee No. I to reappoint Mr. Jnananjan Neogi as the Officer-in-Charge of the Commercial Museum and Health Publicity Department at the expiry of his term on January 6, 1946.

SERVICE EXTENSION REFUSED

The Corporation also refused to grant extension of service to Mr. Abdul Wahed, Lighting Supervisor, District III, for a further period of one year.

Protest Against Increase Of Sales Tax

City Shop-Keepers Observe An All-Out Hartal

MANY shops remained closed in Calcutta and Howrah on the 16th February last as a mark of protest against increase in sales tax from three pice to one anna per rupee.

Representatives of many business organizations of Calcutta met in the house of Mr. Raghunath Dutt and resolved that an Anti-Sales Tax Association be formed with one or more than one member from various business associations to agitate against the Sales Tax.

It was further resolved that all business associations would keep their respective businesses closed till the said Tax was repealed.

Retail shop-keepers of Calcutta continued their all-out 'hartal' for the third day on Sunday, the 17th February, as a mark of protest against the recent enhancement of the Sales Tax. Representatives of as many as 16 Traders' Associations resolved at a joint meeting at 72, Canning Street, to suspend all business to an unlimited period till their demand of immediate repeal of the Sales Tax was conceded.

All the shops of Calcutta, except food ration, medical and 'pan-biri' shops, continued to remain closed on Monday, the 18th February, for the fourth day as a protest against the enhanced sales tax.

Hindus and Muslims, irrespective of their caste or creed, seemed to be united with the one object of repealing the order.

The cloth ration shops were also closed for which, however, many people had to suffer inconvenience. All the book-owners announced their decision to keep the shops closed.

At least Rs. 30,00,000 worth of business was not transacted in Calcutta in the last four days when over 90 per cent of shops, mostly Indian-owned, were closed as a protest against the increase in the rate of sales tax. This means a loss of Rs. 1,87,500 to Government, which could have otherwise been collected by way of sales tax at the new rate of one anna in the rupee.

Mr. S. K. Halder, a member of the Board of Revenue, Government of Bengal, met representatives of the Bengal National, Indian and the Marwari Chambers of Commerce on Sunday and ascertained the traders' views on the matter.

Members of the Calcutta Electric Traders' Association, at a meeting, decided to suspend all business.

The 'hartal' in Calcutta against increase in sales tax continued till Wednesday when a move to end the 'deadlock' was taken by Mr. C. W. Gurner, Adviser to the Governor of Bengal, who met a deputation of the General Traders' Association and 51 other associations and discussed with them the different aspects of the question.

In a written memorandum the deputation urged the repeal of the Act and pointed out that if necessary, a movement for boycott of British goods might be started.

Among other things, the memorandum emphasized that the tax had already affected the purchasing capacity of consumers and helped to deviate trade from Bengal to other provinces. The recent increase of the rate to one anna per rupee, was, it was further stated, calculated to encourage dishonest dealings to the prejudice of honest dealers.

Almost all shops including meatstalls and confectioneries had been closed.

At their respective meetings held on Thursday, the 21st February, the traders of Hogg Market and the Governing Body of the India Confectioners' Association resolved that with a view to make the Anti-Sales Tax campaign a complete success it had become imperative to co-operate in this movement until relief was forthcoming from the authorities.

Proposed Reduction Of Cereal Rations

To Come Into Force By The Middle Of March

THE proposed reduction from 4 seers to a little over 2½ seers per week per adult in cereal rations in Bengal is expected to come into force by the middle of March.

Since January 31, 1944, when rationing was introduced in Greater Calcutta, labour has been treated exactly in the same way as other members of the public. This was done in view of the difficulty in the classification of labour.

On the basis of the present population of 4,000,000 in Greater Calcutta, 165,000 mds. of cereals will be saved a week as a result of the proposed cut, enabling the Government to feed 2,640,000 persons more with 2½ seers per head per week.

In the case of industrial labour, an additional ration of 4 ounce per adult is proposed to be granted, reducing the ration of an adult worker to 8 seers and 4 chittaks per week.

An official announcement giving the date from which the proposed cut in ration will come into operation, is expected to be made shortly.

In the meantime, Bengal Government have, with effect from the 11th February last, introduced the following cuts in the allotment of wheat products for establishments in Calcutta and its industrial area :—

1.	Eating houses ...	... 25%
2.	Hotels ...	... 20%
3.	Restaurants ...	... 25%
4.	Sweetmeat manufacturers (Indian type) ..	... 33⅓%
5.	Confectioners ...	... 33⅓%
6.	Biscuit manufacturers	... 15%
7.	Tea shops ...	... 40%
8.	Jalpan shops	... 60%
9.	Tiffin rooms and office canteens	... 15%
10.	Miscellaneous ...	... 10%

The Viceroy Speaks

"We are some three million tons short of our requirements," said Lord Wavell, the Viceroy, in a broadcast on what he described as a very serious shortage of food in India and stated that as a method of meeting it the Government had decided to cut the basic cereal ration all over British India from one pound to 12 ounces with four ounces more for the heavy manual labourer.

Referring to the proposed cut he said: "I entirely appreciate that this is an inadequate ration, but it is all that our present resources will allow. If we get additional resources that will enable us to increase this ration we shall certainly do so."

The Mayor's Views

His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey met several leading Calcutta citizens representing different communities and interests at a conference at Government House when the food situation in the province was discussed. Sir Frederick Burrows, Governor-designate, Bengal, was also present.

Mr. Casey is stated to have emphasized the seriousness of the food situation in India and appealed to leaders of public opinion to educate the people as to the necessity of cuts in their food supplies in the interests of their fellow-countrymen.

Interviewed by the 'Statesman' reporter on his return from the conference, the Mayor, Mr. D. N. Mukherjee, said: "Mr. Casey told the conference that leading men of Bengal should consider the food crisis calmly, leaving political differences in the backbround. Bengal occupies a better position than any other province in India, but still the Governor desires Bengal to review the rates and quantity of foodstuffs in the interests of deficit areas in Bengal. He has assured the conference that there would be no export of rice from Bengal nor of wheat from any part in India. The Governor requested the public not to cause agitation among the mass of the people because of reduction in the ration."

A Very Big Problem

Making a comprehensive survey of Bengal's food position and taking into account stocks held by Government and also reports about the recent 'Aman' crop Mr. A. deC Williams, Adviser, Civil Supplies, declared at a press conference at Writers Buildings, on Wednesday, the 20th February, that there was no reason why there should be another famine in Bengal.

Mr. A. C. Hartley, Director-General of Food, was also present in the conference.

As regards the question of introducing over-all rationing throughout Bengal, Mr. Wiliams said that it was a very big administrative problem. In addition to Calcutta and industrial areas Government had introduced over-all rationing in the towns of Bengal. Government now proposed to introduce overall rationing to other unrationed areas also.

Four members of the Indian Food Mission to London and Washington—Mr. Ibrahim, Rahimtoola, President of the Bombay Muslim Chamber of Commerce, Khwaja Sir Nasimuddin, former Premier of Bengal, Sir Manilal Nanavati and Sardar Sant Singh—arrived in England on the 16th February last.

On Monday, the 18th February, the delegation consulted officials of the Ministry of Food on India's food position and later met the Secretary of State for India.

Britain will do her utmost to stave off "the shocking calamity overhanging the people of India," said Dr. Hugh Dalton, Chancellor of the Exchequer, during the debate on the food situation in the House of Commons. He added, "even our utmost may be terribly small."

"We shall do our utmost using to the full for this purpose the machinary of the Combined Food Board and the newly set up, very hopeful though young, International Food and Agricultural Organisation to which we are deeply committed."

The leader of the Indian delegation to U.N.O. Sir A. Ramaswami Mudaliar, in his speech appealed for help to prevent a famine in India, referred to the Bengal famine and said: "While one and a half million died of starvation, and three millon unofficially, not one foreigner in India was allowed to starve during that terrible time. This may be a very fantastic way of exercising the traditional Indian hospitality."

The grave rice shortage in Indian was thrown into relief by President Truman in a Press conference statement, appealing for full backing for his nine-point plan against world starvation.

The international Food Board and subsidiary committees have pressed their inquiries into India's emergency appeals for food but no positive programme has yet been formulated.

It is learnt that 400,000 tons of wheat have been allotted to India for the first half of 1946 by the Combined Food Board in Washington.

"If India is allowed to starve, the chasm of distrust between the Occident and the Orient will be too wide ever to be bridged in this generation," says the *New York Times* in an editorial.

Famine and civil strife "whose grisly shadow already darkens the land" are hastening "the day of reckoning in India," says the New Delhi correspondent of the *'Sunday Observer'*.

The United State State Department officials expect that "considerable quantities of both wheat and rice will be made available to India during the present year" according to the National Committee for India's freedom.

Australia, it is known, will do everything possible to ship 150,000 tons of wheat to India in the course of the next month to help in averting famine, reports Melbourne Raido.

The suggestion that a National Government should be formed representative of the elected members of the Central Legislature, irrespective of parties, to meet the present food crisis in the country, is made by Mahatma Gandhi in a statement.

Gandhiji says :—

"Whether the Government can accept the suggestion and whether the different political parties that compose the Central Legislature consider it practicable or not, is more than I can say. But this much I can say without fear of contradiction. I have little doubt that if the mercantile community and the official world become honest, we, such a vast country, can just tide over the difficulties, even if no help comes from the outside world which is itself groaning."

"On no account are we going to submit to large masses starving and dying while a few profit by their misfortune, as in Bengal", says Pandit Nehru in a statement.

"The food situation in India must not be used as a 'Political Football', observed Mr. M. A. Jinnah, President of the All-India Muslim League, commenting on Viceroy Wavell's broadcast on what His Excellency described as "the very serious shortage of food in India".

"I reiterate the Viceroy's statement that at this common crisis no political bargaining must be made out of it—by anybody. Food must be a matter above Party squabbles."



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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

REFORMS IN THE CORPORATION—II.

To THE EDITOR, "CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL GAZETTE."

[The Editor does not hold himself responsible for the views expressed by the correspondents.]

SIR,—I am very thankful to you for publishing my letter in your issue of the 2nd inst. I regret that I made a few mistakes therein in calculating expenditure and income on the basis of my suggestions. May I correct them as under?

(1) On the expenditure side a grave omission is that I have not included street lighting which will cost about Rs. 900,000 a year. Moreover, as against the item V. Drainage and Engineering Department, the item Rs. 800,000 is an underestimate. It should be Rs. 12,00,000. Another glaring omission is the expenditure on Public Health which I suppose cannot cost less than Rs. 450,000. Making these additions and alterations the total should be Rs. 283.50,000+17.50,000= 301,00,000. Moreover, I understand that the Corporation is going to construct and maintain an isolation hospital which is likely to cost something like Rs 600.000 a year. The Grand Total accordingly is Rs. 307,00,000.

(2) On the income side taking the gross annual valuation at Rs. 12 crores, the 22½ per cent. Consolidated Tax should yield Rs. 270,00,000 but regard being had to the fact that normally only 92 per cent is collected, the income should be Rs. 247,50,000 approximately. Making the necessary correction the total income comes up to Rs. 326,00,000. This would enable the Corporation to put at least 10 lakhs to a revenue reserve fund.

Now that the Calcutta Improvement Trust has decided upon a policy of giving priority to schemes for the rapid development of the Manicktola Area, it behoves our City Fathers to join hands and to actively co-operate in this direction, thereby converting a notoriously insanitary and backward area into a healthy garden suburb,—Yours etc.

NRIPENDRA KUMAR GUPTA,

The 20th February, 1946.

RECEPTION TO MR. ANAM

A reception was accorded to Al-Haj Sharful Anam, Asst. Food Supply Officer, Corporation of Calcutta at a gathering of the Food Supply Department Employees' Union on his return from Holy Haj pilgrimage. Mr. S. C. Ghose, Food Supply Officer, took the chair. Many officers of the various departments, including Mr. S. Ghosal, License Officer, Mr. M. Ali Khan, Deputy License Officer, Mr. H Roy, Asst. Food Supply Officer, Mr. F. Rahman, Mr. D. Bose, Mr. S. K. Mittra, Food Supply Inspectors, and Mr. K L. Mukherjee, Central Store-Keeper, were present.

An address of welcome to Al-Haj S. Anam was read out by the Secretary of the Union, Mr. Murari Mohon Das, on behalf of the employees extending felicitations to Mr. Anam, a copy of the Holy Koran was presented to him.

Mr. Anam thanked the gathering. The assembly was then treated to light refreshments.

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

NEW GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

Sir Frederick Burrows Takes Oath Of Office

Sir Frederick Burrows, first member of the British Labour Party to become Governor of Bengal, took oath of allegiance and of his new office on Tuesday, the 19th February.

The ceremony was held in the Throne Room of Government House, Calcutta, amidst time-honoured ceremonials. Sir Harold Derbyshire, Chief Justice of Calcutta High Court, administered the oaths.

Lady Burrows was present at the ceremony.

A salute of 17 guns was fired after the oath-taking, and leading civil and military officers, noble men of Bengal, ecclesiastical dignitaries, some prominent non-officials and Consulate representatives were presented to Sir Frederick and Lady Burrows.

Earlier, Mr. R. G. Casey, who vacated office as Governor of Bengal, and Mrs. Casy left by air for the United States *via* the Phillipines.

The Governor-Designate of Bengal, Sir Frederick John Burrows and Lady Burrows arrived in Calcutta from New Delhi by plane on 16th February last.

His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey, the retiring Governor, who was present at the aerodrome to receive Sir Frederick was first to greet him as he came out of the plane.

Sir Frederick Burrows and Lady Burrows had earlier arrived in Karachi on the 10th February last by a Sunderland flying-boat from Cairo.

Sir Frederick was accompanied by his Assistant Private Secretary, Miss Phyllis Miller. The party drove to Government House. Sir Frederick left for Delhi the next day to meet the Viceroy before proceeding to Calcutta to take charge from Mr. Casey, as Governor of Bengal.

In a short broadcast from the Calcutta station of All-India Radio, on Sunday, the 17th Feburary, Mr. R. G. Casey, the retiring Governor of Bengal, said goodbye to the people of Bengal.

Mr. Casey in his broadcast said :—

"I am greatly troubled and grieved—as any friend of Bengal must be—at the events of the past week and by the loss of life and other casualties that have been suffered. It has been a deplorable business, no less than the other disturbances of three months ago.

"Owing to circumstances of the war and the aftermath of the famine of 1943, the Bengal Budget is still heavily in deficit, in spite of appreciable increases in taxation. The Central Government, at the instance of the late Ministry and of myself, made subventions to Bengal in the last two years totalling about Rs. 10 crores. In spite of this, our budget for the year just about to end will be in deficit to the extent of round about 7 crores, by reason generally, of relief and rehabiliation expenditure, which we are still having to carry.

"I have represented our cases on many occasions to the Government of India, and I am glad to tell you that provision is being made in the Central Budget for a subvention to Bengal of about 7 crores, which will, as it happens, just about balance our Budget for the present year."

A NEW HIGH COURT JUDGE

His Magesty the King has appointed the Honourable Mr. Justice William McCormic Sharpe, D.S.O., I.C.S., to be a Judge of the High Court in Calcutta upon the retirement of the Hon. Sir Allan Gerald Russell Hinderson, I.C.S.

MORE REQUISITION HOUSES RELEASED

During the fortnight ended the 10th February last, 15 residential and 19 non-residential requisitioned properties in Calcutta were released by the Standing Quartering Board.

This brings the total of properties released to 562, of which 285 are residential and 277 non-residential.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

Total mortality in Calcutta during the week ended February 9 was 756, an increase of seven over the previous week's figure. The average for the two corresponding weeks of last year was 1,093.

Cholera attacks and deaths were 27 and 15, respectively, against 38 and 13 in the preceding week. During the corresponding weeks last year, attacks averaged 20 and deaths 12.

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Deaths from malaria numbered 37 against 22 in the preceding week, while the average for the corresponding two weeks last year was 55.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 86 against 134 the week before.

DEATH OF A DISTINGUISHED CITY MERCHANT

Sir Renwick Haddow, President of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and senior partner of Messrs. Mackinnon Mackenzie and Company, died in Calcutta on Monday, the 18th February after a brief illness.

Sir Renwick, who was 55, was a past President of the Associated Chambers of Commerce, and had been member, at different periods, of the Council of State, the Bengal Legislative Assembly and the Bombay Legislative Council.

He was also a past President of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

All exchange banks in Calcutta closed at noon on Monday for exchange business as a mark of respect to Sir Renwick's memory.

A NEW UP-TO-DATE MINT FOR CALCUTTA

The Government of India, it is learnt, propose to transfer the Lahore Mint back to Calcutta in pursuance of its original scheme to establish a new up-to-date mint at Alipore (Calcutta) in place of the existing Calcutta Mint.

RESIDENTIAL QUARTERS FOR GOVERNMENT SERVANTS

A Rs. 20,00,000-scheme of the Government of India for building residential quarters for their officers and staff in Calcutta has been completed.

The Central P.W.D. has constructed 20 officers' flats and about 200 quarters for subordinate staff in Ballygunge.

These housing estates were planned by the Government about a year ago to relieve congestion in private houses in the city. This new accommodation is in addition to residential arrangements already made for about 60 officers at the Central Government Hostel at Alipore.

SPECIAL I.A. AND I.Sc. EXAMINATIONS

Special I.A. and I.Sc., examinations in English and vernacular papers, which could not be held due to the disturbances in the city, will be held at the Calcutta and Bhowanipur centres on February 28 and March 1, the examinations fixed on those dates being shifted in all centres to March 5 and 4 respectively.

POSTAL EMPLOYEES WEAR 'HUNGER BADGE'

Postal and R.M.S. employees in Calcutta, including peons, wore the "Hunger Badge" since the 15th February, last.

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The badge bearing the inscription "Hungry Postal Employee" is intended to draw public attention to their grievances.

At a meeting of employees of about 70 of the city's post offices, held early this month, it was decided that the men should go on strike from March 11 if the Government did not revise their scales of pay and to wear a hunger badge from February 15.

Each and every postal and R. M. S. employee of Bengal and Assam had decided to go on strike from a date between March 27 and April 4 next, unless the Government clearly declared its intention to accept their demands, said Mr. B. N. Ghosh, General Secretary and Mr. J. N. Banerjee, Vice-President respectively, of the Calcutta branch of the All-India Postal and R. M. S. Union at a Press Conference held on Sunday, the 17th February.

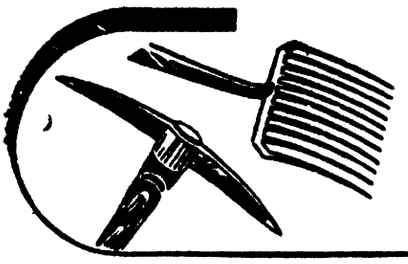
The programme included strike also on the wireless and telephone systems. More than 30,000 employees in Bengal and Assam would be involved if the strike was resorted to.

MANMATHA NATH GANGULI TWELFTH MEMORIAL ANNIVERSARY

The twelfth anniversary of the late Mr. Manmatha Nath Ganguli, Attorney-at-Law, Deputy Registrar, Original Side High Court and Municipal Magistrate, Cossipore, Calcutta, a scion of the well-known Ganguli family of Tala, was celebrated under the auspices of the Manmatha Ganguli Memorial Association on 2nd February, 1946 at the Anandram Jaipuria College premises (10, Raja Nabakissen Street, Calcutta) under the distinguised presidentship of Hon. Mr. Justice Phani Bhuson Chakravartty. Amongst those present were Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, Prof. M. M. Bose, Rai Dr. J. C. Chatterjee Bahadur, Messrs. S. N. Banerjee, Registrar-in-Insolvency, High Court, M. B. Das Gupta, Assistant Registrar, High Court, T. C. Dutt, Solicitor, Sukumar Mitra, Barat-Law, Sushil Ghosh, Solicitor, N. K. Dasgupta, Solicitor, Profs. Sushil Dutt and Sushil Mukherji, Messrs. Sudhir Ray Chaudhuri, Jogendra Lal Saha, Nanda Dulal Srimani and Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen (Councillors), Monmatha Nath Ghosh, Sailen Ghosal, A. K. Basak and others.

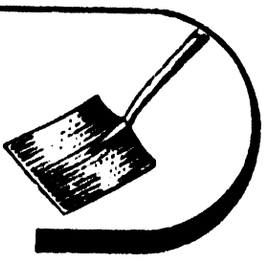
The proceedings commence with the national song, "Bandemataram." Speeches eulogising the qualities of head and heart of the deceased were made by Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mr. Dulal Chandra Mukherjee, Mr. Jagindra Nath Bhattacharjee as also by the Hon. President. Thereafter was held the musical soiree, the high quality of which has come to be looked upon as of the very highest by all lovers of classical music in Calcutta. The Ostads, who participated by giving their display were Messrs. Gopal Mukherji (*Dhrupad*), Bejoy Lal Mukherji (*Kheyal*), Suresh Chakraverty (*Kheyal*), Tarapada Chakravertty (*Kheyal and Thumri*), Pandit Ramkissen Misra (*Kheyal*), Sachin Das Motilal (*Kheyal and Thumri*), Mantu Banerjee (Harmonium), Rabindra Sankar (*Setar*), Aparesh Chatterjee (*Setar*), Prof. Chhotay Khan (*Sarengi*), Biren Mukherji (*Esraj*), Sham Kumar Ganguli (*Sarod*), Protap Mitra (*Pakhwaj*), Pandit Kissenji (*Tabla*), Kanai Dutta (*Tabla*), Jagadish Chatterjee (*Tabla*), Sukumar Roy (*Tabla*), Phulu Mukherji (*Tabla*), Biren Pal (*Tabla*) and Hirendra Kumar Ganguli (*Tabla*). The function terminated at 7-30 a.m. on the following morning.

Mining Equipment

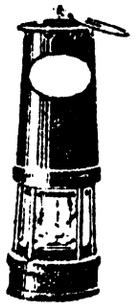


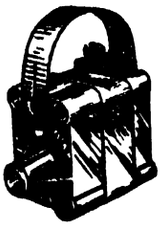
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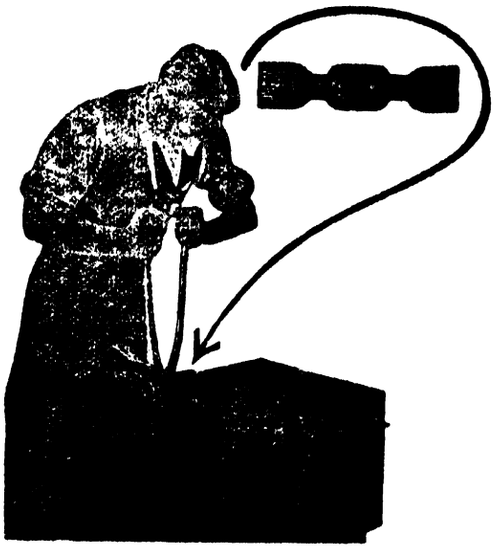
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For rates and further information apply personally to the Chief Valuer, C. I. T., 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

J. A. PARKS,
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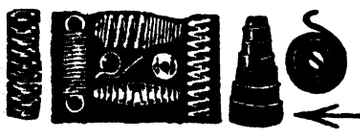
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CORPORATION NOTICES

Road Alignment

It is hereby notified for general information that the Corporation of Calcutta under powers vested in them in this behalf have by a resolution dated the 1st February, 1946, prescribed the alignment of a 20ft. road from Deodar Street to the eastern boundary of premises No. 34, Ballygunge Circular Road following the filled up Nikashi Drain No. 3 in Ward No. 21 under Section 302 of the Act B. C. III of 1923.

A copy of the plan prepared in this behalf may be seen in the office of the Surveyor and Valuer of the Corporation any day during office hours on payment of usual fees.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 9th February 1946.

House For Maternity Unit

Wanted a two-storeyed well-lighted and well-ventilated building for the location of the Corporation Maternity Unit in District II, Corporation of Calcutta, with 4/5 rooms and kitchens on the 1st floor for the quarters of the Lady Health Visitors and Nurses and 4/5 rooms in the ground-floor for the medical staff and with sufficient arrangements for a number of baths, privies and urinals. There should be adequate supply of water, both filtered and unfiltered, on each floor and accommodation for garaging 3 or 4 rickshaws. A house nearabout the junction of Bowbazar Street and Chittaranjan Avenue will be preferred. Parties willing to let out such a house are requested to communicate with the Health Officer, Corporation of Calcutta, Central Municipal Office, stating the monthly rent asked for, for a lease of two years with option for renewal of same.

Special Notice

Notice is hereby given in supersession of all previous notices in the matter that in exercise of the powers vested in them under Section 372(2)(3)(4) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, the Corporation hereby direct that all rubbish and offeisive matter accumulating in any premises within the Municipal limit, the entrance to which is situated within 50 yards of any public dustbin shall be duly collected by the occupier of such premises and deposited in such dustbins during the following hours, viz., between 9 p.m. and 8 a.m. on the following morning and between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. in the afternoon and that all rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in any premises abutting on a street in which no dustbins have been provided by the Corporation or in any premises within the Municipal Limit the entrance to which is situated beyond 50 yards of any such dustbins, shall duly be collected by the occupier of such premises and deposited in lump in the nearest street during the following hours, viz., between 9 p.m. and 8 a.m. on the following morning and between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. in the afternoon.

It is hereby further notified that the above notice shall not apply to Wards Nos. 16 and 17 in respect of which a notice issued under Sub-Section (i) of Section 372 is in force.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer

Central Municipal Office,
The 11th February, 1946.

Renaming Of Maternity Centres

The Corporation, at their meeting held on 21st January, 1946, confirmed the following recommendation of the Public Health Committee dated the 8th January, 1946:—

That the Health Officer's proposal for renaming the Maternity Centres in the City of Calcutta, as set forth below be approved:—

Maternity Centres:—

I—At 32/10, Beadon Street.
II—At 26/9/1-A, Harrison Road.
III-A—At 13, Police Hospital Road.
III-B—At 47/1-C, Hazra Road.
IV-A—At 5-D, Kali Temple Road.
IV-B—At 10/1, Mominpore Road.
Cossipore—At 67-B, Barrackpore Trunk Road.
Maniktala A—At 24-B, Narikeldanga Main Road.
Maniktala B—At 19/1, Ultadanga Main Road.

Valuation of Lands & Buildings

Ward No. 5, Jorabagan.

North by—Nimtala Ghat Street and the road leading to Nimtala Ghat.

South by—Cotton Street and Mirbahar Ghat Street.

East by—Upper Chitpur Road.

West by—The River Hooghly.

Notice is hereby given that the valuation of lands and buildings in the Ward of Calcutta, noted above has been completed, and that the Valuation List can be inspected on any day (Sundays and holidays excepted) at the Municipal Office, No. 5, Surendranath Banerjee Road, between the hours of 11 a.m and 4 p.m.

S. M. HUSSAIN,
Offg. Assessor.

Central Municipal Office,
The 14th February, 1946.

Ward No. 27, Tollyganj.

North by—Bondel Road, Hazra Road, Nepal Bhattacharjee Street to Tolly's Nullah.

South by—Tollyganj Circular Road and the Bengal Assam Railway (formerly Eastern Bengal Railway), Budge Budge Branch.

East by—Russa Road (formerly Russa Road, South) and the Bengal Assam Railway (formerly Eastern Bengal Railway) line.

West by—Russa Road (formerly Russa Road, South) and Tolly's Nullah.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				
A—8	0 8 0	Do.	...	...	...

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—8 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.				F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.						
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
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M. BHATTACHARJEE,
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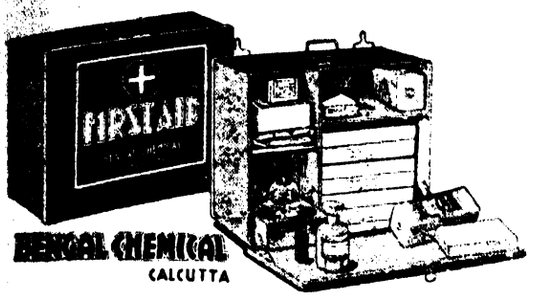
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)						H. 1-3	8 0 0	Refreshment Room.
* ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
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2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs		1 14 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	
Garlic ,,	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Bauchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 2 0	
*Turnip	0 3 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 5 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 3 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Bree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,,		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar ,,	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
,, (Sugarcandy) ,,	0 12 0 (Ration Shop)	
Suji	0 8 0 (Con.)	
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga ,, ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,,	0 6 6	
Biuli ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
,, (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled)	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal ,,		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 8 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 8 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0		

MUTTON.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Chops per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 8 0	4 8 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 6		
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lunchoon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldine ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 8 0	4 10 0

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ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
***POULTRY.**		
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 12 0	4 4 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 6 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 10 0	3 12 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ...	20 0 0	25 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ..	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,		
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 8 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per score	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 5 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 12 0	0 13 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 7 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
FRESH FRUITS.		
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb ...	3 0 0	3 8
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	12 0 0	15 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8
Anar per seer ...	3 8 0	4 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8

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ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 10 0	0 14 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
*Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 10 0	0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Do. Simla ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 8 0	0 9 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 8 0	0 8 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 5 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...		
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 8 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 12 0	0 12 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 10 0	0 14 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tarai per seer —		
Kankrole per seer —		

ARTICLES.	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Do (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 10 0	1 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...		
Do. Golapkhash —		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. —		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 12—16 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 16—8	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonte do. ...		
Dalasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata 10—16 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	3 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 6	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ..		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ..	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ ...	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „	4 8 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Rohi per seer ..	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Butter fish per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 8 0	4 8 0
Lobster —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 12 0	3 4 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 4 0	4 12 0
Mackerel —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp .per seer —	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed, „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ..	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolai manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ..		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL Etc.**		Control Price Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 12 0
Chola „ —		0 8 0
Kharl Masoor „ —		0 13 0
Khasari „ ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 13 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Haiud „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 1 lb. tin ...		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
Milk —		
Mixed (House-hold) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 3
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 6	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 3	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 3	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 ...		
Do.		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only ...	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...		
Deresske per packet ...	0 2 0	
Scissor per pkt. ...		0 4 0
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	
„ (magnum)	0 6 3	2 0 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb'		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt. ..		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	2 4 0	3 15 3
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 6
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	125 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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			Do.—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinishakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...		0 8 0
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 8 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree Mark)		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo)		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,, —		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
,, Khajura ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital ...	0 4	0 5 0
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal —		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas —	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	3 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns —		
Parsey —		
Bagda —		
Bhetki —		
Crab per pair —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi —	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
DAL.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ,,		0 8 0
Mattor Dal —	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		
Ranchi ,, ...		6 0 0
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Shaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) —		0 6 0
*Atta ,, ...		0 5 0
*Do. B ,, ...		
Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) —		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
BUTTER.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 0
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—80 ...	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		10 0 0
Dates Arab —	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati —		
Mango ...		
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...		
Potatoes New ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanita) —	0 10 0	
Brinjal —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger —		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer —	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	
Pona ,, }	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }	1 12 0	
Bagda ,, —	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	1 12 0	
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Crackers		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats —		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th February, 1946

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ ...		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country — —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...	0 1 0	0 2 0
Bit per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—3 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bukhara per seer ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „ ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ..		
Jamrul „ „ ...		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Seore ...		
Shunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeta 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara ...		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli ...		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 1 —12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 ...	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Mazafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda ...	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A.P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 3 0	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 13 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 12 0
Bhangaar ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	...	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	...	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 3 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ..	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, ...	2 5 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaar —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 10 0	1 12 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —	1 10 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	
Cabbage ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrul) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly ,, —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 3 0
White ,, ,, —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —		
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,, —		
Lime per score —	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —		
Sugarcane each —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —		
Do. Sree ,, —	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative) —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 3 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET.

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Sflong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos.	0 8 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 8 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prunes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 8 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. An. P.			Rs. An. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	33B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
33A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
32 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
..ll.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
,, 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do.
,, 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 90	0 10 0	Do.
*,, 46A	1 6 0	Oilman's Stores
,, 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits
,, 55	0 6 0	Do.
,, 56	0 6 0	Do.
Coconut Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut.
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
*,, 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
*,, 31	0 4 0	Do
*,, 39—40	1 0 0	Do
*,, 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (New) 8	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	30 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 32	35 0 0	
,, 58	43 0 0	
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	33 0 0	Do.
,, 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do.
,, 58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-130		
,, 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-209	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
,, 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, * 9	0 8 0	Do
,, * 10	0 8 0	Do
,, * 18	0 8 0	Do
,, * 19	0 8 0	Do
,, * 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,,		
,,		
,,		
,,		
* 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
57	0 5 6	Do
,, 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet		
*,, 5 & 6	0 4 0	Suet
*	0 5 0	Do
		Do
*,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range ,, 2	0 8 0	Betel

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables.
						30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do	9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
15 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
16 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	60 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B. Chandney	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS







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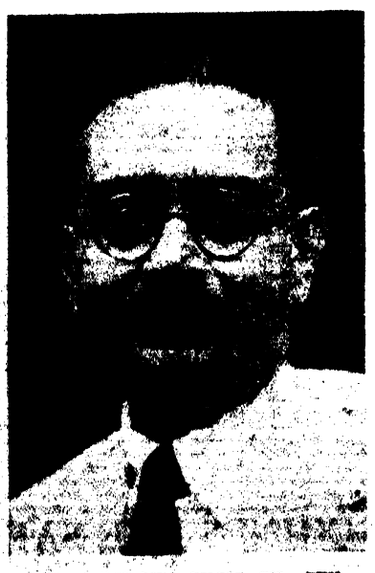
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Chronicle And Comment

SUSHIL CHANDRA SEN

The premature death of Mr. Sushil Chandra Sen creates a void in more than one sphere which will be difficult to fill. Both as a lawyer and a legislator he attained a distinction which has hardly been



THE LATE MR. SUSIL CH. SEN

matched in recent years. His work for amending the laws relating to Companies and Insurance in British India has been recognised to have been on a very high level, and the way in which he piloted the two Amending Bills of 1936 and 1938 through the Indian Legislative Assembly bore testimony to both his forensic knowledge and debating skill. As a solicitor his position was unique in the Calcutta High Court alike for ability and integrity. His connection with the Corporation of Calcutta began in 1928 and continued for sixteen years, and during this long period he served the city with devotion and courage. As a member attached to no creed or party, he could and did always speak and act in a manner which appeared to him to be best in the interest of the citizens of Calcutta. To such independence he brought to add a sweet reasonableness and disarming courtesy which could not but win for him friendship and admiration among all sections in the Corporation, and his death naturally has caused great grief which we share in full. We have lost in him a dear and esteemed friend, and our heart goes out to the members of the bereaved family in deep sympathy.

GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTION TO CORPORATION

The Calcutta Corporation has been given a contribution of Rs. 86,407/12/- by the Government of Bengal representing one-third share of the sinking fund and interests charges for the year 1945-46 on the loans raised for the Calcutta Fringe Area Drainage Scheme.

DUBLIN HONOUR FOR "G. B. S."

The Corporation of the City of Dublin has before it a motion seeking to confer the Freedom of Eire's capital on George Bernard Shaw, the famous Irish playwright.

Mr. Shaw writes in this connection :—

"I shall be gratefully proud to become an honorary freeman of my native city. I have, hitherto, evaded credentials from foreign sources. Dublin alone has the right to affirm that in spite of my incessantly controversial past and present, I have not disgraced her."

A delegation from the City Council is expected to go to London to confer the honour upon Mr. Shaw.

VICTORIA MEMORIAL HALL

Victoria Memorial Hall in Calcutta is being slowly restored to its pre-war magnificence.

The Memorials's 3,000 art treasures, mostly miniatures, manuscripts, paintings and engravings from the British Victorian era, are being removed from the basement vaults where they were stored after Calcutta became a possible bombing target.

The Memorial, it may be recalled, was conceived in January, 1901, by the then Viceroy Lord Curzon soon after the Queen's death. He conceived it as a British rival to the Taj Mahal, built by Emperor Shah Jehan as mausoleum for his wife, Mamtaz Mahal!

Victoria Memorial Hall involved an outlay of more than 550,000 pounds sterling (more than Rs. 8,000,000) and is the most spectacular example of Curzon's "successful mendicancy", for most of the exhibits came to the Memorial by gift or bequest at Curzon's personal solicitation and pressure.

The design of the Memorial is chiefly Renaisance in character though traces of Saracenic influence can be discerned.

The exterior is of polished marble quarried at Makrana in Jodhpur State whence the Mogaul builders of Delhi and Agra in the past had drawn their supplies. The ornamental groups of statuary over the entrance porches and figures surrounding the dome were designed and made in Italy. The figure of Victoria standing 16 feet high and weighing 3 tons, surmounts the huge marble dome and revolved upon its own base, a sphere two feet in diameter. From the ground level to the base of the figure is 182 feet. The dimensions of the Hall itself at the corner towers are 339 by 229 feet.

The Memorial has a collection representative of all aspects of British-Indian influence from the early 16th Century.

Among the pictures is one 274 inches by 196, which already has been restored to its position in the Hall. It is a painting by the Russian artist Vassili Verestchgin of the state procession of Edward VII when he visited Jaipur as Prince of Wales on February 4 1876.

RESTORATION OF POPULAR MUNICIPALITY

Mr. M. C. Shah, President of the Ahmedabad Municipality took over charge of the municipality during the last week from Dewan Bahadur Maulvi, Chairman of the Committee of Management. He was accompanied by a large crowd shouting slogans such as, "hand over the Popular Municipality."

Before proceeding to the municipality, Mr. Shah performed the flag salutation ceremony in the Congress house in which the members of the Congress Municipal Party took put. He said:

"The Ahmedabad Municipality has contributed its share to the freedom struggle of the country. The Congress Municipal party which has learned its lessons from Mahatma Gandhi and Sardar Vallabhai Patel has acquitted itself honourably. It passed the "Quit India" resolution of August 1942 and Government superseded the municipality. Municipal servants including school teachers went on a stay-in-strike. Some of them were arrested and prosecuted in April, 1944. Government ordered for fresh elections, to test the popularity of the Municipal-Congress Party which was returned by the electorate *en bloc* Again it resolved to cease to function till the Congress leaders were in jail, and Government superseded the municipality and appointed a committee of management. The supersession was challenged and was held invalid by the Bombay High Court. This was a victory of the people and the popular municipality would resume the march of civic progress which was interrupted during the last three and a half years.'

Taking over charge of the municipality, Mr. Shah said that municipal servants who had suffered would be compensated adequately and the "Congress Flag" which was removed by the Committee of Management would be reinstated on the Municipal building. The municipal offices were closed in honour of the restoration of the popular Municipality.

BOMBAY CORPORATION ADJOURNED

PROTEST AGAINST SENTENCE ON CAPT. RASHID

The Bombay Municipal Corporation adjourned its meeting on the 14th February last as a mark of protest against the sentence passed on Captain Rashid of Indian National Army and inequitable treatment given by the Commander-in-Chief to Captain Rashid.

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The Week In The Corporation

Friday: 22nd February

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

At a Special Meeting held *in camera* on Friday, the 22nd February, the Corporation considered the correspondence that had passed between the Secretary, Government of Bengal, Department of Public Health and Local Self-Government, and the Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, regarding the continuance of his appointment for a further period of two years from 24th December, 1946 to 23rd December, 1948, as per resolution of the Corporation dated the 21st December, 1943, and resolved :—

"That the resolution (being No. 865) of the Corporation dated the 21st December, 1943, regarding the appointment of the Chief Executive Officer be modified by deleting the provision for his continuance in office for the additional period of two years for which no approval was accorded by Government."

On the 21st December, 1943, the Corporation had resolved as follows :—

"That Mr. Sailapati Chatterji be appointed as the Chief Executive Officer for 3 years on and from the 24th December, 1943 to 23rd December, 1946, on the terms and conditions mentioned in the Resolution dated the 25th August, 1943. That the appointment of the said Chief Executive Officer do continue for a further period of 2 years on and from the 24th December, 1946 to 23rd December, 1948 on the terms and conditions as mentioned in the said Resolution.

"That the Government be requested to accord its sanction to the appointment for a further period of two years.

"That this Corporation is of opinion that the reasons put forward by the Government for curtailing the tenure of office of the Chief Executive Officer from 5 years to 3 years are unsubstantial and unconvincing.

"That the Corporation places on record its strong protest against the interference of the Government with the decision of the Corporation in the matter of appointment of the Chief Executive Head of the Administration of the city."

The above resolution having been communicated to the Government, they gave their approval of Mr. Chatterji's appointment as the Chief Executive Officer for the first three years and informed the Corporation that they would consider the question of his appointment for the additional two years at the relevant time.

On the 26th January, 1946, the Government informed the Corporation that the time had come when final orders by the Government should be passed in the matter of appointing Mr. Sailapati Chatterji as the Chief Executive Officer for the two additional years as contemplated in the Corporation resolution of the 21st December, 1943.

When the Government letter was placed before the Mayor, he remarked thereon that the decision rested with the Government and inquired why in spite of the clear and unambiguous resolution of the Corporation the Government's letter of the 26th January was written.

The Government wrote back that the reference was made to the Corporation in view of the fact that the Corporation had been reconstituted by general election since their previous resolution was passed and added that should it be the opinion of the Mayor that this did not necessitate placing the matter before Councillors again, this reference would not be pressed

In reply to this letter the Chief Executive Officer informed the Government that the Mayor had observed that 'every resolution of the Corporation was binding so long as it was not rescinded by the Corporation. It did not make any difference because of the fact that it was passed by the last Corporation. So it would have its course if the Government did not decide otherwise.

On the 8th February, 1946, the Mayor directed that the correspondence any also the resolution in question should be sent to the Chairman of the Services Committee No. I as desired by the latter. The Services Committee at its meeting on the 11th February last passed a resolution stating :-

(i) That this Committee deplores the steps that the Chief Executive Officer and the Mayor have taken on the subject of re-appointment of the Chief Executive Officer and takes exception to the interpretation which the Mayor has put on the resolution of the Corporation dated 21st December, 1943.

(ii) That by reason of the fact that the Government was pleased to approve the appointment of the Chief Executive Officer in 1943 only for three years and in view of the consensus of opinion of the present Corporation that the administration of the Corporation would be better served if another person with fresh outlook is appointed in his place, it be resolved that in modification of the Corporation resolution dated 21st December, 1943, the post of the Chief Executive Officer be advertised and the best person selected be appointed with effect from the date of expiration of the period of service of the present incumbent.

(iii) It was further resolved that the draft advertisement inviting applications for the post be put up at the next meeting of the Committee for consideration and that the Chief Executive Officer be directed to communicate forthwith the above decision to the Government pending confirmation of that decision by the Corporation.

At the Corporation meeting on the 18th February, 1946, a reference was made to the resolutions of the Services Committee No. I. The House gave directions.—

(a) That a Special Meeting of the Corporation be held on Friday, the 22nd February, to consider the Government letter regarding the re appointment of Mr. Sailapati Chatterji

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So little of it....



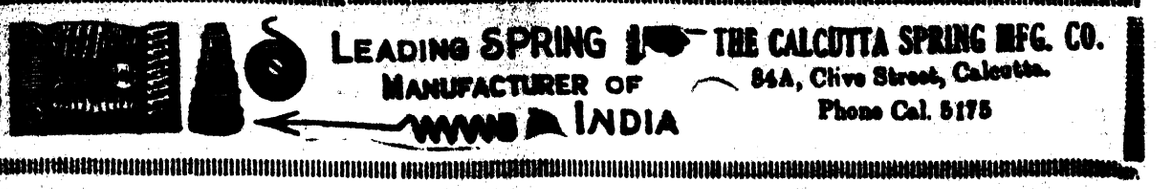
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as Chief Executive Officer for a further term, together with all remarks and notes thereon, as also the resolution passed by the Services Committee No. I, in connection therewith, and

(*b*) that a letter be addressed to Government immediately informing them that the Corporation have taken up the matter and requesting them to stay their hands until the Corporation's opinion, one way or the other, has been communicated to them.

In the meantime a motion was brought before the House under the names of Councillors Bhabesh Chandra Das, Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, Jogindra Lal Saha, Gosto Behari Sett, S A. Habib, S. M. Usman, Madan Mohan Barman and Alderman Hemaprova Mazumdar, namely,

"That the resolution of the Corporation dated the 21st December, 1943, regarding the appointment of the Chief Executive Officer be modified by deleting the provision for his continuance in office for the additional period of two years for which no approval was accorded by Government."

The House, sitting in camera, adopted the above motion and it was also resolved to send this decision immediately to the Government.

CORPORATION PRESS WORKERS' STRIKE

Referrring to the strike by the Press employees the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, at the meeting of the Corporation held on Friday, the 22nd February, observed that the whole administration of the Corporation was about to be brought to a standstill as a result of the strike. The agenda of the Corporation and Committee meetings could not be printed. The report of the Special Committee appointed to inquire into the grievances of all the municipal employees could not be circulated to members and placed before the House. They had so long been carrying on by cyclostyling the important papers, but the men doing this job were now reported to have been threatened with violence if they did not stop work immediataly.

The House appointed a Committee of SIX members, including the Deputy Mayor, to negotiate with the Press employees who were on strike with a view to coming to a settlement.

The employees of Calcutta Corporation Press declared a staying-in-strike on Thursday, the 21st February and at a meeting of the employees and workers of the Corporation held at the Central Municipal Office Lawn, resolutions were passed condemning the action of the Corporation authorities in declaring a lock-out against the workers of the Corporation Press, in reply to their staying-in-strike and authorising the Council of Action to take necessary steps to protect the rights of the press workers.

SEQUEL TO R. I. N. STRIKE DEMONSTRATIONS

BOMBAY : KARACHI : MADRAS

The Bombay police fired a number of times on the 22nd February last in the Kalbadevi, Bhuleshwar and Girgaum areas, where mobs broke open a number of shops, looted them and set fire to furniture as a sequel to the R. I. N. strike demonstrations. From 30 to 40 grain, cloth and jewellery shops were looted. The mobs were fired upon repeatedly. Total casualties reported were 60 killed and over 600 injured.

Bombay witnessed a second day of unprecedented mass violence on the 23rd. Unofficial reports put the total number of dead since the beginning of the disturbances on the night of the 21st February last in the neighbourhood of 250 and the total number of injured well over 1,300.

After three days of rioting, looting, arson and destruction of property leading to repeated shootings by the police and military, Bombay had a comparatively quister day on Sunday, the 24th February. Except for three or four minor incidents, there were no acts of mass disturbance.

All the Royal Indian Navy ships under the control of the ratings on strike surrendered unconditionally in the morning in accordance with the advice tendered to them by Sardar Vallabhai Patel.

Dr. J. Alban D'Souza, Mayor of Bombay and Chairman, Citizen's Peace Committee, issued an appeal to the citizens to remain quiet and peaceful.

The police opened fire on a crowd near Idgah Maidan, Karachi, that advanced on the police three times on Sunday, the 23rd February. Two rounds were fired at each time. Two more shots were fired on a crowd which attacked a police officer on a gharry.

Besides a few stray incidents the city remained comparatively quiet on Monday, the 24th February. Tram and bus services were not, however, resumed. Military and police pickets continued patrolling the streets of the city.

The police fired several rounds on a mob at Bunder Road adjoining the Idgah Maidan on Tuesday, the 25th February. Several persons were wounded and taken to hospital.

The police also made *lathi* charges and used tear gas on the mob.

The Karachi Municipal Corporation adjourned its meeting without transacting any business and passed a resolution symathising with the victims of the Karachi firing. In the opinion of the Corporation the matter took a serious turn only when the authorities issued orders under Section 144. The Corporation deplored the action of the authorities and demanded an impartial enquiry into the whole affair.

The Corporation also requested the Government of India not to persecute and victimise the R. I. N. strikers.

Four persons were injured when the police of Madras opened fire on Tuesday, the 26th February, on a mob numbering over 2,000 which obstructed the passage of the Up Indo-Ceylon Express and another passenger train of the South Indian Railway and indulged in heavy stone throwing.

The strike was called off on Monday, the 25th February on a "dead-line" basis, the understanding being that the press workers would be informed within a reasonable time about the favourable decision by the Corporation.

Mr. Jinnah In Calcutta

Thousands Hear Him In The Maidan

MR. M. A. Jinnah wired from Calcutta on the 23rd February last to His Excellency the Viceroy appealing for the abandonment of further I. N. A. trials and remission of Captain Abdur Rashid's sentence. The following is the text of the telegram :

"I fervently appeal to you to intervene and abandon further trials of Indian National Army men and remit Rashid's sentence. The Commander-in-Chief's explanation in his speech in the Council of State is unconvincing and untenable in the eyes of any thinking man. The discrimination plea based on brutality cannot be maintained in law or on facts disclosed in the case before the bar of public opinion."

R. I. N. Ratings

A deputation of R. I. N. ratings, who are on strike, met Mr. M. A. Jinnah, on Sunday, the 24th February, afternoon and appraised him of their grievances.

Mr. Jinnah spent about an hour and a half with them, and advised them to call off strike, assuring them that he would take up the matter with the authorities concerned with a view to bringing about a peaceful and honourable settlement.

First Public Appearance

An appeal for solid Muslim support to League candidates in the coming Bengal Legislative Assembly Election was made by Mr. Jinnah addressing a huge gathering of Muslims on the Calcutta *maidan* the same day in the afternoon.

This was Mr. Jinnah's first public appearance since his arrival in Calcutta a week ago. Numerous processions carrying League flags and shouting Pakistan slogans from different parts of the city and suburbs converged on the *maidan* where thousands of people had assembled long before Mr. Jinnah's arrival. As a result of strain and long wait in the blazing sun over a dozen people fainted. Firing of rockets which burst high up in the air into chains of green Muslim League flags was an attractive feature of the demonstration. There were elaborate volunteer arrangements and a "Pakistan Ambulance Corps" was in attendance.

As Mr. Jinnah appeared on the 12-ft. high decorated rostrum he was given a rousing reception by the vast crowd amidst shouts of joy.

Life And Death Problem For Muslims

In his 25-minute speech in Urdu Mr. Jinnah said that Pakistan was a life and death problem for the Mussalmans. Muslims wanted Pakistan because they were anxious to get rid of British and Hindu domination. For that there must be perfect unity and solidarity in the Muslim ranks. Once that solidarity was achieved, there was no power on earth which could resist their demand for Pakistan.

Demand For Entire India

Commenting on the attitude of Hindus to Pakistan, Mr. Jinnah said that though Pakistan meant that Muslims would get only one-fourth of Bharat and Hindus three-fourths of it they were not satisfied and demanded Bharat in its entirety!

Mr. Jinnah next spoke of election in reference to the Pakistan issue. Had the Muslim League lost or won the elections so far held? he asked. A vote for a League candidate was a vote for Pakistan which they all wanted. What was the position of Muslims in India even seven or eight years ago and what was their position to-day? To-day the Muslim League was a power recognized all over the world. In Sind the League had captured 80 per cent. of the Muslim seats; in Assam 92 per cent.; in the Punjab 90 per cent.; but he regretted that the results of the N. W F. P. election fell short of his expectation.

In the Punjab the League had to fight the election on two fronts and against heavy odds. On the one hand, there was the unholy Glancy-Khizir alliance and on the other, the Congress and black-market money. In spite of that the League success in the province had given a deathblow to the imperialist domination and paved the way for Pakistan! So far as N. W. F. P. was concerned, whatever might have been the election results, he had found during his 10-day stay there that the heart of the sturdy Pathans was sound and was with the Muslim League.

Foundation Of A Free India

Mr. Jinnah emphasized that the League was not fighting the elections only for forming Ministries here and there. They were fighting the election this time on a definite issue. They were determined to scrap the 1935 Act and lay the foundation of a free India and free Pakistan (*applause*).

What would be the Bengal Muslims' verdict in the election? Bengal must not rest satisfied with anything short of cent. per cent. success for the League candidates. That would be an indication of the Muslim mind to the British Cabinet Delegation that was shortly coming to India.

Mr. Jinnah concluded :—

"Some events of deep concern and regret have occurred in recent weeks in Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi and many other places in India. There have been burnings and lootings and hartals. It is our undeniable right to hold meetings and processions. We have the right to condemn Government where it goes against the interests of the people. But much damage has been caused to properties. This is a matter of deep regret. To oppress anybody, to make anybody suffer is against Islam. It is our duty to protect the weak and particularly those belonging to the small minority communities. There is no glory in making them suffer. If we have to fight against any community, we ought to do it gloriously and manfully and like men, however powerful that adversary may be."

Some prominent Gujerathi residents of Calcutta saw Mr. M. A. Jinnah, in the morning and presented him with boquets of flowers. Mr. Jinnah spent with them some time, and talked with them in Gujerathi.

A Purdah Meeting

The part that women could play in furthering the cause of Pakistan and ameliorating the condition of their poor sisters was stressed by Mr. Jinnah, addressing a purdah meeting of Muslim women in the Muslim Institute Hall, Calcutta, on

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Late Mr. Sushil Chandra Sen

Corporation Condoles The Death Of An Ex-Councillor

THE Corporation of Calcutta at its meeting on Wednesday, the 27th February, condoled the death of Mr. Sushil Chandra Sen, Solicitor and ex-Councillor of the Corporation for 17 years, and as a mark of respect to his memory adjourned its meeting without transacting any business.

A resolution expressing its deep sense of sorrow and conveying sympathy with the members of the bereaved family was also adopted at the meeting, all standing.

Paying tributes to the memory of the late Mr. Sen, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, said in the death of Mr. Sen they had lost one of their best friends. He was a member of the Corporation for a long time upto 1941. The late Mr. Sen was a brillliant scholar of the Calcutta University, joined the High Court as Solicitor and within a few years, by dint of his ability, and sound and thorough knowledge of law, won the confidence of the litigants in and outside Bengal. He also attracted the attention of the Government of India, who appointed him as their Solicitor in Bengal. He was closely associated with the late Sir N. N. Sircar, *ex*-Law Member, Government of India, and assisted him in piloting the Companies and the Insurance Amendment Acts.

Concluding the Mayor said that his untimely death had been a shock not only to the members of his family but also to the country. His death had caused a loss in the province which would take many years to be made up.

On the motion of Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli the meeting was adjourned.

Mr. Sen's Career

The death occurred in Calcutta in the afternoon of the 23rd February of Mr. Sushil Chandra Sen, C.B.E., till lately solicitor to the Government of India. He was aged 53.

Son of the late Mr. Satish Chandra Sen, a well-known solicitor of Calcutta, Mr. Sushil Chandra Sen was the senior partner of the firm, Messrs. Dutt and Sen and joint author, with the late Sir N. N. Sircar, of Indian Companies Act. He also collaborated with Sir N. N. Sircar, formerly Law Member, Government of India, in piloting in the Central Assembly the Indian Insurance Act and the Indian Companies Act.

He was a Councillor of the Corporation of Calcutta for a long time. Associated with various charitable institutions of the city as well as of outside, he endowed a charitable hospital and dispensary at his village home at Guptipara.

He was a Vice-Chairman of the Jadabpur Tuberculosis Association, member of the Executive Committee of the Chittaranjan Sevasadan, Servants of Humanity Society and various other institutions.

He leaves behind him his widow, three sons, four daughters and a host of friends and relatives.

The Food Situation At Present

Conference And Discussions In Calcutta : The Mayor Presides

A SUGGESTION to entrust the administration of food policy to a body of persons representative of the people of India, assisted by real experts free from party politics, was made at a Conference held at the Indian Association Hall, Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 26th February, to consider the present food situation in the country. The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, presided

The Conference viewed with grave concern the sudden deterioration in the food situation in the country as a whole, including Bengal, and urged the Governments, both at the Centre and in Bengal, to place before the public fuller and more dependable facts regarding the food supply and requirements in each province.

Economy In Food

It also called upon the people of Bengal to allay uncalled for panic, carry out the suggestions of Mr. Gandhi in regard to production of food, prevent black marketing and profiteering, set up village grain stores, exercise utmost economy in the consumption of food, co-operate in rationing measures and to ensure that there is no discrimination in the supply of food to any section of the people, civil, police and military, official and non-official.

Situation Not Alarming

Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, *ex*-Minister of Civil Supplies, Bengal, in a broadcast from the Calcutta Station of the All-India Radio on Monday, the 26th February on the present food position in Bengal, said that one ought not to be vaguely optimistic or unduly pessimistic. The situation was not alarming; the position was very much better than in 1943, when there was a real shortage of 2,500,000 tons of foodgrains in Bengal alone.

In 1943, there was a large army which had to be fed and there was an increase in the civil population. The Government had no stocks in hand; there was no storage in and movements to deficit areas. There was no machinery for distribution or procurement of foodgrains. Other Governments were reluctant to send their surplus to Bengal.

"This year the *aman* crop is not much different from the crop of last year. The army has been reduced; foods of other kinds are now available to the civilian population; there is procurement machinery and there are stocks in hand; good storage arrangements have been made; movements are easier and deficit areas can be fed; the distribution machinery is functioning and Food Committees have been set up. Vegetables are being grown in much larger quantities, and more land has been brought under cultivation. There are regulations which prevent hoarding, and enable the Government to know, who have stocks in hand."

Non-Official Advisory Body

That the Bengal Government have decided to set up a non-official advisory body to assist them in the food administration of the province, this informa-

tion was conveyed to a meeting held at the Indian Association Hall, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 27th February, to consider the food situation in the province, by Mr. Akhil Chandra Datta, former Deputy President of the Central Assembly who presided. Mr. Datta said that he received the information from Mr. A. de C. Williams, Food Commissioner, Bengal.

The meeting asked the Government to entrust the administration of food policy to a body of persons representative of the people of Bengal assisted by real experts.

A resolution was passed urging Government to refrain from giving effect to the proposed reduction in the quota of rationed food "in view of the fact that the people of Bengal have become greatly debilitated and devitalized for want of sufficient food during the last four years and that further under-consumption of food is sure to prove even more injurious to their health."

Rationing To Continue

In the Central Assembly on Thursday, the 28th February, the Food Secretary, Mr. B. R. Sen, replying to Mr. Sri Prakasa, said it was difficult to specify the period during which food rationing would continue. Control over distribution could not be relaxed so long as the present food shortage lasted and conditions did not return to normal.

In order to assist those Provinces and States affected by famine by ascertaining which of their requirements can be immediately met from war surpluses, the Government of India are sending a Committee headed by Major-General Thomson, who has been specially lent by the Master-General of Ordinance, to discuss matters with authorities on the spot, according to a *Press Note*.

Food From Outside

Inquiries made at the office of the Australian High Commissioner in India indicate that 150,000 tons of wheat will be loaded at Australian ports for India before the end of March, 1946. The wheat will be carried in 16 or 17 ships.

The Indian Food Delegation, having completed its discussions with the British Government and the London Food Council, will start for the United States of America towards the beginning of the next week. The Delegation is reported to have discussed the situation in the House of Commons with the India Food Relief Committee.

—MR. JINNAH IN CALCUTTA

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Monday, the 25th February. It was, he said, a happy augury for the future that their womenfolk had understood the significance of Pakistan and were not far behind men in their fight for it.

He appealed to them to take up welfare work and other forms of social service and to help in removing illiteracy.

Address To Muslim Students

The British Government would be committing the greatest blunder if they ignored the Muslim League, declared Mr. M. A. Jinnah reiterating the League demand for Pakistan and two constituent assemblies, at a largely attended meeting of Muslim students on the Calcutta Maidan on Tuesday, the 26th February.

He reminded the Muslims that the League was fighting the elections not to work the Government of India Act of 1935, but to end it so that Pakistan might be established.

Mr. Jinnah advised the students to mould their future differently and to direct their attention to fresh avenues opening up before them both in their own interests and in the interests of the nation.

Purses were presented to Mr. Jinnah by the All-Bengal Muslim League, the Medical College Muslim Students' League and several other organisations.

Mr. Jinnah Leaves Calcutta

After two weeks' stay in Calcutta, Mr. M. A. Jinnah, President, All-India Muslim League, left for Assam by the Surma Mail on Wednesday, the 27th February. He travelled in a special saloon attached to the mail, fitted with a microphone, to enable him to address gatherings at wayside stations.

TRIBUTES TO DILIPKUMAR ROY

A CALCUTTA FUNCTION

Tributes of love, and respect were paid to Mr. Dilip kumar Roy on the occasion of his 50th birthday celebrated at the Kalika theatre hall on the 8th February last. Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose presided over the function

A purse of Rs. 23,000 was presented to Mr. Roy as a token of love and admiration by his friends and admirers.

Raja Dhirendra Narayan Ray of Lalgola, Chairman of the Reception Committee, in extending a cordial reception to Mr. Dilip Kumar Roy said that Dilip Kumar was a philanthropist, a poet, a sincere conversationist and a great artist with his heart overflowing with the milk of human sympathy. He was wedded to the cult of sacrifice and was a great soul.

Mr Atul Gupta said that the many a deness of the creative Bengali mind had come to fruition in Dilip Kumar. His greatest contribution lay in the new touch and turn he gave to the Indian classical music.

Replying to the felicitations, Mr Dilip Kumar Roy said that Man loved his relations but he loved God without knowing Him. He had his differences with the President but despite this he loved him for the simple reason that he could not do otherwise.

Mr. Roy hoped that the truth that he had realised might in return for the affections manifest itself through his work and creations. The love that he had received from Subhas Chandra was invaluable. Bengal was always uppermost in the speaker's mind. Reference had been made to the song that he had sung. Whatever he had to say he tried to say through the medium of song. Some people had asked him why he did not sing *Kirtan* song. He loved to sing *Kirtan* songs but opportunities for doing so did not always present themselves. The speaker believed that the thought-treasures of the past found expression through the medium of song.

There were two sides, Mr. Roy said to a song—the wealth of its ideas and its sweetness—one represented strength and the other Love. When he heard national songs Subhas Chandra used to exclaim 'How beautiful.' Subhas Chandra did not like *Thumri* songs. Later, of course, he admitted that there was another side to the song, namely, its charm and sweetness.

Anti-Sales Tax Campaign

The City's Move For Removal Of The Tax

BENGAL is being overburdened with taxation one after another, thereby increasing the hardships of the poor people of the Province where 50 lakhs of people died during last famine," said Mr Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, while presiding over the mammoth meeting at Sradhdhananda Park on Monday, the 25th February.

He warned the Government that if the Sales Tax was not repealed immediately, he as the leader of the 40 lakhs of people in this city would start any movement that might be necessary to remove this tax. A Province-wide agitation would soon be started which might turn into a big conflagration, he added.

An assurance that the Bengal Government would consider the question of suspending the enforcement of the recent increase (one pice in the rupee) in the rate of sales tax until the formation of a Ministry provided the traders' *hartal* is called off immediately, is reported to have been given by H E. Sir Frederic Burrows to the Mayor on Wednesday, the 27th February.

The Mayor, on behalf of traders' organisations, saw His Excellency at Government House in the afternoon, when he had a discussion with him on the grievances of the traders.

The Governor's assurance was communicated to the Anti-Sales Tax Committee and the Consumers' Union, who regarded it as "falling short of their joint demand, namely the repeal of the tax."

Viceroy's Immediate Intervention Urged

THE Viceroy's immediate intervention to end the deadlock in Calcutta's civic life created by the closing of shops as a protest against the increase in the Sales Tax was urged on the 22nd February last in a telegram sent to His Excellency on behalf of 45 traders' organizations in the city. It was stated that the imposition of the tax which had been doubled within the last six months, had resulted in the diversion of Bengal's trade to other provinces. It was emphasized that the traders were determined not to call off the strike unless their demand for the repeal of the tax was met.

A cable on similar lines was also sent to the Secretary of State for India.

Indian confectioners also joined the strike.

Mr. C. W. Gurner, Adviser to the Governor, Finance Department, left for Delhi on the 22nd February last by air to discuss with the Government of India, Bengal's financial problems.

The shopowners' viewpoint about the *hartal* was explained to a Press Conference held under the auspices of the All-Bengal Anti-Sales Tax Committee in Calcutta.

It was stated that the operation of the tax during the last few years had affected manufacturers as well as small dealers. At the time of its imposition Government said that it was temporary and the revenue derived from it would be spent for nation-building purposes. A sum of Rs. 9,00.00,000 so far collected had not been utilized to that end. It was in the interest of the consumer that the tax should be abolished.

"There can be no question of the abolition of the Sales Tax; the only question at issue is that of its administration with the minimum inconvenience to retail trade and the maximum latitude for the poorer class of consumer, and this aspect is receiving the fullest consideration of Government." stated a Press Note issued by the Bengal Government.

[illegible] and the suburbs in protest [illegible] on the 23rd February last peacefully. The traders with unshaken determination asserted that they would continue the strike until the tax was repealed.

Referring to the Government *Press Note* on the question of Sales Tax, the Committee of the Marwari Chamber of Commerce in a press statement deplored that the Government were tinkering with the Sales Tax issue and were trying to justify the enhancement of the tax by advancing arguments which held no water.

MAHATMA ON ANTI-SALES TAX CAMPAIGN

Mahatma Gandhi, in a telegram to the All-Bengal Anti-Sales Tax Committee, said:—

"You have every right to protest so long as the protest remains truly non-violent and is justified by facts. I am prepared to do what I can if you furnish me with facts and figures."

"We are fed up with the tax. No minor changes or a slight reduction will satisfy either the consumer of the mercantile community. The evil must be eradicated"—stated a *Press communique* issued on behalf of the All-Bengal Anti-Sales Tax Committee.

A resolution protesting against the enhancement of sales tax and assuring full support and co-operation to the All-Bengal Anti-Sales Tax Committee in its peaceful fight for the legitimate demand of getting the iniquitous tax repealed, was adopted by the Committee of the Indigenous Manufacturers' Association.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Card-Board Box Manufacturers' Association a resolution recording emphatic protest against the tax and recommending all members to suspend business transaction to mark their opposition, was adopted.

Mr. K. Ahmed, Hony. Secretary, Calcutta Hosiery Association, sent a letter to the Private Secretary to the Bengal Governor protesting against the Bengal Sales Tax.

An emphatic protest against the Bengal Sales Tax was made at a mammoth public meeting held on Monday, the 25th February, at Sraddhananda Park. Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, presided.

The Mayor said that Bengal was being overburdened with taxations, one after another, thereby increasing the hardships of the poor people of the Province where 50 lakhs of people died during the last famine. He asked Mr. Burrows, the new Governor, who comes of a very humble family to think of the poor people of this province, who could not bear the burden of this injudicious taxation. He warned the Government that if the Sales Tax was not repealed immediately, he, as the leader of the 40 lakhs of people in this city would start any movement that might be necessary to remove this tax. He also added that a Province-wide agitation would soon be started which might turn into a big conflagration.

Another public meeting was held at the Beadon Square under the presidentship of Mr. Hemanta Kumar Bose.

The meeting adopted a resolution demanding immediate repeal of the Sales Tax.

The city traders observed, on Tuesday, the 26th February, for the 12th day, complete *hartal* in protest against Bengal Sales Tax. *Hartal* was now spreading throughout the province.

Mr. Hemendra Prosad Ghose, President of the All-Bengal Anti-Sales Tax Committee, has sent telegrams to Mahatma Gandhi, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Mr. Jinnah, and Nawabzada Liaquat Ali Khan soliciting their intervention and help on behalf of the traders.

DEATH OF MR. RANJAN SEN

The death occurred on the 8th February last of Mr. Ranjan Sen, senior partner of Messrs. R. Sen and Co., a leading transport firm in this part of India, at his 10 1 Elgin Road residence, "Ajana."

The late Mr. Sen started his career as an appraiser in the Customs Deparment which service he left later and took to business. He was Freight Banyan of Messrs. Gladstone Wyllie and Co., for some time and was later a Ship Chandler and Marine Contractor of Ellenman's Hall and City Lines

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FREE ACCESS TO THE DOCKS

It is announced from the Eastern Command that passes are no longer necessary for entry into the docks in Calcutta except to King George's docks for which passes will still be required. The notification regarding entry into the docks is being amended accordingly



CENTRAL GOVERNMENT BUDGET FOR 1946-47

Revenue Deficit Indicated

While placing before the Assembly the Central Government Budget for 1946-47 the Finance Member indicated a revenue deficit in the current year of Rs. 144.95 crores, as against Rs. 155.29 crores anticipated in the Budget Estimates. Revenue for the next financial year, at the existing level of taxation, is placed at Rs. 307 crores and expenditure at Rs. 355.71 crores, leaving a prospective deficit of Rs. 48.71 crores.

The revised estimate of Defence expenditure for the current year met from revenue is Rs. 376.42 crores as against the original estimate of Rs. 394.23 crores. The estimate for 1946-47 is Rs. 343.77 crores.

The Financial Settlement will continue for one more year, at the request of the Government of India. The question of alternative methods of financing H. M. G.'s future expenditure, stated the Finance Member, is engaging the closest attention of Government.

As regards India's forthcoming negotiation with H. M. G. regarding the sterling balances, he stressed that "India will be entirely free to take any line that she may see fit to pursue." Any idea that she was committed in advance to a scaling down of the balances was entirely without foundation.

Finally, the Finance Member announced that a Taxation Enquiry Committee would be set up in the near future which, he hoped, would be predominantly non-official.

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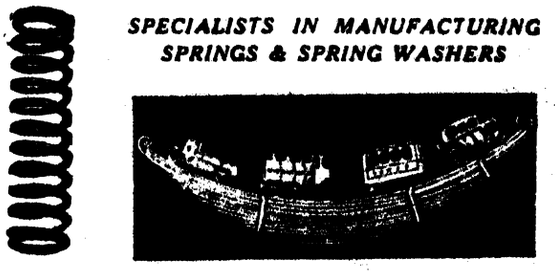
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Special Article

The Calcutta Town Hall

[By B. V. Roy, M.A.]

The British Power in India in the 18th Century met perhaps its most redoubtable foe in Tipu Sultan of Mysore. The successful conclusion of the two Mysore Wars, resulting in the defeat and death of Tipu, was therefore hailed with a sigh of relief, and was celebrated throughout India by thanksgivings, entertainments, illuminations, etc. The British residents of Calcutta decided, at a meeting held by them, to give more concrete shape to their appreciation of the services of the two successive Governor-Generals, Lord Cornwallis and Lord Wellesley, by erecting their statues in marble in Calcutta. The statues were ordered, and came out from England, but it was found that there was no suitable building in which the statues could be placed. At this, at a meeting held in 1804, the British residents resolved to erect a Town Hall "for the convenience of the settlement, and the reception of the statues of the Marquess Wellesley and the Marquess Cornwallis." It was further proposed to raise funds for the building of the Town Hall by means of public lotteries. The Government, on being approached, agreed, and decided that a Lottery Fund might be started out of the proceeds of the lotteries to be held, not only for building the Town Hall but also for carrying out some much-needed "improvements" in the town, such as opening out of new roads, etc. The first lottery was advertised in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th July, 1805, consisting of 5000 tickets at a hundred rupees each, total five lakhs of rupees, with a thousand prizes aggregating five laks of rupees. Out of the prize-money, ten per cent was to be deducted, to form the Lottery Fund. The management of the lotteries and the fund was placed under a Committee appointed by Government.

Sufficient funds having accumulated in 1806, the plans and estimates for the Town Hall were sactioned in 1807, and Colonel J. Garstin, Chief Engineer to the Government, was entrusted with its construction. The building was started on the 1st December, 1807 and completed in 1813. The Town Hall, when completed, was placed under a Committee of Management, who appointed one Mr. William Hastie as its steward. A set of Rules was passed in 1814 relating to the use of the Hall, by the general public for holding meetings "considerable entertainments on great public occasions", etc., as well as for use of the attached rooms by "merchants and other individuals desirous of having the use of a separate room for transaction of business", etc.

Within a short time after its construction, certain serious defects appeared in the building, it being even considered unsafe to use the Hall. A Committee of Engineers was appointed to go into the matter, but their proposals and estimates for repairs being considered too costly, nothing was done for some time. In 1818-19 the building was put under thorough repairs, the cost being borne partly out of the Lottery Fund and partly by the architect, Colonel Garstin, according to the terms of the agreement made with him. The next repairs were done in 1824 under orders from the Military Board. Some twenty years later, in 1843, the Government lotteries were abolished and the Lottery Committee was dissolved. They therefore made over all records connected with the Town Hall to the Collector of Calcutta, and in 1844 the Hall was placed on the roll of Public Works, under the charge of the Civil Architect.

As regards the furnishing of the Town Hall and its subsequent history, I have drawn freely upon Mr. S. C. Sanial's excellent account based upon original Government records, which appeared in "Bengal, Past and Present" some years ago. It appears that an estimate for furniture, etc. amounting to over Rs. 90,000 was sanctioned by the Government in 1814, but nothing like this amount was spent, because at that time apprehensions were entertained as to the safety of the building. Only some chairs, etc., were purchased at a cost of about Rs. 3,000 in 1814, and in the next year, 36 "lustres" of lights were purchased for about Rs. 37,000. Several years later, in 1823, thirty more "lustres" for the Marble Hall were purchased for Rs. 9,000. In 1817, the Government had been again approached by the Committee of Management to complete the furnishings, but had informed the Committee that funds were not available from the Lottery Fund owing to its large commitments for town-improvement works undertaken. In consequence, the Steward, Mr. Hastie, furnished the Hall at his own expense to make it suitable for holding public entertainments, etc., and Mr. Hastie was allowed the exclusive privilege of supplying provisions and other requisites at such entertainments. From an inventory taken in 1849, after the Town Hall had passed into the charge of the Chief Magistrate, it appears that furniture and fittings, as well as glass-ware, crockery and plated-ware, etc. (imported from England) to the value of over Rs. 54,000 had been purchased from time to time by the stewards in charge, who had the privilege of supplying provisions, etc. to parties held at the Hall, and were reputed to have made considerable profits.

The management of the Hall, as already stated, was first placed in the hands of a Committee, which functioned up to 1824, the Hall being thereafter placed under the management of the Lottery Committee. This Committee continued in charge until 1843, when it was dissolved. The steward Mr. Hastie died in 1819 and other stewards were appointed at the time the Lottery Committee was dissolved (1843). Mr. J. Spence, founder of the well-known Spence's Hotel, was the steward, and he remained in sole charge till the next year (1844) when the Hall was placed under the charge of the Chief Magistrate of Calcutta. The establishment originally sanctioned by Government consisted of a steward on a salary of Rs. 250 per month, a "tindall" on Rs. 5, four "Khalassies" at Rs. 4-8-0 each, one *bheestee* on Rs. 5, two Durwans at Rs. 5 each, two mehters at Rs. 4 each, one brick-layer Mistry on Rs. 5, and two peons at Rs. 5 each, total Rs. 311 per month.

In the matter of taxes, the Town Hall was originally assessed at sicca rupees 300 per quarter, and this appears to have been paid out of the Lottery Fund until the Lottery Committee was dissolved. The balance remaining out of the Lottery Fund (about Rs. 58,000) was made over in 1844 by the Government to the Council of Education, for the construction of the Fever Hospital *i.e.*, the present Medical College Hospital. Consequently the question arose as to who was to pay the taxes for the Town Hall, and the matter was referred to the Government. Mr. J. P. Grant (subsequently Sir John Peter Grant, Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal) who was Secretary to the Government, submitted a note to the Deputy Governor stating that the taxes had hitherto been paid out of the Lottery Funds, but the balance had been made over to the Fever Hospital. "The result is that it seems there is no help for it, but Government must pay the assessment and all other charges of the Town Hall out of the General Revenues. It yields no profit." The Deputy Governor, Major-General Sir John H. Littler, agreed, and passed orders accordingly.

On the 5th October, 1865, the Government of Bengal wrote to the Chairman of the "Justices of the Peace for the Town of Calcutta" as follows :—

"A proposal has been under the consideration of Government for raising funds for the maintenance of the Town Hall, by charging a fee of Rupees 100 for the use of the Hall for all concerts, balls, dinners, and other purposes of amusement or professional emolument, the gratuitous use of the building being restricted to cases of a purely public or charitable description. With reference to this proposal, it has occurred to the Lieutenant-Governor that the charge of the Town Hall, which has hitherto been in the hands of the Commissioner of Police, might, with advantage be made over to the Justices of the Peace for the Town of Calcutta for the use of the town; the cost of its improvement, repair, etc. being borne by the Municipal funds, and the Justices making such arrangements as, while affording the public the free use of the Hall for all legitimate purposes, would provide an income sufficient to meet the charge. From a statement prepared by the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, of the number of concerts held in the Town Hall during the past year, that officer has ascertained that, had the proposed fee been charged, the return would have amounted to Rs. 6,800. I am to request that you will be so good as to lay this proposal before the Justices, and report, for the information of Government, whether they are willing to agree to it, and if so, the specific terms on which they would suggest that the transfer should be made."

To this, reply was sent by Mr. R. Turnbull, Secretary to the Justices, to the effect that it had been resolved, at a Special General Meeting of the Justices that "the Justices, on behalf of the town, should accept the charge of the Town Hall, on condition that the proprietary right in, and charge of, the Town Hall, and all buildings, out-offices and premises attached thereto, together with any furniture or other property contained therein, not being private property, should be made over to the Justices, who should have the sole and uncontrolled management thereof." This was forwarded to the Government of India for final sanction, and the Governor-General in Council agreed, on the 15th February, 1866, "to the transfer of the Town Hall, and all its appurtenances, to the Calcutta Municipality, to be held by the Justices as Trustees for the town, on condition of their keeping it in repair, and for the purposes for which it has heretofore been maintained; and on the understanding that, until other arrangements can be made, the lower floor will continue to be occupied by the High Court, on the payment of a fair rent by the Government to the Municipality."

The Town Hall has since continued in the charge of the Corporation of Calcutta, the last Commissioner of Police to hold charge of it being Mr. V. H. Schalch.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

REFORMS IN THE CORPORATION—III

To The Editor, "Calcutta Municipal Gazette".

[*The Editor does not hold himself responsible for the views expressed by the correspondents.*]

Sir,—I am very glad that Mr. Nripendra K. Gupta, a veteran journalist, has come forward with a scheme of reforms in the Corporation as published in your esteemed journal of the 2nd February, 1946. He has also invited public criticism on his scheme.

I may make the following suggestions, and if they are accepted and the Corporation observe economy, I am sure, there will be no necessity of increasing the rates and taxes and the Corporation may not have to beg money from the Government by way of subventions and loans.

1. The Rebate System should be introduced for realizing rate bills, license fees and other regular taxes. It will surely reduce the outstanding bills and thereby reduce the law charges. (*Vide*: *The Calcutta Municipal Gazette* dated 7th June, 1941, under the caption "Rebate on Corporation Rate-bills").

2. The provisions 128 and 129 of the Calcutta Municipal Act of 1923 should be strictly enforced upon the Calcutta Improvement Trust, while the Corporation is regularly paying its annual contribution to that body amounting to more than twenty lakhs of rupees.

3. All open lands which are suitable for building sites not utilised for such purposes for a period of more than three years, should cease to enjoy the expiration of such period from the benefit of the remission of consolidated rate bills under the proviso to Section 151 of the Act. It was reported (in 1930) that Rs. 56,000 a year could be realised from this source alone.

4. Proper valuation of pucca buildings. If the assessment of *pucca* buildings be correctly and strictly made only in Ward Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, and 13 (especially of big houses) the income of the Corporation will at once be increased to 90 lakhs of rupees and more (*Vide* the Bengali daily *Matribhumi* dated the 15th February, 1946, under the caption "Corporation Assessment)".

5. All masonry buildings as defined in Section 3(40) and in contravention to Sec. 3 (10) and (36), should be assessed as *pucca* instead of *bustee*, which will save 12 per cent. of rate i.e. As. 12 per rupee (*Vide* Sec. 159 of the Act).

6. All lanes, private lanes and common passages and 'Estates lanes' (belonging to the Government) should be properly assessed under Section 124 of the Act

7. Realisation of taxes from unlicensed *Khatals*, cow-sheds, stables for hackney carriages etc., should be strictly made following the Chapters XI, XII, XIII and XXIX of the Calcutta Municipal Act of 1923.

8. The provisions of Sections 178 and 174 (dog license) and Sec. 386 (four footed animals) of the Act should be strictly enforced

9. Tax on Trades, Professions and Callings under Chapter XII of the Act should be collected within three months (i.e. by the 30th June) every year.

10. To review the lower percentage of rate (under Sec. 127(b) (iii) of the Act) and *bustees* with huts upon them, should be strictly valued annually (*Vide* Sec. 131 of the Act).

11. The provisions of Sections 386 and 428 of the Act should be strictly enforced to increase the Corporation income

12. Stopping the huge leakage of Demand Notice fees and Warrant fees by granting a separate receipt for the same to the party. (*Vide* the "Nationalist," dated 29th November, 1945, under the caption "More Revenue for Corporation)."

13. The exemptions under Section 126 of the Act (exemptions from Consolidated Rate) should be strictly scrutinised.

14. The College Street Market and other municipal markets which are losing concerns may be leased out or be managed by Agents. It will no doubt increase the income instead of loss. (*Vide*: "Advance" dated 27th November, 1945, under the caption "Calcutta Corporation").

15. Before running to the court and incurring heavy expenditure for instituting Charge Suits under Section 205 of the Act, for realisation of arrear taxes, the amount of outstanding rate-bills in respect of each premises with names of the recorded owners should be published in the *Calcutta Municipal Gazette*. This will surely reduce the number of cases and a large sum of money will be realised before institution of suit (*Vide*: the *Amrita Bazar Patrika* dated 14th January, 1945, under the caption "Realisation of Rates and Taxes").

16. In each and every case where law permits, the occupier's share of taxes should be recovered from the occupiers under Sections 149, 189 and 191 of the Act, instead of instituting Charge suit against the owner (*Vide* the *Morning News* dated 22nd September, 1944, under the caption "Realisation of Rates and Taxes").

17. Rule 9 of Schedule VI of the Act, should be strictly observed by the Chief Executive Officer for collecting license fees quickly.

18. Attendance of all coolies, scavengers, etc., in Attendance Register Books should be carefully kept. It is alleged that attendance of many coolies, sweepers, etc., is recorded in the attendance register book in two Wards (and more) on the same date in many cases. Such allegations were made by Mr. C. W. Gurner in his Report on the Finance of the Calcutta Municipal Corporation of 1948.

19. The Commercial Museum of the Corporation should be totally abolished, as it is rendering no service to the rate-payers of Calcutta. A large sum of money can be fetched from the rooms of the two storeys occupied by the Museum by letting them out to approved tenants. Similar recommendation was made by Mr. C. W. Gurner in his Report of 1948, page 81.

20. The Publicity Department of the Corporation should be amalgamated with the Health Department, without delay, to save unnecessary and extra expenditure every month.

I venture to make the above suggestions in all humility. We are confident, however, of good results if these are acted upon and trust that no time will be lost in making a beginning with them. It is high time that the Corporation finances were placed on a sound basis.—Yours etc.,

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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

R. I. N. DEMONSTRATIONS IN CALCUTTA

Serious disturbances occurred in Calcutta during the early part of the 22nd February last when demonstrators interfered with tram and bus traffic.

The demonstration was in protest against the firing by police and military on R. I. N ratings then on strike in Bombay and Karachi.

Train service at all the three stations at Sealdah, Calcutta, was totally suspended as the result of a 24-hour strike by the station staff, which started from the morning of the 23rd February in sympathy with the R. I N. ratings in Bombay and Karachi

In consequence of the strike, no trains excepting Darjeeling Mail, Dacca Mail, North Bengal Express and a few early morning local trains arrived at any of the three stations at Sealdah. Nor did any train leave Sealdah on Saturday barring the Khulna Passenger which left in the morning, but was held up shortly after it had left Calcutta.

The train service on the E I R was disrupted for some hours in the morning as a result of large crowds holding up trains at Belur by squatting on the railway line Excepting Four Up local trains which were cancelled, normal running of the trains in this system was resumed in the afternoon Trains ran as usual on the B N R

In sympathy with R. I N ratings about 50,000 workers including B A Railwaymen and workers of about 30 factories struck work for a day on Saturday and paraded the streets of the city and its suburbs

The train service to and from Sealdah Station (B A Railway), Calcutta, was resumed on Sunday, the 24th February, the men returning to work after a one day strike in protest against military and police firing in Bombay and Karachi.

Trams in the city also started running

ACHIEVEMENTS OF ROTARY MOVEMENT

The achievements of the Rotary movement during the 41 years of its existence were recounted by Mr N C. Laharry at the weekly meeting of the Calcutta Rotary Club at the Great Eastern Hotel on the 19th February last

The movement was founded in 1905 by an American, Mr Paul Harris, with four members drawn from four distinct vocations To-day the movement encircles the world with 253,435 members and about 6,000 clubs in 60 different countries India has 69 clubs, with a total membership of 3,360 One of the most important objects of Rotary is the promotion of goodwill and understanding among different races and nations

INFLUX OF DESTITUTES IN CALCUTTA

The number of destitutes coming into Calcutta is increasing. It is estimated that 200 people mostly women are arriving daily from 24-Parganas, Howrah and other districts and from neighbouring provinces

The Government of Bengal are rounding up the destitutes and taking them to Government homes There are three homes in Calcutta which accommodate over 1,000 people. Children are sent to orphanages

BENGAL MUSLIM LEAGUE

The Working Committee of the Bengal Provincial Muslim League at its meeting in Calcutta on Wednesday, the 27th February, decided to expel from the Muslim League organisation all members of the League who are contesting the official League nominees in the general elections or are assisting such contestants.

The Committee has called for explanations from such persons to be submitted to the secretary of the Bengal Provincial Muslim League by March 7. The nominees of the League have been asked to send information regarding persons opposing League nominees also by March 7, and all explanations and papers received in this connection will be considered by the Committee on March 8.

NEW VICE-CHANCELLOR

His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has nominated Mr P N Banerjee to succeed Dr. Radha Binode Pal as Vice Chancellor

The term of the present Vice-Chancellor of Calcutta University, Dr Radha Binode Pal, expires on March 12.

CALCUTTA IMPORT TRADERS' ASSOCIATION

The Government of India's policy relating to import licences was criticised by Mr. J. Lenk, presiding at the annual meeting of the Calcutta Import Traders' Association at the Royal Exchange.

The present system of control, he said, appeared to be used not in the interests of the consumer, but in an attempt to protect certain indigenous industries. It was understood that import licences were being refused for some articles now being considered for protection by the Tariff Board No regard, however, was apparently shown to the quality or price of indigenous products or to the ability of indigenous industries to meet consumers' requirements either on a quality or quantity basis Numerous complaints had been received by the Association and similar organizations in other parts of India in this connexion The Central Government's Commerce Department had been approached to remedy the situation

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

There were 704 deaths from all causes in Calcutta during the week ended the 23rd February against 808 in the previous week The figures for the preceding week (ended February 16) included 54 reported deaths in connexion with the recent disturbances During the corresponding two weeks last year the total mortality in the city averaged 959.

Attacks and deaths from cholera were 70 and 21, respectively, against 65 and 24 the week before During the corresponding two weeks last year there were 26 and 21 attacks and 11 and 8 deaths

Smallpox attacks and deaths were two each against four and three respectively in the previous week In the corresponding two weeks last year attacks from this disease averaged 387 and deaths 289

Malaria caused 31 deaths, a rise of three over the preceding week's figure.

There were 122 recorded deaths of paupers against 127 the week before

NEW TAGORE LAW PROFESSOR

The Senate of Calcutta University appointed Prof. Elemer Balogh of the University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, Tagore Law Professor on an honorarium of Rs. 9,000 on the 23rd February last. The subject of his lectures will be "Adaptation of law to Economic Conditions."

Supporting the appointment, Mr. Justice C. C. Biswas said that at a previous meeting when the matter was discussed some members said that the University should have nothing to do with any one coming from South Africa which had been so hostile to India. In recommending the appointment, the University was actuated only by academic considerations The appointment of Prof. Balogh would in no way compromise the honour and dignity of the country and the University.

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SANSKRIT STUDIES IN BENGAL

The annual convocation of the Bengal Sanskrit Association was held on the 23rd February last at the Sanskrit College, Mr. Justice B. K. Mukherjee, the President, presiding. Owing to the trouble on the railways, the lack of transport in Calcutta, and the deplorable condition of the city, attendance was inevitably smaller than usual; most of the winners of prizes, scholarships and diplomas had been unable to get to Calcutta or if in the neighbourhood unable to get to College Square.

The proceedings opened as usual with a Vedic chant; the distribution of awards followed; the Secretary of the Association gave an account of the year's work and the present state of Sanskrit studies, the President's address discussed with vigour the general want of interest in Sanskrit studies and the common feeling that they are alien to the spirit of the day and an impediment to wordly success. As is usual and proper, all the proceedings were in Sanskrit.

CALCUTTA CIVIC GUARDS

The Calcutta Civic Guards were on parade on Sunday, the 24th February; to mark the change-over of the Provincial Civic Guard Organization from a war-time to a peacetime footing. Mr. Norton Jones, Deputy Commissioner of Police, is in charge of the Organization.

The Government, in deciding to convert the organization from a wartime to a peacetime body, envisages the disbandment of the wholetime paid Civic Guards in Calcutta and reduction of volunteers. From March 1, there will be 30 Civic Guards in each of the 25 Calcutta Districts, working under a District Commandant and other officers.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

ALLEGED ILLEGAL BUILDING PLAN

Mr. Justice Clough of the Calcutta High Court, disposed of an application in which the petitioner, Chaturbhuj Haridas asked *inter alia* for an order on the first respondent, the Corporation of Calcutta that they do cancel or withdraw the sanction which they were alleged to have illegally granted in respect of a plan submitted to them of premises No. 6, Karbala Mohamed Street, Calcutta, belonging to Mussamat Barji Kowri, the second respondent and deal with or reconsider that plan in accordance with the Calcutta Municipal Act and the rules contained in schedule XVII of the Act.

Mr. B. C. Dutt appeared for the petioner; Mr. J. C. Sett and Mr. R. N. Mitter (Jr.) for the Corporation; Mr. B. C. Ghose and Mr. S. K. Basu for the second respondent.

The petitioner claimed to be owner of premises No. 5, Karbala Mahomad Street adjoining the premises No. 6, and his case was that he had been informed that plan for further construction, addition or alteration of the building existing at premises No. 6 had been illegally sanctioned by the Corporation. That plan was alleged to offend against the building rules of the Corporation.

He further alleged that the respondent No. 2 had started building rooms and sheds above the third storey of her premises No. 6, pursuant to the alleged sanction, and was threatening to construct the entire building into a four-storied premises. He alleged that such construction would prejudically affect the sanitation and ventilation of his own premises No. 5. The respondents denied the charges made by the petitioner.

His lordship held that the proposed verandah on the fourth storey on the north of the courtyard infringed Schedule XVII, but the sanction did not affect the side space or back space rules. The plaintiff was not prejudiced by other matters complained of. The Corporation was directed to consider the plan in the light of his lordship's judgment so far as it affected the verandah on the fourth storey on the north.

VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending
16th *February*, 1946

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN AND SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 808 against 756 and 749 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 196. The general death rate of the week was 16.68 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 16th February, 1946, was 693 against 627 and 643 in the two preceding weeks There were 19 deaths from cholera against 14 and 12 in the two preceding weeks. There was nil death from small pox during the week against nil in the previous week. There was nil death from influenza against nil in the previous week The mortality from fevers and bowel complaints amounted to 64 and 80 respectively against 61 and 71 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 16 34 per mille per annum.

There were 24 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 15.77.

There were 161 deaths from respiratory diseases against 145 in the previous week

There were 47 deaths from tuberculosis against 37 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 115 against 129 and 106 in the two preceding weeks Of these, 5 were from cholera, 3 from small-pox, nil from influenza, 12 from fevers, 14 from bowel complaints and 33 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 19.10 per mille

There were 4 deaths from tuberculosis against 8 in the previous week

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	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				
A—3	0 8 0	Do.	—	—	—

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

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Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—3 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 8 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	Potatoes
A. 141-142	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 12 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 x 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 12 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	3 4 0	
,, 158-159	0 12 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

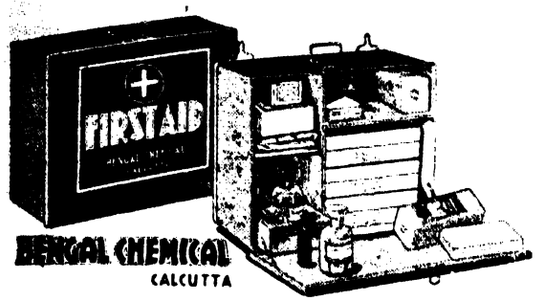
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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)								
[illegible]	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	E. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 6	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 2	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 5	2 10 6	Do.
						,, 4	1 10 0	Do.

*Newly [illegible] erected.

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2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12 Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
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ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lebster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs		1 14 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal "	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	
Garlic "	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Rauchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
" (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 3 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
*Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras "		
Ghee Lakhee	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	
Do. Sree	5 0 0	6 0 0
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		
Milk "		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
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Sugar "	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	3 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
" (Sugarcandy) "	0 12 0 (Ration Shop)	
Suji	0 8 0 (Con.)	
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga " "	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai "	0 6 6	
Biuli "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katona)	0 8 0	0 9 0
" (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) "	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal "		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
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Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. 2 "		
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Robinson's Barley		
Colma Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0		

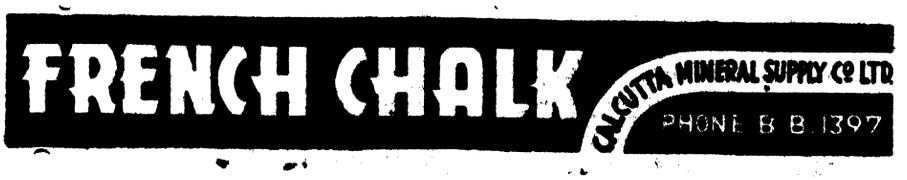
ARTICLES.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.			
Chops per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0	
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0	
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 8 0	
Leg per sr. ...	4 0 0	4 8 0	
Saddle per lb. ...	4 0 0	4 8 0	
Shoulder per lb ...	3 8 0	4 8 0	
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0	
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 6	
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0	2 4 0	
Brain ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0	
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0	0 14 0	
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0		
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0	
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0	
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0	
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0	

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldine ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 6 0	4 10 0

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Prices of foreign articles as well as Indian commodities are liable to fluctuate daily without notice and not controllable at present on account of War and hence approximate prices are given.



Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 10 0	4 4 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 6 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 10 0	3 12 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	20 0 0	25 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Portridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do.* Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 10 0	0 14 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do. (Allahabad) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. Simla ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 8 0	0 9 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 8 0	0 8 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 5 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
*Do. Shillong (Contr.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...		
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 8 0	2 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 12 0	0 12 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 10 0	0 14 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
*Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Tarai per seer —		
Kankrole per seer —		
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,		
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 8 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Garlic per seer ..	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ..		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ..		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 12 0	0 13 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 7 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 10 0	1 14 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...		
Do. Golapkhash —		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 12—16 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 16—8	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
...lum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
...Inca pple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Siugapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
...lantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
...apaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
...Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
...mmalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
...mmalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
...Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
...Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
...Balasia do. ...		
...Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
...Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
...Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ...		
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata 10—16 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato—		
,, 12	,, 7 ,,	Do.	*9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
E. 5	,, 6 ,,	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	,, 3	Betel leaves.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,, —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ..		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,, —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (salt-water) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, .	4 8 0	5 8 0
Outla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) .	2 0 0	2 4 0
Rohi per seer ..	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Butter fish per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 8 0	4 8 0
Lobster —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 12 0	3 4 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 4 0	4 10 0
Mackerel —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp per seer —	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,, ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,, ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland ,, —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed, ,, }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red ,, ,,		
Wheat ,, . ..		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) ,, —		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolai manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,, ...		
Kamini rice ,, ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer ...		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar ,, ...		0 12 0
Chola ,, —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor ,, —		0 13 0
Khasari ,, ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) , ...		0 13 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. ,, ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. ,, ..	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,, ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
,, ,, Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,, ...	0 0 6	
80 ,, ,, ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Haiud ,, —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins ,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 3
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 3	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 3	
Zoological Loose ...		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Prices	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0	
Deresske per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	2 0 0
„ „ (magnum)		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb....	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb....	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Quaker Oats 36 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt. —		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb, per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb.		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small 0 4 0	Large 0 9 0
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	1 9 0	
*Chamois Leather large...		
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	1 12 0	
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 2 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Sloan's Liniment ...	2 11 0	
*Kruschen Salt ...		
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	123 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Veg. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 14	0 3 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 3 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 3 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Kora)		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chinishakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dadkhani		
Deshi Boiled		
Dudhkalma		
Control (Medium)		
,, (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole)		
Gram (Dal)		0 8 0
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 8 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,,		
Pabna ,,		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		0 5 6
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 0
Do. (white) ,,		
Suji		0 5 6
Gur (Beli) (control)		
,, Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital	0 4	0 5 0
Potato (New)	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal		
Brinjal	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khasht	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns		
Parsey		
Bagda		
Bhetki		
Crab per pair	0 2 0	0 5 0
Koi	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits)	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer		
Ranchi ,,		6 0 0
Sree (Mark)		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled)	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do.	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
Do. (Bata)		
Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
Atta		0 5 0
Do. B		
Gur (Beli)		0 5 6
Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer		4 0 0
Milk		0 10 0
Cows' Head		
Condensed Milk		
Milk Maid		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer		2 0 0
Oranges 12—30	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,,		10 0 0
Dates Arab	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer		
Naspati		
Mango		
,, (Langra)		
Pomegranate per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer		
Potatoes New	0 3 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanita)	0 10 0	
Brinjal	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer	1 8 0	
Pona ,,	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,,	1 12 0	
Bagda ,,	1 6 0	
Bhetki ,,	1 12 0	
Crab (each)	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do.		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin		
Cocoa Hornby		
Coffee Polson's lb.		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb.		1 0 0
H. & P. Do.		
Household per tin		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin.		
Pearl Barley (C. B.)		
Sago (Pearl)		
Quaker's Oats		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each		
Jam		
Jelly		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin)		0 9 0
Quickwhite (White) (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin		
Do. per bottle		
Do. ,, bulk		
Rising Sun		
Do. per bottle		

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PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th February, 1946

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		2 0 0
Do. 2nd " " —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls " —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger " —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay " ...		
Do. Country " —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi " ...		
Do. Gauhati " ...		
Country — —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Rilly " ...		
Cabbage " ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling " ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi " —		
Beans " —	0 10 0	
Squash " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...	0 1 0	0 2 0
Bit per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—3 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bukhara per seer ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot " ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghosa " ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab " —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. Bagdad " ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta " ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer " ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi " ...		
Khobani " " ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts " ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ..		
Jamrul " " ...		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeta 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia ...		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagora ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 1 —12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna " ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 ...	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled " —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground " ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay " " ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh " " ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore " per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur " " ...	3 8 0	
Pabna " " ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga " " ...		
Mazafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Prawns " ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa " ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rohi " ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) " ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish " ...		1 8 0
Chetal " ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda ...	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) " ...		
Patnai (Atap) " md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata " ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse " —		
Medium "		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java " ...		
Cocoanut Oil " ...		
Mustard Oil " ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour " ...		
Atta " ...		
Sujee " ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal " ...	0 10 0	
Arhar " ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari " ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) " ...		0 10 0
Mator " ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal " —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
" " Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 8 6	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 13 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	...	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	...	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 8 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ..	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mascor ,, ..	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ..		
Khasaree . —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ..	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 0 0	
Fuel ,, ...	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 10 0	1 12 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —	1 10 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage ...	0 2 0	
Cauliflour (English) a ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakra) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,, —	0 3 0	
Raddish ,, —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Squash ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 8 0	1 0 0
White ,, ,, —		Contd.
Tomato Ranchi per seer —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Country) —		
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes ,, —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree ,, —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Co-operative) —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer —	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 8 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Mascor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 3 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946,

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Silong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Atubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 8 0	0 8 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 8 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 8 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

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SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Ghandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
36A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		26 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
32 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 3 0 ,,				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H..		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
90	0 10 0	Do.
" 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
" 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
Coconut Range 15	0 4 0	Coconut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
" 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
" 31	0 4 0	Do
" 39—40	1 0 0	Do
" 41—43	1 10 0	Do
West Range (New) 3	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be
" 32	35 0 0	approved by the
" 58	43 0 0	Committee.
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	38 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do
" 55	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74 } " 115-130 }	7 8 0	Do.
" 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
" * 9	0 8 0	Do
" * 10	0 8 0	Do
" * 18	0 8 0	Do
" * 19	0 8 0	Do
" * 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
" * 35	0 4 0	Do
" * 40—42 each	0 8 0	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
" 57	0 5 6	Do
" 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9 each	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
" 5 & 6	0 4 0	Do
"	0 5 0	Do
" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Betel

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 8 0	Vegetables
						30 ,,	0 8 0	,,
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 8 0	Vegetables
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B. Chandney	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
						78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
Fork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,			
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS







(Inside Municipal Markets)

Marks for
BUFFALO MEAT







BEEF







MUTTON







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Marks for
COW & BUFFALO MEATS







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Corporation Appoints New Arbitrator

The Calcutta Corporation at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 6th February, appointed Mr. N. K. Basu, an eminent Advocate of the Calcutta High Court, as its Arbitrator in connection with the proposed purchase of Calcutta Tramways undertaking by the Corporation and requested the Company to appoint its Arbitrator.

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul, who moved the resolution, said that instructions should be given to the Office as well as the Arbitrator that the first act of the Arbitrators before entering on the reference should be the appointment of an Umpire.

It will be recalled that the arbitration proceedings could not be proceeded with on the 16th January last as the Arbitrators on behalf of the parties had failed to appoint an Umpire before entering on the reference as provided in the agreement between the parties.

Councillor Paul also said that in view of the legal opinion obtained from Mr. N. C. Chatterjee and Mr. A. C. Gupta as regards holding a fresh arbitration, another attempt should be made to put the matter to arbitration again. As litigation in a matter like this was bound to be expensive and as the Corporation was determined to make the purchase, the best course for them would be to explore the avenue of arbitration once again. Failing that, litigation would have to be resorted to.

Councillor Phanindra Nath Brahma said that the Company should be told that if it failed to appoint its Arbitrator, then the Corporation's Aribtrator would be the sole Arbitrator and his decision would be final and binding on both the parties.

The House had before it the report of the Law Officer on the arbitration proceedings in the matter of acquisition of the Calcutta Tramways undertaking.

The first sitting of arbitration, according to the Law Officer's report, was held on the 16th January last at the residence of Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose (No. 1, Woodburn Park). As approved by the Chairman of the Estates and General Purposes Committee, Mr. P. B. Mukherjee, Barrister-law, appeared on behalf of the Corporation, while Mr. S. Chowdhury, Barrister-at-Law, for the Company.

At the very outset, Mr. Chowdhury enquired of the Arbitrators (Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose representing the Corporation and Mr. W. Younie representing the Calcutta Tramways) if they would proceed with the reference, and on their replying in the affirmative, Mr Chowdhury submitted that he was appearing for the Company under protest, as the contract dated 3rd September, 1945, and consequently, the submission thereunder having been cancelled, the arbitration could not be proceeded with.

Mr. Mukherjee on behalf of the Corporation had hardly said a few words in answer to this submission when he pointed out to the Arbitrators that according to the express provisions of the Agreement they were to appoint an Umpire "before entering on the reference". Mr. Chowdhury objected to this saying that as the Arbitrators had already entered on the reference they could not appoint an Umpire at that stage.

At this Mr. Mukherjee pointed out that as the reference had just started, the Arbitrators could retire and decide as to the appointment of an Umpire and that the objection taken by Mr. Chowdhury was absolutely technical.

Mr. Chowdhury having pressed his objection, the Arbitrators, after hearing the parties, retired for a few minutes for having a discussion amongst themselves. On returning Mr. Bose said that they had made up their minds and that as they had failed to appoint an Umpire before entering on the reference as provided in the Agreement they could not, at that stage, make an appointment. They would not, therefore, proceed with the reference and had to leave the parties to take such action as they might be advised.

The Arbitrators having decided not to proceed with the arbitration, the Chief Executive Officer suggested that opinion of Counsel should be taken on the following points:—

(1) If the agreement of 3rd September, 1945, still subsists and if so whether the Corporation should now proceed to appoint a new Arbitrator and call upon the Tramways Co Ltd., to appoint their Arbitrator and proceed with the arbitration afresh.

(2) Whether in view of what has happened the Corporation should apply to High Court to pass an order on the Arbitrators to proceed with the arbitration.

The matter was placed before the Corporation on the 1st February, 1946, when the House postponed consideration of it for circulation of the opinions of Messrs. N. C. Chatterjee and A. C. Gupta.

The Corporation on the 5th February, 1946, again postponed consideration of the matter.

At the Corporation Meeting on the 20th February, 1946, consideration of the matter was again postponed.

COUNCILLOR'S GIFT TO CORPORATION

The House thankfully accepted the offer of Councillor Golam Hossain of an open plot of land on Narkeldanga North Road with a structure thereon built by him for the establishment of a dispensary to be named 'Mewa Charitable Dispensary.'

NAMING A CALCUTTA ROAD AFTER NETAJI

Consideration of the proposal of Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen to name Elgin Road as "Netaji Subhas Chandra Avenue" was postponed to a later meeting.

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Anti-Sales Tax Campaign

Calcutta Traders' "Hartal" Ends

THE 18-day old Calcutta traders' 'hartal' ended and shops opened on Tuesday, the 5th March. Nearly 72,000 shops were involved in this strike.

Following the decision of the different Indians trades associations, the consumers' committee and other interests to suspend the 'hartal', most of the shops and stores, which were closed since the 15th February last as a protest against the Sales Tax, opened and carried on business as usual.

"THE TAX CANNOT BE JUSTIFIED"—OPINES THE MAYOR.

"The *hartal* in the city as a protest against Bengal Sales Tax to continue till the entire tax is repealed," was the decision taken at a meeting of consumers and dealers held on the 1st March last under the presidentship of Jnananjan Neogi, at the Corporation Commercial Museum.

The meeting further resolved that arrangements be at once made to intensify the hartal and to extend it amongst the consumers in various ways and for co-ordinating other centres of co-operation from the students and the masses.

The electric dealers in various parts of the city also joined the *hartal*.

Following the assurance of His Excellency the Governor of Bengal to suspend the enhanced sales tax, communicated through the Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. Mukherjee, all the shops of the Hogg Market opened from Saturday, the 2nd March, 1946.

In an interview to the *Associated Press of America*, the President of the All Bengal Anti-Sales Tax Agitation Committee, Mr. Hemendra Prosad Ghosh, said that "the situation may go out of hand if timely action is not forthcoming."

Saying that the enhancement was the "last straw on the camel's back," he declared: "surely His Excellency the Governor could have, and should have, shown greater regard for the basic principle of democracy—no taxation without representation—by leaving the tax at two pice in the rupee."

The tax, he explained, originally imposed in July, at two pice in the rupee, was doubled during Section 93 Administration of Bengal.

The Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, who is also the President of the Calcutta Consumers' Association, holding that the tax "cannot be justified on any ground," said the strike was causing "immense hardship" to about 60,60,000 of people in Greater Calcutta.

He urged the Government to revise its decision, and suggested that the Government, in case of budget deficit, can meet it by imposing taxes on luxuries, race course and liquor.

The Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, met the representatives of the Consumers Committee, which had been formed on the 2nd March last with him as the Chairman, in the Mayor's room.

The Mayor requested the consumers' represetatives to be quiet, peaceful and disciplined until the Committee decides one way or the other.

A resolution advising Indian dealers of Calcutta to suspend the *hartal* for the present and appealing to the public to co-operate fully in the restoration of normal order was accepted at the meeting of the provisional Consumers' Committee, the Mayor presiding.

The Committee came to the above decision "after carefully examining the situation in the country and having due regard to the appeal made

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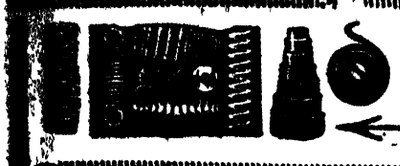
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by the Congress President and other leaders to observe an atmosphere of truce with the Government for the time being in view of the grave issues under negotiation."

They congratulated the traders and the public on their conducting "a most peaceful *hartal* for about three weeks as a protest against the Sales Tax" and observed: "The Bengal Government have at last bent to the force of public opinion, although partially, and have issued a *communique* suspending the recent enhancement of the rate of the tax from three pice to one anna in the rupee."

The Committee also expressed their desire to continue the campaign against the tax in other forms and appealed to both the public and the traders to do everything they can to control anti-social activities."

"The Government of Bengal have had under consideration representations which continue to be received against the enhancement of the Sales Tax from three pice to one annam in the rupee together with the situation caused by the *hartal* of traders in consumers goods", stated a Bengal Government *communique* issued on the 2nd March last.

"The original grievance of the traders that the tax could not be added to the controlled price has been completely removed by orders of the Government of India received since this movement began", the *communique* also stated. "The Government, however, recognize that there still exists a widely held apprehension that the further enhancement of the tax above the levels prevailing in other provinces, and the absence of any Sales Tax in some provinces which have important markets in consumer goods, will lead to some displacement of trade from Bengal.

"Meanwhile, a new position has arisen through the announcement by the Finance Member of the Government of India of the appointment of a Committee to report on the present tax structure and incidence of taxation in India.

"On a further review of these circumstances, H. E. the Governor has decided to restore the *status quo* by suspending the enactment enhancing the Sales Tax to one anna in the rupee till its operation can be brought under review by the Ministry which, it is hoped, will take office after the elections. The repeal of the Professions Tax which was undertaken as a partial offset to the enhancement of the Sales Tax will not be rescinded, but the statutory exemption of boots and shoes up to a certain price which forms part of the enactment now suspended, ceases to have effect as from the date of reversion of the tax to three pice in the rupee.

"Government would take this opportunity of correcting statements made in the course of recent agitation to the effect that the Sales Tax was originally introduced as a temporary war-time measure. No such undertaking was given when the Bill was placed before the Legislative Assembly, and it is clear from the speeches made on behalf of Government at the time that there was no such intention. The Finance Minister in introducing the Bill in November 1940, explained that "the present resources of the Government of Bengal are not sufficient to enable them to maintain the natural development of the programme of nation-building activities already in progress, and for the purpose of financing the further beneficent schemes for the economic improvement of the province additional revenues are essential." This is exactly the present function of the tax as one of the sources of general revenue in the carefully co-ordinated scheme of provincial taxation."

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The Rabindra Memorial Committee was confronted with almost insuperable difficulties in this matter but the intervention of Mr. R. G. Casey, the outgoing Governor of Bengal, seems to have brought this cherished objective of theirs within the bounds of possibility at no distant date.

It may be recalled in this connection that some parts of the ancestral house of Poet Tagore at Jorasanko, Calcutta, had been sold out some time back and these purchasers wanted to demolish the old structures and construct a new one in their place. All attempts to persuade the purchasers to sell the property back to the Rabindra Memorial Committee proved abortive. His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey intervened at this stage and passed orders for legal proceedings to be initiated under the Bengal Land Acquisition Act for acquiring the entire plot of land together with the structures thereon. At the instance of the Governor, a lump grant of one lakh of rupees in favour of the Rabindra Memorial Committee has, it is understood, also been provided for in the next Budget of the Bengal Government.

Mr. Casey appreciated the response of the people for this noble cause and observed that it was really going to be a people's memorial.

He also expressed the desire to be present in Calcutta at the time of formal opening of this memorial.

After the formality of the Land Acquisition Court proceedings are gone through, the Rabindra Memorial Committee will set up a Board of Trustees for giving concrete shape to the aims and objects which the Committee have in view for perpetuating Poet Tagore's memory.

In this connection, Mr. Sures Chandra Mazumdar, Honorary Secretary to the Rabindra Memorial Committee, has announced that the Committee have so far been able to raise nearly Rs. 18 lakhs as subscription. While characterising this response from the public as very generous and encouraging, Mr. Mazumder feels that at least 25 lakhs would be necessary to carry out the projects of the Committee.

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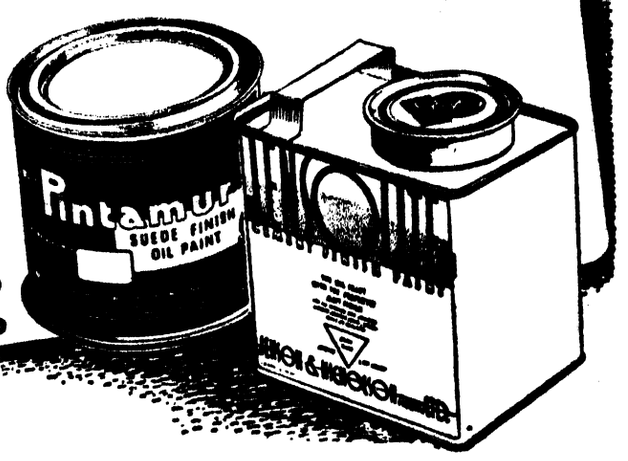


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Instructions have also been issued that broken rice and rice not in first class condition may be made available to District Magistrates for relief operations when necessary.

Cheap grain shops have been opened in some areas in Mymensingh District and arrangements have been made for the opening of such shops in certain other districts.

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"India is 6,000,000 tons short of foodgrains and the food shortage in some sections is already so great that the Government has had to take over responsibility of feeding part of the population."

The announcement was made by Mr. B. R. Sen, Secretary of the Food Department, at a Press Conference at New Delhi on the 2nd March last.

In the House of Commons on Monday, the 4th March, the Under-Secretary of State for India, Mr. Arthur Henderson, said that the Indian Food Delegation had discussed with the British Government India's import requirements of food-grains to meet the present emergency.

"The British Government," Mr. Henderson said, "will make every effort in Washington to see that India's requirements are met as fully as possible at the earliest possible date."

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[By 'Citizen "Monte" ']

After reading the Safety First Supplement to the Municipal Gazette

WRITING, in this country, is yet unfortunately not much as a profession to write home about. In the middle of the twentieth century even, there lurks about our writers still a guilty, woe-begone look which proclaims distinct disadvantages from the 'box office" outlook with consequential maladjustments in social hierarchy. And yet of all professions known to men, writing is the most prolific. You can, although you may not, write on anything. As a matter of fact, you do not, it seems, even require anything to write about. For, have not volumes and volumes been already written on nothing at all? Only they call it Nihilism, or a philosophy of negation or by some other high-sounding name. But the fact remains that one can still write—on nothing. Looking at it from another point of view, this is just what writers in India usually and actually do: they write (to exist) on practically nothing. But we have already touched upon the "box office" aspect of Indian journalism.

An old saying declares that writing makes the perfect man. Because, we presume, you get your man more perfectly through what he has written than what he is heard or remembered to have spoken. But this rather seems to put a premium upon the noble art of writing, inasmuch as it clearly goes to indicate the enunciation of a "safety first" principle in the field of literature which places writing at a disadvantage. This is more explicitly expressed in an Indian saying of greater antiquity which says: "Speak hundreds (of words) but write none". In fact, in the matter of safety from future complications speech seems to have been definitely preferable in ancient wisdom to writing.

VERY interesting possibilities are promised to the research student who would seriously undertake to go into this ancient ban against writing. It is quite possible that it will be established beyond dispute that the ancients were also aware of historic occasions which cause huge governmental machinery to be set in motion to inaugurate vigorous campaigns, the "Use less paper" campaign, for instance. But the research student needs go deeper into the thing and discover the real reason why writers were deemed more helpless and less able to defend themselves than the speakers, *ipso facto*. Valuable information may also some to light on ancient systems of news chronicle and propaganda and the self-preservative practices of ancient journalists. Although, it has to be admitted, that it is really not the journalists who, in modern days at least, are responsible for the very flourishing vogue of writing. Our politicians are and have been valiantly doing their bit to carry on the good work with only this difference that they always seem to have a happy knack of writing a lot even when saying nothing. This may be a new approach to the old "safety first" warning given out by our ancient wiseacres, but there it is: and it certainly encourages writing and is the key-note of political (particularly, colonial) journalism.

It will be a sad mistake, however, to jump to the conclusion that our wise and hoary ancients had the idea that what is spoken should not be written or *vice versa*. As vehicles of expression of the human mind, speech and writing are practically of the same value. It is only on the degree of personal caution involved in each that opinions differ. But so far as we in these modern days are concerned, both speech and writing are just the same—at least in the matter of the degree of commitment that each involves its author in. So that we are now perfectly free to write as we do with (or without) as much safety as if we were speaking it. Indeed, writing may be said to have come very much into fashion these days. The risk (warned by ancients) seems to have been simply ignored because it concerns only the individuals and not the noble art itself. And that is probably why we find our present politicians so keen on reducing everything to writing.

This is evident from the fact that the task of settling down again to peaceful progress amidst a war-torn world is being at last accomplished through the writing of innumerable protocols, charters, treaties and similar acknowledgments of mutual duties and obligations among the people of the world. India's freedom, it may be safely predicted rightaway, will also come in writing as well as in speech. Of late, a tendency is noted among the powers that be to exercise stringent economy of speech on the subject, the Viceroy's last address to the Central Assembly providing a striking instance of this economy. But nevertheless freedom will come, sure as divine wrath on incorrigible mortals, only it shall always elude form and shape unless reduced to writing. Not that our freedom will be wholly or merely literary, but a lot of writing needs must be at the bottom of it, if you see what I mean

TALKING of freedom, however, it is significant to note that the kind of freedom which the "Safety First" campaign is usually supposed to indicate, is not exactly the "Quit India" variety. The movement, as a matter of fact, is intended for freedom from careless habits which cause people to quit more than India—their very earthly existence, in fact. In other words, preventible loss of life or serious injury to limbs is the aim of "Safety First" campaigners of whom everybody should know about. For one thing, their patient perseverance is not only remarkable, but extremely commendable. Regardless of the fact that Science, wedded to Warfare, has been but just induced to cease from annihilating millions of human beings in less time than the proverbial twinkling of an eye, and also, further, that the scientists of the day are busy

feverishly contemplating completion of the Atom Bomb which, in power of devastation, equals if not exceeds the traditional conception of the God of Destruction in Indian philosophy, these worthy people, —the "Safety First" campaigners, I mean,—are going about patiently trying to prevent people from being killed in street accidents with a *naivete* which is almost seraphic. They certainly deserve more than passing notice and the worthy Editor of this eminent *Gazette* certainly deserves public esteem for seeking to bestow noble praise where it is so richly due.

A LITTLE thought on the incidence of fatal accidents will convince you that the real danger lies not so much in forgetting the "safety first" principle, but rather in our happening to think of it at the wrong place and moment—that is to say, right in the middle of the street with mechanical contrivances and vehicles moving by in a death dealing manner. From the comparative safety of the writer's desk, it may be easy to debate upon the apportionment of guilt between careless drivers and their no less careless victims. But gravly and closely concerning civic life, as it inevitably does, the question certainly needs deeper study.

OF late public imagination and temper were greatly exercised in Calcutta over a number of deaths happening with alarming frequency due to people being run over by vehicles of a particular type and class. It was then that the Government was moved to take a hand in inaugurating a vigorous "Safety First" propaganda. So vigorous, indeed, was the "Safety" drive engineered by Government that people were pardonably bewildered to find in the Government so much anxiety for preserving peoples' lives. Apart from the lavish munificence (with people's money) displayed by the Government on this score, this was certainly a very welcome indication of a "change of heart" rather strikingly evident against the sinister background of the "man-made" famine devastations which gave unto Death a deplorably large toll of human lives which the god of war had been successfully cheated of, as regards Bengal particularly. Be that as it may, the "all-out" endeavours of the Government to make us safety-conscious came as a mild surprise, so to speak, specially to those, who had already comfortably delivered their souls to the easy virtues of fatalism.

Growing along with the complacent lethargy of the "fatalists" was also a certain tension of public temper with regard to the element of social justice in respect of these unfortunate deaths. The stark tragedy of these deaths interfered with clarity of thought and resulted in some bitterness of feeling So that the question now involves a matter of civic principle: what constitutes safety of the road for Calcutta pedestrians? On the face of it, it is certainly hard on the victims of these fatal street accidents to be subjected to an amount of dishonour even after they have paid the maximum penalty of death for their sins of omission or commission. But even death fails to provide adequate excuse for disowning responsibility for social continuity. And, therefore, the need was greatly felt for establishing a knowledgable convention as to road safety in Calcutta.

THE primary fact about death is that it is liable to happen even without a moment's notice. People have, therefore, to be very careful so as not to fall into its clutches unwittingly. But exercise of caution should be imperative not only on the probable victims but also on those whose carelessness causes fellow human beings killed. The "Safety First" campaign was designed to meet this contingency. But man, now-a-days, has passed under the control of machines rather than keeping control over them. This is particularly true of those who drive lorries and trucks. They simply cannot get their machines to comply in time with their earnest desire to prevent anyone being run over. Recognition of this caused the campaigners to pay greater stress on the work of warning pedestrians. The work of cautioning the 'road hog" was also admirably carried on. But still doubts remained about the maximum exercise of caution in each of the cases turning fatal by both the driver and his victim. Considering that accidents are still occurring, it is obvious that the work of the "Safety First" campaigners is yet not quite complete in Calcutta. This is all the more surprising because the people of Calcutta, as a rule, are certainly never ignorant of or reluctant to admit, the need for precautions for the sake of safety Take, for instance, the unfortunate deaths by trampling which occurred in Deshabandhu Park the other day. But thereafter more colossal gatherings have taken place in the very same grounds, but the disciplined movement of people —the same people who, as pedestrians, mostly use the roads of Calcutta—have been admirably suited to "Safety First" principles and not a single similar case of accident has been allowed to happen. This is a pointer for those who take the pedestrians' guilt for granted in all such cases of death by accident. It also helps us to realize that huge and costly organisations, under full Government control, are not also essential to ensure public safety through concerted public action What you have to do is to leave the business of the people to the people concerned and check the malicious *zoolum* of power-mad drivers, who refuse to recognise their duty to the people they are passing by. As matters stand, there is an uncomfortable feeling that drivers enjoy better safety, after the accident, from needful repurcussions than the pedestrians, who are lucky to get away with "minor" injuries. Such glaring injustice to "minorities" are justly apt to make people irritated, and needs careful consideration both by Government and the public.

In fine, then, the "Safety First" is an important and socially necessary campaign which should be effectively organised from within the society and by the people themselves. There are various aspects, of course, of this campaign. The first, and the most obvious one, has been dealt with above. Like so many other things undertaken by the Government, the campaign yet remains to be blessed with appreciable success. It is not the fault of the people, really, that speedier success is not yet attained. That, however, is another story which does not concern an academic discussion of the movement. And what does not concern us here academically is a matter of great controversy which should be avoided. Safety first, what?

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

MRS. SWAMINATHAN IN CALCUTTA

The need for ungrudging sacrifice and suffering in the cause of the country was stressed by Mrs. Ammu Swaminathan, M.L.A., (Central), replying to a reception accorded her on the 1st March last at Puddapukur Institution, Bhowanipore, by the Kerala residents in Calcutta.

Referring to Azad Hind Government and Indian National Army, she said that these were the greatest gift of Netaji to his nation. They were really free men and women who breathed free air. Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose was undoubtedly a great man, a national leader of great eminence. It was frivolous for anyone to suggest that he wanted to hand over India to the Japanese.

Mrs. Swaminathan paid her highest tribute to the leadership of Gandhiji.

Mr. K. P. Thomas, who presided, referred to Mrs. Swaminathan as one of the most talented daughters of Kerala. She was the only elected woman member of the Central Assembly, who had the rare honour to represent Madras city. He added that four hundred million people of India loved and honoured her for being the mother of Lt.-Col. Lakshmi Swaminathan. He hoped she would be brought to India soon.

Mrs. Swaminathan left Calcutta for Delhi on the 2nd March last.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

Total mortality in Calcutta during the week ended March 2 numbered 684, *a drop of* 20 *from the previous week's figure. During the two corresponding week last year deaths from all causes averaged* 979.

Cholera attacks and deaths numbered 57 *and* 31, *respectively, against* 70 *and* 21 *the week before. During the corresponding weeks last year attacks averaged* 38 *and deaths* 13.

There were 7 *attacks and* 4 *deaths from smallpox during the week against two each in the preceding week. Last year, attacks averaged* 366 *and deaths* 271 *during the two corresponding weeks.*

Malaria caused 32 *deaths against* 31 *the week before. The average for the two corresponding weeks last year was* 37.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 82 *against* 122 *the week before.*

POET NABIN CHANDRA SEN

The talent and achievement of Nabin Chandra Sen as a poet were recalled at the inaugural meeting held at Mahabodhi Society Hall, on the 1st March last in connection with the centenary celebrations of his birthday organised by Sinthee Vaishnab Sammilanee.

Rai Bahadur Khagendra Nath Mitra, who was in the chair, said that three qualities of the poet had specially attracted him. These were his poetic talents, his patriotism and his religious nature. His *Raibatak, Kurukshetra* and *Pravash* had added a new charm to the Mahabharat. His *Palashir Juddha* (Battle of Plassey) had captured the imagination of the students of the speaker's time and fired them with patriotism. At a time when the impact of western civilisation was breeding a sense of inferiority complex in the Indian mind, it was Bankim Chandra and Nabin Chandra who inspired them with the noble ideals of *Bhagabad Geeta* and brought about a transformation in their outlook. He was a Vaishnab to the core of his heart. He considered leaders of different religions as teachers of the world.

Among others Mr. Phanindra Nath Mukherjee, Mahamahopadhyaya Kalipada Tarkacharyya, Mr. Pyari Mohan Sen Gupta, Mr. Manmatha Nath Ghose also spoke.

CENTENARIAN SCHOLAR FELICITATED

"A profound scholar, a devout Vaishnab and an ardent lover of men, Vaishnabacharyya Dr. Rashik Mohan Vidyabhusan with all his faculties keen and virile even yet at the age of 107, is a living insipiration to the dying spirit of aging men for a long and useful life"—was the feeling observation made by more than one speaker on the occasion of the 107th birthday anniversary of the Vaishnabacharyya celebrated on Sunday, the 3rd March, at 25, Baghbazar Street under the auspices of the Sinthee Vaishnab Sammelani. Mahamahopawhyaya Kalipada Tarkacharyya presided.

The speakers added that the example of this 'ancient youngman' and sage would revive youth in the old and cheer up life and activity in them.

Replying to the felicitations 'Vaishnabacharyya Dr. Rashik Mohan said that he did not know why they were so lavish in their kind and felicitous words which he thought he did never deserve. Perhaps, it was some sort of that parental love which never looked for the qualification of the child. Dr. Rashik Mohan said that he felt grateful to all present for having come to his house to show him their love.

ON SOCIAL VALUES

Inaugurating a series of lectures on "Social Values" at the Calcutta University on the 25th February last, Dr. Radhakamal Mukherjee stressed that the alternative social ideals and policies now dominant before modern civilisation, such as, Individualism *versus* Communism, Democracy versus totalitarianism, equalitarianism *versus* libertarianism, could be rightly judged only with reference to the stress of dominant values that were or would be sought by people.

Continuing he urged that social planning required initially a clear understanding of the scale of values and virtues that was to dominate a particular cultural system. In a planned society values had to be planned. Such planning of values was a matter less of economics and politics and more of education, wit and religion.

He further added that there was to-day not only a chaos in the schemes of values but also a profound discord among different kinds of institutions. In modern power-politics any insistence upon justice, law, and order had become out of date. Even the progressive ideals of social security and justice were harnessed by socialism and communism as mere techniques and weapons in the class struggle.

Referring to India, Dr. Mukherjee observed that in the revolutionary institutional situation in India, while familiar group and their old-world ideals of honesty, compassion and solidarity lapsed, the Secondary groups 'class,' the 'minority' and the 'party' actuated by the unilateral struggle for power and privilege, become larger and more mechanical in their pursuit of instrumental values, without any compunctions in respect of their techniques and means, and vitiated the morality of the whole people.

He emphasised finally that it was the task of the social schemes to classify the system of values in the midst of the present crisis, and fight against false evacuation, perversions of values and social changes in wrong directions.

CHOLERA EPIDEMIC IN CALCUTTA: GET YOURSELF INOCULATED.

INDIA AND THE ANGLO-INDIANS

"India means home to the Anglo-Indian community," said Mr. Frank Anthony, M.L.A. (Central), addressing a large gathering of Anglo-Indians at the Grail Club, Calcutta, on Sunday, the 3rd March.

They had been legally defined as natives of India and as such, were essentially Indians. Communally, however, they were Anglo-Indians, constituting one of the recognised minority communities of the country with a culture and history of their own. In fairness to the community, therefore, he could not, as their leader, countenance any scheme for the mass emigration of the community from India.

The Sapru Committee had accepted the case of Anglo-Indians, and its main recommendations had been endorsed by various political parties which showed that Indian leaders to-day were not disposed to destroy the community.

DEATHS FROM CHOLERA

EPIDEMIC FIGURE REACHED

Though the general health of the city remains otherwise satisfactory, incidence of cholera is causing some anxiety to the health authorities of Calcutta.

Deaths from cholera have already reached the epidemic figure and health authorities are waiting a report on the incidence of the disease during the present week before they declare cholera to be an epidemic disease in Calcutta

Last week there were 57 attacks and 31 deaths from cholera in the city as against 70 attacks and 21 deaths during the previous week. Since Monday last 10 to 15 cholera cases have, on an average, been daily admitted to hospitals most of which are already filled up to their normal capacity.

Incidence of small-pox has registered a marked fall this year. There were only 7 attacks and 4 deaths from small pox during the week ended March 2 last as against 353 attacks and 244 deaths from this disease during the corresponding week last year. During six months of epidemic period, from November 18 to May 29, last year, 4,733 persons died in Calcutta from small-pox.

The marked fall this year in the incidence of small-pox is attributed to mass vaccination last year. It is also pointed out in this connection that past records show that a year following the epidemic year generally registers a fall in the incidence of the disease. The absence of any large influx of population is also considered to be another cause.

Referring to those who still persisted in calling themselves Domiciled Europeans, Mr. Anthony said that they were not only emasculating the community in the political and economic field, but were doing a great disservice to their children. The domiciled European was not legally a native of India and was already being shut out from employment in this country.

Speaking on the economic position of the community, he said that in the past its members had been employed almost exclusively in Government and commercial establishments. In common with the rest of mankind, they could not escape the effects of unemployment in the immediate post-war era. He, therefore, urged Anglo-Indians to go in for agriculture and hoped that at least 5,000 to 10,000 of them would in time take to the land. To this end, those now in the Armed Services should take advantage of agricultural training being offered by the authorities. He was also anxious that the community should find a livelihood in the regular Indian Armed Forces.

POSTAL EMPLOYEES' STRIKE THREAT

Employees of post offices and of the R.M.S. (other than postmen and lower-grade staff) in Calcutta and Howrah, at a meeting in the Indian Association Hall on Monday, the 4th March, endorsed the notice given by the Federation of Postal and Telegraphs Unions to go on strike from March 23 if the demands of the men were not met by the authorities. Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose presided.

The meeting sympathised with the cause of postmen and lower-grade postal staff who had decided to go on strike from March 11 and declared that postal clerks and sorters, if forced by Government to perform any non-clerical duties during the period of the postmen's strike, would stop work from the same day as the postmen. The responsibility for a total strike would then lie with the Government.

Closely after the above strike resolution a settlement was reached between the Post and Telegraphs Department and their employees in the dispute over wages. Both sides agreed to refer the dispute to adjudication

BENGAL COUNCIL ELECTION

Mr. Biswanath Roy (Congress) was elected on Monday the 4th March, to the Bengal Legislative Council from the Presidency Division General Rural constituency, defeating Mr Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, (Hindu Mahasabha) by 359 votes to 203.

ECHO OF NOVEMBER FIRINGS

120 Hindu, Muslim, Sikh and Indian Christian boys, mostly students, who were arrested in Dhurrumtolla Street on November 21 and 22 following the police firing on processions, were prosecuted under the Calcutta Police Act before Mr. W. J Palmer, Chief Presidency Magistrate, on the 27th February last.

They were charged with contravening the police orders and directions lawfully given to them in connection with their procession and assembly at the crossing of Dhurrumtolla Street and Madan Street in order to prevent obstructions.

Four of them pleaded guilty and were warned and discharged. The remaining accused pleaded not guilty and the hearing of their cases was adjourned till April 3 and 4.

DR. RADHA BINODE PAL

Dr. Radha Binode Pal, Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University, who had tendered resignation of the office of Vice-Chancellor, on being requested by His Excellency the Chancellor to reconsider his decision, and by a full meeting of the Syndicate which met on the 28th February last, and also in view of the fact that the students sat for the examinations which passed off peacefully Dr. Pal agreed to withdraw his resignation.

AUTOMATIC TELEPHONE FOR CALCUTTA

That a big drive for expanding the existing facilities of telephone in big cities like Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi and Ahmedabad by changing over to the automatic system which obtains in all advanced countries will definitely be launched during the next financial year, it is reported. A provision of Rs. 34 lakhs for Calcutta and nearly Rs. 7 lakhs for Bombay has, it is understood, been incorporated in the next budget of the Central Government.

Death Of Rameshwar Banerjee

"Police Exceeded Their Limits Of Power Under Law"— Coroner's Verdict

"Death was caused by gunshot wounds inflicted on the head on November 21 last near the crossing of Dhurrumtolla Street and Madan Street by the police firing from close range under orders of Inspector Hammond without justification and in which they exceeded their limits of power under law." This was the majority verdict (6 to 1) given by the Jury on Wednesday, the 6th February, at the inquest held by Mr. A. Haque, City Coroner, on the death of Rameswar Banerjee (19), the first victim of the police firing on a students' demonstration in Calcutta.

The students demonstrated as a protest against the I.N.A. trial and were going in a procession from Wellington Square along Dhurrumtolla Street when the police stopped it from proceedig any further towards Dalhousie Square stating that it was a prohibited area.

In course of his charge to the Jury, the Coroner observed that he could not agree with Mr. Basu, Government Counsel, that the students were determined to break the law, and said that in his opinion they were determined to protest against the I.N.A. trial.

The first point, continued the Coroner before the Jury for consideration was how, where and when the death was caused, and the second point was if the death was caused by the criminal act of another, who was guilty thereof. As regards the first point, it was clear from the evidence of Khan Saheb Dr. Hossain, who held the post mortem examination, that the death was caused by bullet wounds. Dr. Hossain opened the first cover containing the bullet at his house and again re-sealed it. He should not have done this irregular act. The bullet was found to be reformed and it was therefore bound to create suspicion that the bullet was tempered with but there was no evidence on that point. The Coroner did not think that Dr. Hossain would allow the bullet to be tempered with.

Referring to the *second* point that if the death was caused by the criminal act of another, who was guilty, the Coroner said that the case of the father of the deceased and the students was that the sergeant fired the boy with intent to kill him. On the other hand, the Government case which was put forward by Mr. S. Afzal, Advocate, at the beginning of the inquest was that there was shooting by the police in Dhurrumtolla Street on that day but there was no connecting link between the shooting and the death of Rameswar Banerjee. On December 19 three witnesses were examined and Mr. Afzal wanted to close the Government case and wanted a verdict when the Coroner referred to Section 24 of the Coroner's Act and wanted more evidence on the points of where, how and when the death was caused. On the next date of hearing, Mr. Afzal produced another witness Sub-Inspector Baroda Sarkar, who investigated the case. But the court did not get any particulars regarding the above points from this witness. He knew nothing and his evidence was full of half truths, untruths and concealments of facts. His evidence was not with the paper on which it was written. The Coroner continued that no other witnesses were produced by the Crown and he had to summon certain books.

The Coroner pointed out that there was no evidence who had called the mounted police on the scene to trample upon the boys. Whoever asked for it, had done atrocious act and the Coroner did not find language to condemn it. It was admitted that there were two charges by the mounted police. Nothing could be more atrocious than this.

The Coroner further observed that Inspector Hammond did not ask for permission for firing from Mr. Doha when he had contacted the Deputy Commissioner over the phone, he only said that firing might be necessary. The Coroner accepted the evidence of the two students as truthful and sincere. According to them, the *lathi* charge and firing by the police were without any reason and was out of anger. It was also proved by the second student that Rameswar was aimed at three times and was at last killed by a sergeant.

The Coroner could not accept the evidence of Inspector Hammond that he and his party were in danger even when they were inside the cinema lobby and therefore he had to order for firing. The Coroner could not believe Mr. Hammond's story because he said that there were incessant brickbatting of half and full bricks. But the question was wherefrom the students got these bricks. Mr. Hammond did not see them carrying brickbats, still he would say that they threw bricks. How could they carry and cover the bricks under their cloths while the police accompanied them all the way? Mr. Doha's evidence was that the students were peaceful and hence he left the place. Mr. Hammond also said they were peaceful till 6-30 p.m. There was also no evidence that somebody carried brickbats from Mati Sil Lane. The Coroner could not therefore accept the evidence of Mr. Hammond that the boys were throwing brickbats continuously. Moreover, none of the injured sergeants or mounted police were produced in court and without any tangible evidence the court could not accept that they were injured.

Referring to the Crown evidence that the police cordon was broken twice on November 21, the Coroner pointed out that there was no mention in the Government communique about it but the communique said that the police cordon was broken on November 22.

About the story of a police lorry being set on fire, the Coroner stated that neither the number of the lorry nor the broken parts of it were produced in court and without any specific evidence, he could not accept the story.

Mr. A. K. Basu, counsel with Mr. S. Afzal, Advocate appeared for the Government of Bengal, Mr. J. C. Gupta, counsel and Mr. S. P. Agarwala, counsel instructed by Messrs. K. K. Dutta and Co., solicitors, appeared for the Bengal Provincial Students' Congress. Mr. Sankar Banerjee, counsel with Mr. M. M. Sen instructed by Mr. B. K. Bose, solicitor, appeared for the father of Rameswar Banerjee.

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PARK CIRCUS MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
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GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—3 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
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M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

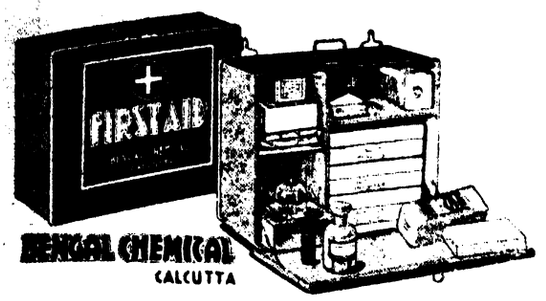
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
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*E. (New) ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-2	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	2 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	2 10 0	Do.

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a Khaki arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 400 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

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PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Orab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs		1 14 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal "	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	
Garlic "	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Bauchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
" (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras "		
Ghee Lakhee	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	
Do. Sree	5 0 0	6 0 0
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		
Milk "		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar "	0 5 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
" (Sugarcandy) "	0 12 0 (Ration Shop)	
Suji	0 5 0 (Con.)	
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga " "	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai "	0 6 6	
Biuli "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
" (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar "	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) "	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal "		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. 2 "		
Corn Flower 1 "		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET

Rates quoted on the 13th February, 1946

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF.				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0		

ARTICLES.	1st Class.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.				
Chops per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 8 0	4 8 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat —	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldine ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — —	3 8 0	4 10 0

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ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 10 0
Capon ,, ...	6 8 0	10 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 10 0	4 4 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (outlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	3 0 0	3 6 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 10 0	3 12 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ...	20 0 0	25 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Portridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,		
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 8 0	0 12 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 12 0	0 13 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 7 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Plovers	each ...				Do. Simla	,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0	Do (large) per lb. ...		
Quail	,, ...				Do. Country	,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0	Kesur China per seer ...		
Rabbit	,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0		Snake Coil	,, ...			Lime patty per score ...	1 10 0	1 14 0
Snippets per each	..	0 4 0	0 6 0		Potatoes (Nainital)	,,	0 8 0	0 9 0	Lemon (English) per doz.		
Snipes	,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0		*Do. Darjeeling	,, ...			Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Teal (large)	,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0		Do. Country	do. ...	0 6 0	0 8 0	Do. (Country) ...		
Teal (cotton)	...	1 0 0	1 4 0		Do Kidney hill	per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0	Locket per score ...		
Wild Duck each	—	2 0 0	2 8 0		Do. New p. s. (Nainital)		0 6 0	0 7 0	Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
Sand Grouse each	...				Do. (Old) Nainital		0 8 0	0 10 0	M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Wild Duck (special) each	...	2 8 0	3 0 0		Do. (New) Small	...	0 5 0	0 7 0	Mask Melon per seer ...		
BIRDS.					Do. Madras (Controlled)		0 10 0		Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
					Do. (Small) (Round)	...	0 3 0	0 4 0	Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Canary (Cook) each	...	50 0 0	52 0 0		*Do. Shillong (Cont.)	...			Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. (Hen)	,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0		Rhubarb per seer	...	1 0 0		Do. Do. (Madras)		
Pigeons (Fancy)	...	5 0 0	50 0 0		Pulbu. (Patal) per seer	...			Do. Langra per doz. ...		
VEGETABLES.					Radish English per bundle		0 3 0	0 4 0	Do. Sipia ...		
					Do. Country per bundle		1 8 0	2 8 0	Do. Fazlie —		
*Artichoke Darjeeling	seer	0 12 0			Spinach per lot of 20	...	0 6 0	0 7 0	Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Ground per seer					Squash per seer	—	0 10 0	0 12 0	Do. Green per score ...		
Artipeach per seer	...	0 8 0			Country Spinach per score		0 3 0	0 4 0	Do. Golapkhash —		
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer	...	0 14 0			Sweet Potatoes red per sr.		0 7 0	0 8 0	Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Agra	...	0 12 0	1 0 0		Do. Pumpkins, per seer		0 5 0	0 6 0	Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Country per seer	—	0 10 0	0 14 0		Tomato per seer	...	0 8 0	0 10 0	Do. Kanchan ...		
Bean Ranchi per seer	...	1 4 0	1 12 0		*Do. Darjeeling per seer		1 4 0		Do. Bombay ...		
*Do. French Darjeeling		1 4 0			Do. Country	,,	0 8 0	0 10 0	Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Butter per score	...				Do. Ranchi	,,	0 12 0	0 12 0	Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Brinjal	,, seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0		Do. Shillong	,,	0 10 0	0 14 0	Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Cabbage each	...	0 10 0	0 14 0		Tamarind (Green)	,,	0 3 0	1 0 0	Mulberry per score ...		
Do. (Simla) per seer		0 14 0	1 0 0		*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling		0 10 0		Nagpur Mosom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling	,,	1 4 0			Do. Lucknow per bundle		0 10 0	0 12 0	Poona ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Do. (Ranchi)	,,	0 14 0	1 0 0		Vegetable marrow Country each ...		0 5 0	0 6 0	Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Carrots per bundle, Local		0 8 0	0 12 0		Do. Darjeeling each				Oranges Sylhet —		
*Do. Darjeeling per seer		1 0 0			White Pumpkins per seer		0 5 0	0 6 0	Do. Bombay ...		
Do. (Allahabad)	,,	0 12 0	0 14 0		Red ,, per seer		0 4 0	0 5 0	Do. Darjeeling 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. (Lucknow)	—	0 10 0	0 14 0		Tarai per seer	—			Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
					Kankrole per seer	—			Do. Nagpur 12—16 —	1 0 0	
									Do. (Squeezing) 16—8	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 2 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Calasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ...		
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata 10—16 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar) per	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
„ 12	„ 7 „	Do.			
E. 3	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer — ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. —	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Rohi per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ..	2 0 0	2 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Butter fish per seer ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. (Large) —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Lobster —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other fish ...	3 12 0	3 4 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	4 4 0	4 10 0
Do. (fillet) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Mackerel —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Shrimp per seer —	2 4 0	2 8 0
Ladies finger ...		
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed, „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8-0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) „ ...		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer ..		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 3 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 12 0
Chola „ —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 13 0
Khasari „ ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 13 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches:—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
		to
		1 0 0
Halud „ —	0 6 0	0 7 0
	to	
	0 8 0	
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins		
„ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 6	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie —		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 3
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 3	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 3	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Pepperments per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0	
Dereszke per packet ...		0 4 0
Selsnor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	2 0 0
„ „ (magnum)		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt. —		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb, per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 0
*Bisurated Magnesia,large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment —	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	125 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

* Controlled Price

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Veg. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 14	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 8 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinishakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Bolica ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...		0 8 0
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 3 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		5 0 0
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,, —		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal —		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas —	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns —		
Parsey —		
Bagda —		
Bhetki —		
Crab per pair —	0 2 0	0 5 0
Koi —	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ,,		0 8 0
Mattor Dal —	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) —		0 6 0
*Atta ,, ...		0 5 0
*Do. B —		
Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 1 6
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—30 ...	1 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		10 0 0
Dates Arab —	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati —		
Mango ...		
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...		
Potatoes New ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Potatoes (Nanita) —	0 10 0	
Brinjal —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Ginger —		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 1 0	0 6 0
Cabbage per seer —	0 1 6	
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	
Pona ,, }	1 0 0	1 6 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }	1 12 0	
Bagda ,, —	1 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	1 12 0	
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 4 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Horlicky ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Cracker —		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) —		
Quaker's Oats ...		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th February, 1946

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd " " —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls " —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger " —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay " ...		
Do. Country " —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi " ...		
Do. Gauhati " ...		
Country ... —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Dist per seer ...		
Do. Hilly " ...		
Cabbage " ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling " ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi " —		
Beans " —	0 10 0	
Squash " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...	0 1 0	0 2 0
Bit per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—3 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bubokhara per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot " "	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza " ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab " —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. Bagdad " ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta " ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer " ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi " ...		
Khobani " " ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts " ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul " " —		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeda 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra —		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 1 —12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan —	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna " ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled " —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground " ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay " " ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh " " ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore " per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur " " ...	3 8 0	
Pabna " " ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga " " ...		
Mazafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Prawns " ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa " ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rohi " ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) " ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish " ...		1 8 0
Chetal " ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda ...	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) " ...		
Patnai (Atap) " md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata " ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse " —		
Medium "		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java " " ...		
Cocoanut Oil " ...		
Mustard Oil " ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour " ...		
Atta " ...		
Sujee " ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal " ...	0 10 0	
Arhar " ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai " ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari " ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) " ...		0 10 0
Mator " ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal " —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe o Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe "	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
" " Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 3 6	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red)		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong —		
Lobster ...	1 13 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	...	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	...	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do. ,,	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ,,	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 3 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, ...	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —		
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 10 0	1 12 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —	1 10 0	1 12 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	
Cabbage ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,, —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —		
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,, —		
Lime per score —	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz. —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —		
Sugarcane each —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —		
Do. Sree ,, —	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, ...		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946,

ARTICLES.	From	To
MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
hicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
uck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Sflong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Atubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos.	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 8 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 6
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

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SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
36A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 4 0 ,,				
38	0 5 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
.II.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	8 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 50	0 10 0	Do.
" 46A	1 8 0	Oilman's Stores
" 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
Cocoanut Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
" 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
" 31	0 4 0	Do.
" 39—40	1 0 0	Do.
" 41—48	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (New) 8	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 32	35 0 0	
" 58	43 0 0	
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
" 55	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-130	1 4 0	Do.
" 75-78		
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg " 4	0 8 0	Egg
" 9	0 8 0	Do
" 10	0 8 0	Do
" 18	0 8 0	Do
" 19	0 8 0	Do
" 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
" 35	0 4 0	Do
" 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable
" 57	0 5 6	Do
" 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet " 3 & 6	0 4 0	Suet
"	0 5 0	Do
" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Betel

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables.
						30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do	9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Cork 8	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS







(Inside Municipal Markets)

Marks for BUFFALO MEAT







BEEF







MUTTON







VEAL

(Outside Municipal Markets)







Marks for COW & BUFFALO MEATS







Marks for SHEEP & GOAT MEATS

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Chronicle & Comment

CALCUTTA'S FILTH : WHOSE RESPONSIBILITY?

"On the whole the attitude of the newspaper is destructive; few positive practical suggestions for improving matters are to be found in its pages.

Nonetheless, it has performed a valuable service in revealing where the responsibility lies—with the Calcutta Corporation first of all, then with the Bengal Government and then with the Government of India. Ultimately, the responsibility for the state of Calcutta is that of the British citizen."

Thus wrote the well-known British Medical publication, *The Lancet* commenting on the *Statesman's* publication "Filthy Calcutta," which appeared sometime ago, and on which we have commented already.

Mahatma Gandhi during his last stay in Calcutta expressed hope to the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, when he called on the Mahatma, that during his mayoralty Mr. Mukherjee would get the city rid of its dirt.

Again, in one of his addresses to the Congregation at Sodepore after prayers Mahatmaji observed :"—

"It is said that Calcutta is a dirty city. If that is so, every person living in the city is responsible for this state of affairs."

Gandhiji added :—

"If everyone living in this city realised his duties and obligations in this respect, Calcutta's face would change in no time. If every individual citizen observed the rules of cleanliness, Calcutta was bound to be a clean city. Besides, if they observed cleanliness they would also have a kind of peace in their mind."

Gandhiji also said that now-a-days he did not stir out frequently. Therefore he did not know what the condition of the roads and streets was. But friends told him that the condition of roads and streets was very unsatisfactory; friends told him that they were dirty.

Friends had also told him that even the prayer ground was made dirty by people who came here to attend prayers by throwing skins of oranges and bits of paper. Gandhiji reminded the gathering of

the English saying. "Cleanliness is next to Godliness." Gandhiji added that cleanliness should be both inward and outward.

Gandhiji has been imperfectly informed we are afraid because he has not been evidently told whose responsibility it has been.

BOMBAY'S MUNICIPAL THEATRE

The Bombay Municipal Corporation is reported to have endorsed a provision for earmarking Rs. 2 lakhs in its budget for 1946-47 for the construction of a municipal theatre. This proposal, although belated, is widely welcomed.

Most citizens consider that the sum allotted by the Corporation is not adequate for a well-equipped theatre, but the Corporation's present finances do not permit of a more generous grant. Not for the first time the city's philanthropists will have to come forward in order to implement this deserving cause.

Bombay has grown theatre-conscious during the last few years, and several theatre groups have been formed, we are told.

But what about Calcutta? This city saw the birth and growth of the modern stage in India, and it was one of the fondest dreams of the first Mayor of Calcutta, Deshbandhu Chittaranjan Das, to have a Municipal Theatre in Calcutta.

INDIANS IN SOUTH AFRICA

The announcement in January last by Field Marshal Smuts in the House of Assembly of the Union of South Africa again brought up to the forefront the question of the status of the Indian nationals in the dark continent, which had for sometime remained in the background. We had hoped that the Indians there would be better treated than with the abominable legislation, like the Pegging Act. By his announcement the Field Marshal made known to the public the intention of his Government to introduce a bill this session prohibiting the rights of Indians to acquire and occupy fixed property, excepting in certain areas set aside for them. General Smuts even 'freezed' all transactions relating to fixed property between the Indians and the non-Indians in Natal since the date of his announcement pending the implementation of the legislation.

Before his bill had been placed on the Statute Book the Field Marshal thought of a new device, *namely*, of enfranchising Indians so that they could choose three Europeans—two from Natal and one from the Transval—"to guide the destinies of 240,000 Indians in an Assembly of 150."

A deputation of the South-African Indians is expected to arrive in India soon, to take up the matter with the national leaders of India and the Government of India.

The South African Field Marshal wears two faces,—the face of Fascism for Indians in South Africa and the mask of Humanism for his Western —British and American—admirers. It is time he was "debunked"!

MADRAS CONDEMNS RACE DISCRIMINATION

The Madras Corporation has passed a resolution protesting against "the gross racial discrimination made in the army, navy and air services between European and Indian servicemen in status, pay and treatment which have been the cause of the recent strikes in Bombay, Karachi, Calcutta and other places."

LONDON COUNTY COUNCILS ELECTION

Labour has retained control in the London County Councils elections. The position at present is: Labour 80; Conservatives 30; Communists 2; Liberal 2.

For the first time in the Council's history two Communists were elected—they beat Labour candidates in the badly-bombed East End area of Mile End.

Of the seats still undeclared, nine were previously held by Labour and one by Conservatives.

Dr. C. L. Katial, former Mayor of Finsbury, has been elected as one of the two representatives of Finsbury on the London Couty Councils. Dr. Katial, who stood as a Labour candidate, was the only Indian to contest the elections.

RENT FOR THE PLOT WHERE NEHRU SPOKE

The Sukkur Municipality has sent a bill for Rs. 200 to the Local Congress Committee towards rent of the plot where Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru addressed a public meeting during his Sind tour last month.

INCREASE OF V. D. RATE

AMONG AMERICANS IN CALCUTTA

A tenfold increase in the venereal disease rate among the American army personnel in Calcutta is reported by the Chief Surgeon's office, India-Burma theatre.

Commenting on the report published in the army newspaper *Roundup* that "prostitution has gone mobile" in Calcutta in recent months, high medical officers said the rate of venereal disease jumped from approximately 1.24 per 1,000 per week in last mid-August to 11.8 in mid-February.

The *Roundup* said prostitution in Calcutta recently is concentrating in taxis and horsedrawn *gharries* and added that base surgeons' statistics indicated that 30 per cent. of disease comes from brothels, while 70 per cent. from pickups, taxis and *gharries*.

FIRE SERVICE WORKERS' DEMONSTRATION

A peaceful procession of over 1,000 Fire Service workers started from Ochterloney Monument on Wednesday, the 13th March, evening and after parading the main streets in the Chowringhee area, assembled in front of the Municipal Buildings shouting slogans to stop retrenchment.

The demonstration was intended to attract the attention and sympathy of the Councillors of the Corporation, who were considering at the meeting on 13th March, a motion for the continuation of the services of the Auxiliary Fire Brigade employees till the formation of a Ministry in the province following the elections.

It will be recalled that Government had recently served retrenchment notices on about 1,000 temporary employees of the Fire Service.

OF THE BENGAL LEGISLATURE CALCUTTA.

THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

A SHORT RECORD OF THE MORE IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF AND DISCUSSIONS AT THE CORPORATION MEETING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 15, 1946

Purchase Of The Tramways

Interim Injunction Issued By High Court On New Arbitration Proceedings

Wednesday: 13th March

THE Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, informed the House at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 13th March, that Chief Executive Officer had been served with a notice just then informing him that an *interim* injunction had been issued by the Calcutta High Court at the instance of the Calcutta Tramways Company restraining the Corporation from proceeding with the arbitration proceedings.

It may be recalled that during the last week the Corporation had appointed Mr. N. K. Basu, Advocate, Calcutta High Court, as its arbitrator and called upon the Company also to appoint an arbitrator of its own.

On the *exparte* application of the petitioner, the Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd., Mr. Justice Clough of the Calcutta High Court granted on Wednesday, the 13th March, an *interim* injunction restraining the respondent, the Corporation of Calcutta, from appointing Mr. N. K. Basu, Advocate, Calcutta High Court, as the sole arbitrator in connection with the alleged arbitration proceedings between the parties.

His Lordship also granted an interim injunction, pending the final disposal of this application, restraining the Corporation from proceeding with any arbitration, and an interim order, staying all further proceedings in such arbitration in the meantime. The hearing of the application was fixed for Friday, the 15th March.

In this *exparte* application, the petitioner, the Calcutta Tramways, asked *inter alia* for a declaration that the arbitration agreement between it and the respondent, the Corporation of Calcutta, dated the 3rd September last, had been cancelled and determined, and was void, inoperative and of no effect and that no arbitration could be held thereunder. It also asked for *interim* orders as granted above.

Mr. S. Chaudhuri and Mr. G. K. Mitter appeared for the petitioner whose case *inter alia* was that different sections of its tramways were constructed under various agreements between its predecessors-in-interest or itself on the one hand, and the Secretary of State for India in Council, and various municipalities, etc., including the Corporation of Calcutta. Diverse enactments were passed by the Bengal Legislature regarding the rights connected with the above tramways. On the 9th December, 1899, an agreement was entered into between it and the above Corporation which was incorporated in a schedule of Bengal Act IV of 1900. Affecting to act under the above agreements and enactments, the respondent, on June 27, 1944, gave notice to the petitioner of its intention to buy, on January 1, 1945, the tramways and other properties of the petitioner. It disputed the Corporation's right to buy all such properties. The disputes between them were settled by a fresh agreement dated the 3rd September last.

The petitioner contended that assents, approval and legislation mentioned therein were imperative for the proper discharge of the last mentioned agreement. The Corporation, however, had failed to perform its obligations thereunder by not getting such assent, etc., and, the necessary enactment, and by neglecting to procure the moneys necessary for payment of the price of the petitioner's properties. So, it submitted that the last mentioned agreement and notice dated the 27th June, 1945, were inoperative and should be deemed to be cancelled. Further, it was entitled to remain in possession of the ownership of its tramways and other properties as if the agreement of the 3rd September last had not been made and as if the above notice had not been given. The arbitration clause contained in that agreement should also be deemed to have been cancelled and it was not binding on the petitioner.

The Corporation, however, was contending that the agreement togeher with its arbitration clause was still operative and in affected exercise of its rights thereunder, the Corporation had purported to refer diverse alleged disputes to Mr. N. K. Basu, Advocate, as an arbitrator. It had also called upon the petitioner to appoint its arbitrator within 15 days since the 5th March last, in default whereof, the Corporation threatened to appoint Mr. Basu as the sole arbitrator and to proceed with the arbitration proceedings. The petitioner submitted that such arbitrators would have no jurisdiction to conduct any arbitration proceedings or to make any effective award. It would not be binding on the parties. Unless the orders asked for were made, the petitioner would suffer irreparable loss.

His Lordship made the orders stated above.

CORPORATION LOSSES DUE TO JAP ACTION

The statement forwarded by the Chief Executive Officer to the Government of Bengal showing the amounts of direct and indirect losses suffered by the Corporation as a result of Japanese action since the 1st December, 1941, was approved by the House, which also decided to intimate the Government that the statement was not complete as regards full details and that supplementary lists would be sent later.

The information, needed by the Central Government for reparations from Japan, and submitted by the Corporation in reply to an inquiry in the course of their two communications received by the Corporation was as follows :—

> Damage suffered by Calcutta Corporation on account of direct enemy action during World War II is estimated at Rs. 4,948. The sum covers damage to roads, street lamps and adjuncts, and water mains hit in eight Japanese air raids on the city between December, 1942, and December, 1943.
>
> The Municipality's indirect losses and expenditure on measures taken to guard against enemy action since December 1, 1941, including A.R.P. expenses, war risks insurance of Municipal factories and damage caused to street lamps by military and other traffic during the period of blackout, amounted to over Rs. 68,00,000.
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> Expenditure incurred by the Corporation for grant of dearness and cheap food concessions to employees totalled Rs. 47,45,000. Damage caused to city roads by military traffic, according to Municipal authorities, was Rs. 76,66,235.

In their letter dated the 22nd December, 1945, the Bengal Government in the Public Health and Local Self-Govtrnment Department stated that the Government of India had taken up the question of exacting reparation from Japan and in that connection asked for information relating to damage, loss, etc. suffered by the Corporation and other local authorities as a result of Japanese action.

Councillor Madan Mohan Barman opined that they had no business to ask for reparation from Japanese people. All these losses were due to the activities of the British and American Governments. Instead of asking reparation from Japanese people, they should demand reparations from the British and American Governments.

SHORTAGE OF WATER SUPPLY

On references by several Councillors to the extreme shortage of filtered and unfiltered water supply in some wards of the city at a time when cholera epidemic was threatening the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, informed the House that the Expert Committee, appointed by the Government to examine the matter, had submitted its recommendations to the Government. He suggested that the Corporation should write to the Government to give immediate effect to the Expert Committee's decisions.

The equipments, he pointed out, which were adequate for a city with a population of 11 or 12 lakhs, could not be considered to be so for a population of 40 lakhs. So there must be a proper and thorough overhauling of the entire scheme of filtered water supply.

As regards unfiltered water, provision of Rs. 3½ lakhs had been made in the budget for the purchase of new boilers. Their engineers had not been able to diagnose the trouble at Mullick Ghat Pumping Station where the pressure dropped as soon as the water left the pumps. The Chief Executive Officer should be authorized to seek the help of outside experts.

The Mayor's suggestions were accepted.

CONSERVANCY SERVICE

With regard to the city's conservancy service, the Mayor said that he did not understand why that service should deteriorate after the purchase of so many lorries by the Corporation. He suggested the undertaking of regular inspection tours by the Corporation officers and said that if even after this the situation did not improve they should take drastic action against dilinquents.

FIRING OF TIME GUN URGED

The House decided to request the Government to arrange for the daily firing of the Time Gun at 1 p.m. and 9 p.m. from the ramparts of Fort William.

THE THREATENED FAMINE

The Corporation in a resolution expressed grave concern at the threatened famine in the country and requested the Provincial as well as the Central Governments to take immediate steps to avert it by stopping export of foodgrains from the country and importing foodstuffs from outside.

LEAVE TO EXERCISE FRANCHISE

The House approved the action of the Chief Executive Officer in giving leave to municipal employees up to 1 p.m. during the three days of coming elections. A letter had been received from Government, the Chief Executive Officer said, stating that facilities should be given to those who wanted to exercise their franchise.

ATTENDANCE OF THE STAFF

Pursuant to a motion tabled by Councillor A. A. Wise the House appointed a Committee of seven members to regulate the attendance of members of the staff in various departments of the Corporation and take all steps to ensure efficiency and to report to the Corporation about the matter. Councillors J. L. Saha, H. K. Ganguli, S. K. Mitter, A. Sattar, S. Afzal, A. A. Wise and P. S. Basu were appointed members of the Committee.

Councillor Wise with three other Councillors recently visited several departments in the Central Municipal Building between 10-30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Most of the employees were not present. It was apparent, he said, that employees were not giving full service to the Corporation. He suggested that a committee should be set up to inquire not only into the attendance of employees but also into the working of the departments.

Councillor W. A. Burns observed that while the Corporation was entitled to see that their staff did their work efficiently, it was up to the councillors also to ensure that their own attendance at Committee meetings was improved.

R. I. N. RATINGS SYMPATHIZED WITH

The Corporation also expressed its heartfelt sympathy with the R. I. N. ratings of Bombay and Karachi who had lost their lives or were injured in clashes with British Military and naval forces, protested against the 'uncalled for' and 'unjustified' firings and demanded the immediate redress of the ratings' grievances. A copy of the resolution would be sent to Naval Secretary to the Government of India for his attention and necessary action.

AUXILIARY FIRE BRIGADE

On a resolution moved by Councillor B. K. Banerjee as amended by Councillor Md. Rafique, the House decided to recommend to the Bengal Government for the continuance of the services of the Auxiliary Fire Brigade in the interest of the ratepayers of the city and for devising ways and means by Government to meet the expenses of maintenance of the Brigade.

In moving the resolution, Councillor Banerjee said that the total strength of the force was 2,200 men. Of them 1,000 men had been served with notice intimating them that their service would terminate on March 31 next. The rest would also be demobilised soon.

Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee said that though the Corporation's contribution towards maintenance of the Fire Brigade ranged between Rs. 3 lakhs and Rs. 3½ lakhs, it had no voice in the administration of the Brigade. Pointing out that progressive industrialization of the country would require a large staff, he said that they should impress upon the Government the desirability of maintaining a large and efficient staff.

CONDOLENCE

The Corporation condoled the death of Rai Bahadur Hemanta Kumar Raha, *ex*-Post Master-General, Bengal and Assam and an eminent citizen of Calcutta.

Friday: 8*th March.*

STRIKE SETTLEMENT SPECIAL COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

The special meeting of the Corporation held on Friday, the 8th March last, postponed consideration of the report of the Strike Settlement Special Committee till the 15th March next pending the completion of the Budget Committee's deliberations relating to the same. Some of the necessary papers in connection with the report, it was said, had reached the Councillors only on the day of the meeting and they had not sufficient time to go through these.

During the debate as to whether the House should give any direction to the Budget Special Committee on this matter, Dr. S. N. Sihna, Chairman of the Budget Special Committee, said that they would try their level best to balance the budget without raising the consolidated rate.

When the Corporation assembled, shouts of "Our demands must be fulfilled," were raised by a large number of municipal workers and employees assembled at the quardrangle of the Municipal Buildings. The doors of the Council Chamber were then closed and the meeting proceeded.

A resolution was passed at the meeting of Municipal workers and employees expressing disapproval of the recommendations of the Strike Settlement Special Committee and urging full satisfaction of all their demands which, it is gathered, would entail an expenditure of over Rs. 25 lakhs on the part of the Corporation.

In moving for postponement of the matter Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri suggested that in the meantime the Budget Special Committee of the Corporation should be advised to provide for an amount, larger than what had been recommended by the Strike Settlement Special Committee, in the budget.

Councillor Mohamed Rafique said that the only thing that the House could do was to suggest to the Budget Special Committee the percentage to which the consolidated rate could be raised.

Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Basu said that as representatives of the ratepayers they would oppose tooth and nail any proposal for enhancement of the consolidated rate.

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, who was Chairman of the Strike Settlement Special Committee, suggested that the Budget Special Committee might be directed to make a provision for Rs. 17 lakhs which would be necessary to implement the recommendations of the Strike Settlement Special Committee.

"If you can give effect to the recommendations of the Strike Settlement Special Committee without raising the Rate," the Mayor remarked, "you are welcome to do that. We have left that matter to the decision of the Budget Special Committee."

Councillor W. A. Burns said that it was essential that the Corporation should give an indication to the Budget Special Committee as to the extent of the liability it was prepared to bear.

Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha, Chairman of the Budget Special Committee, said that according to their calculation the Municipality would not require more than Rs. 15 lakhs to give effect to the recommendations of the Strike Settlement Special Committee.

As regards increasing the Rate, Councillor Dr. Sinha said that the Budget Special Committee had not come to any decision as yet. At the first meeting of the Committee members were asked to give their individual opinion and that opinion was that they would try their level best to balance the budget without raising the Rate, if that was possible. If Rs. 17 lakhs was the liability and if the direction of the House was that this sum should be incorporated in the budget, that would be done.

Expressing the view that the House should simply adjourn consideration of the report at this stage, Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri said that the Budget Special Committee would sit up to the 18th March, so there would be three days' time left to the Committee to provide necessary money according to the direction given by the House.

Dr. Sinha was of opinion that three days' time would be sufficient for the Committee.

Middles

Role Of Indian Universities In Building A New India

Pandit Nehru's Convocation Address

THE Convocation of the University of Calcutta for conferring degrees was held on the 9th March last in a specially decorated pandal erected in the open grounds of the University College of Science.

After the procession of His Excellency the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, former Vice-Chancellors, Fellows, Members of the Syndicate, and the Registrar of the University had entered the Convocation pandal amidst shouts of "Jai Hind," the Chancellor declared the Convocation open.

Prof. Albert Einstein, the world famous scientist, was awarded "in absentia" the Sir Devaprasad Sarbadhikari Gold Medal.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, who was invited to address the Convocation, spoke about the role of the Indian universities in building a new India.

It was obvious that the British rule was coming to an end. India would have to function according to her own ability and strength and should be prepared for it. They should keep before them the vision of a new India, a new Asia and a new world.

"This vast country now stands on the verge of great political changes. It will not be long before we see the self-governing people of India taking their place in the great brotherhood of nations," said His Excellency Sir Frederick Burrows, Chancellor, addressing the Convocation.

"The student of Bengal has emerged in strength hitherto undreamt of, after purification by this blood-bath (in Calcutta), before which their elders stand amazed.

"March onward my friends, with your eyes steadfastly fixed on the effulgent goal of Freedom. Pause not to think of what may fall to your lot in the end."

Thus said Dr. Radhabinode Pal, outgoing Vice-Chancellor, addressing the Convocation.

Ph.D. Degrees were then conferred on Messrs. Dakshinaranjan Bhattacharyya, Anukulchandra Bandyodhyaya, Kalidas Bhattacharya and Mrs. Kalyani Mallik; and D.Sc. Degrees on Messrs. Bidyutkamal Bhattacharyya, Sunil Kumar Mukhopadhyay and Kanailal Mandal.

The Zainul Abedin Gold Medal, 1944 was awarded to Mr. Mohammed Ali Shahab, the Debendranath Hemlata Gold Medal, 1945 to Mr. Jagadiswar Pal and the Lila Prize to Sm. Prabhabati Devi Saraswati.

Candidates for other Degrees were then conferred their respective degrees.

The Jogattarini Gold Medal and Sarojini Basu Gold Medal were awarded respectively to Kazi Nazrul Islam and Sj. Rajsekhar Bose for their original contributions to Bengali literature.

Mr. Mathuranath Goswami was awarded the Mahendranath Roy Gold Medal.

The degree of Master of Surgery was conferred on Dr. Ajit Kumar Basu.

4,566 graduates received their diplomas at thise year's Convocation.

INDIA IS TO PLAY A VERY BIG ROLE FOR WORLD PEACE AND PROGRESS

Pandit Nehru, in his address, said that when thinking of the freedom of India they should have a mental picture of the new India they wanted—what social structure they were going to have and what kind of training they should give to their people. They had to think of the problem of feeding millions of people. A foreign Government could continue even long after a ghastly famine had overtaken the country, but a national Government could not continue for a day. They should have to think in terms of feeding and housing 400,000,000 people, providing education, medical aid, sanitation and other amenities of civilized existence. Were the universities training men to solve these problems? They had to pay the greatest attention to the development of social science and to produce trained men for the building of a new India. They must have trained planners, architects, diplomats and ambassadors.

The world faced an extraordinary crisis in human affairs. They were living in a period of enormous transformation. The whole structure of society was going to be changed. Out of this would come a great and long overdue transformation of the human race.

During the last 200 years Europe had played a dominant part in the world's history by virtue of its science and culture and not merely by force of arms. Asia had ceased to play an effective part in world history because it was static. But Asia was now slowly coming into her own and in future would be the centre of both trouble and progress. Europe would, no doubt, continue to play an important part in world affairs because of its high culture but nevertheless she was moving away from the stage.

In India and a greater part of Asia they had lost the vitality which they had possessed long ago. They were, however, regaining that vitality and were going to play a big part in future world affairs. In India a big change was happening. By virtue of her geographical position she was going to be the centre of contact with South East Asia, Australia, New Zealand and Western Asia. India would be the base for the defence of South East Asia, the western part of the Indian Ocean and the great trading centre of Asia. India had in the past been the mother country influencing the whole of Asia, memory of which was still preserved in many parts of this



CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY CONVOCATION PROCESSION

H. E. Sir Frederick Burrows, Governor of Bengal and Chancellor; Dr. Radha Binode Pal, Vice-Chancellor; Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, who was invited to address the Convocation; Dr. P. N. Banerjee, Vice-Chancellor-elect; Dr. Syama Prosad Mookerjee, ex-Vice-Chancellor.

continent. When India was free it would be for her to choose her friends and allies. It would be for her to decide what her foreign or internal policy should be. She always stood for peace and her destiny was to play a very big role for world peace and progress.

Chancellor's Speech

Addressing the graduates, Sir Frederick said that the future of the world was to the highly educated races who alone could handle the scientific apparatus necessary for pre-eminence in peace and survival in war. None could conduct a modern community except upon an adequate supply of persons upon whose education, whether humanitarian, technical or scientific, much time and money had been spent. It was undoubtedly true that there should be reorientation of the present educational aims and ideas.

Education was the basic activity of society. When 90 years ago the Government of the day decided to establish the Universities of Calcutta, Bombay and Madras, and to concentrate their effort more on higher than on popular education it was hoped that education would spread widely throughout the country by infiltration from the educated classes to the masses. That hope had not been realized. It must be confessed that this province still had the highest percentage of illiteracy in the civilized world, and that, while there had been a gratifying increase in the number of graduates, who came out of the universities in the province every year, there had been no proportionate rise in the number of literates in the province. Responsibility must rest on those, who, for generations, perhaps centuries, had entrusted the education of the young to the disgracefully paid and woefully ill-equipped primary school teachers. But it would fall to your generation to supply the remedy.

Britain was fortunate in that she had a very fine system of universal elementary education. The Governor did not think that it would be any exaggeration to say that for practical purposes the main education that a large percentage of the present British Cabinet had, was in the excellent elementary schools of Britain. Bengal was more fortunate inasmuch as she had received the benefit of a university education. The gift of university education as a trust was to be applied not only for personal advancement but for the service of the country and of followmen.

It was inevitably to the young men and women of the universities that they must turn for the personnel of the armies that were to undertake the great campaign of educating the illiterate masses so that this province and this country might take their rightful place in the comity of nations.

Vice-Chancellor's Address

In the review of the last year the Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Radhabinode Pal, said that what came uppermost in his mind was the tragedy that Calcutta had to witness on a November evening in which many precious young and promising lives were lost and others injured as a result of police firing. The exact causes of that tragic incident were difficult to specify with confidence.

The Syndicate, by a resolution passed at a meeting, offered their sincere sympathy to the bereaved families and to the sufferers and urged upon His Excellency the Chancellor to appoint an impartial Committee of Enquiry to investigate the circumstances connected with the unfortunate occurrences, with a view to determining and fixing responsibility for the same.

Two happenings in this city within recent memory, in both of which students were involved, each pointing to its own moral could be recalled, said Dr. Pal.

"One of them testifies to the fact that if the students take up a cause which they deem to be right after due deliberation, nothing can shake by a jot their resolute devotion to it—not even a showner of bullets. The student community of Bengal has emerged in strength hitherto undreamt of, after purification by this bloodbath, before which their elders stand amazed.

"The other incident shows how they are equally fearless in confessing their own wrong—how they have courage enough to retrace their steps, once these are shown to have been faulty, and to make suitable amends in a chastened spirit, without allowing a false sense of prestige to stand in the way"

"The good wishes of your countrymen attend you in your onward march to victory, take care that you do not forfeit the confidence of those whose duty it is to show you light where you cannot, or should not, move unaided."

Reviewing the life of the University, the Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Radhabinode Pal pointed out the various new courses of studies introduced during the year, namely, Diploma courses in obstetrics and gynaecology, librarianship, social work, inland fisheries, journalism, maternity and child welfare, soap technology and a certificate course in applied psychology

Financial assistance from private individuals and public institutions flowed to the University during the year in the same encouraging manner as had been witnessed in recent years. This included a donation of Rs. 2,00,000 by Mr. M. M. Sur and R. Sur for the cultivation and advancement of fundamental research in pure physics, Rs. 1,15,000 by Rai Bahadur S. K. Ghose and friends for the introduction of a course of studies in plastics and Rs. 60,000 by Rai Bahadur R. P. Saha to enable the University to buy one gram of radium for research in nuclear physics and biophysics.

Referring to the Bengal Government grant of Rs. 5,00,000 the Vice-Chancellor thanked them

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for a further grant of Rs. 4,50,000 during the year which made it possible for the University to give dearness allowance to its teachers and administrative staff. These grants, he said, only helped the University to maintain its *status quo*. More liberal financial aid was urgently needed. He hoped for greater sympathy and attention from Government regarding financial help to the University.

Stressing the need for a change in the existing attitude towards education the Vice-Chancellor said that the present day approach to that problem essentially differed from its pre-war proto-type. They could no longer think of education and teaching as a super-temporal method only; the concrete nature of society, in which youth found itself and to which it would have to make its contribution, was a matter of prime concern.

Anti-Convocation Meeting

Sir Hassan Suhrawardy, a former Vice-Chancellor of Calcutta University, presiding at a meeting at Islamia College of about 100 Muslim graduates, who had boycotted the University Convocation, characterized the action of the authorities in inviting Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru to address the convocation as "most foolish."

Sir Hassan said that "Bengal being in the throes of an election fight, the time was most inopportune to call a party politician, who has by juggling with words and sophistry of argument been trying to put wrong interpretations on the demands of the Muslim League and what Pakistan stands for."

Mr. Jinnah Leaves Calcutta

Parting Appeal To Bengal Muslims

MR. M. A. Jinnah, President of the All-India Muslim League, returned to Calcutta on the 7th March last by special train from Gauhati, on the conclusion of his one week's tour of Assam. He was accompanied by his secretary and Mr. M. A. H. Ispahani, a member of the League Working Committee.

Shortly after his return, Mr. Jinnah visited the office of the Muslim Chamber of Commerce where a cheque for Rs. 100,000 and donations in cash amounting to over Rs. 1,00,000 were presented to him. Mr. Jinnah was also presented with an address.

Mr. Jinnah left Calcutta on the 9th March last by air for Delhi at the end of a three weeks' visit to Bengal and Assam.

His Message To Bengal

In a statement issued prior to his departure Mr. Jinnah said:—

"During my stay in Bengal, I have witnessed unprecedented enthusiasm among the Muslims not only in Calcutta but all over the countryside in favour of the Muslim League and the Pakistan demand, which has now become a household word. I feel confident that if we stand solid and united and be not misled by false and mischievous propaganda, untruths and vilification or be intimidated by threats of our opponents, Pakistan is assured.

"On the eve of my departure from Bengal, I appeal fervently to all classes of Muslims and urge strongly upon them that if you want Pakistan, your clearest duty is to vote for the candidate nominated finally by the Central Parliamentary Board of the All-India Muslim League. Their decision is final.

"It does not matter who the League candidate happens to be. You are not voting for him personally. Every vote cast in favour of the Muslim League candidate is a vote for Pakistan and conversely, every vote in favour of their opponents will be construed as a vote against Pakistan.

The Pakistan Issue

"In these elections which are being fought on the issue of Pakistan, Muslims of all classes must give a clear verdict. Do not be misled as in some instances which have been brought to my notice, when persons opposing the League nominee are claiming the votes of the constituency and the support of the Muslims in the name of Pakistan, declaring that they will join the League party in the Legislature, should they be elected. This is a mere snare and a trap and these people are deceiving the Muslims.

"I further wish to impress upon you that your vote is not for the formation of the League Party in the Legislature or for the formation of a Ministry, but it is for a clear verdict for Pakistan. It is, therefore, the sacred duty of the Muslim voters and workers to go to the polling booths in their numbers and win the battle of Pakistan by voting solid for the League candidate, even if he be a lamp post, and prove their determination to achieve Pakistan by capturing every seat in the Bengal Assembly.

"Discipline demands of you to act according to my appeal and enhance the prestige and honour of the All-India Muslim League. Finally, for the sake of our cause and Pakistan, I hope the Muslims will sweep the polls and prove to the world that Bengal is resolutely and determinedly behind the Pakistan demand.

"In the end, I most sincerely thank the Muslims of Bengal for the kindness, hospitality and affection shown to me wherever I went."

Pandit Nehru In Calcutta

Addresses Labour Rallies In City And Suburbs

FOLLOWING his Convocation address in the morning, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru addressed some seven labour rallies in the suburbs later in the day on the 9th March last. Starting from Titaghur at about 2-30 in the afternoon he went on speaking almost non-stop and addressed the last meeting at Champdani when it was close upon midnight.

At all these places Panditji explained the stand taken by the Congress and asked people to vote for Congress candidates who were seeking election from the Labour Constituencies.

Pandit Nehru had arrived in Calcutta in the morning of the 8th March last by air. He stayed with Prof. P. C. Mahalanobis at Barrackpore Trunk Road.

Panditji spent a busy day on the 8th March last. He presided over the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Indian Science Congress at Statistical Laboratory. He paid a visit to the Congress Medical Mission at Dr. B. C. Roy's house and then visited the All-India Women's Conference industrial centre (north branch) and the attached Sisubhaban at Kantapukur Lane.

At Labour Rallies

At the labour rallies Pandit Nehru urged the industrial labourers of broader Calcutta to vote for Congress nominees in the ensuing elections and hasten the emergence of a new order by preventing time-servers and so-called chapions of labour from entering the legislatures.

Workers attended these rallies in their thousands to hear from Pandit Nehru's lips the inspiring message of freedom. Pandit Nehru told them that British rule in India was a thing of the past and if they all worked unitedly they would be able to make the new order in India a glorious success.

Addressing a labour rally at Howrah Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru said that the Congress was fully prepared to meet the Cabinet Mission due to arrive in India shortly and talk to them frankly.

Pandit Nehru also addressed other labour meetings at Barrackpore and Matiaburz during the day.

Leaving Calcutta in a specially chartered plane on the morning of Sunday, the 10th March, he reached Chittagong in the forenoon. Immediately after addressing a public meeting at Dacca in the afternoon he flew back to Calcutta the same evening.

A Proper Approach

The need for technical and scientific training in an undertaking and a proper approach to and understanding of the spirit of the people whom it is intended to affect was stressed by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru in course of an address to the members of the Indian National Ambulance Corps on Monday morning, the 11th March at the Carmichael Medical College.

Pandit Nehru asked the students to think over what they were going to do in future. Entering into a profession, Pandit Nehru said, was rather in the nature of an ambition, a very high ambition not only to serve the cause of science but humanity. They would have to approach service not in a partisan spirit but in the true spirit in which a medical man and a scientist should. . . in a larger human spirit.

"We in India to-day," continued Pandit Nehru, 'are engrossed with one ambition, in one major activity—that is the activity of freeing India. After all, even search for truth is impossible where there is no atmosphere of freedom. There is no truth where there is no freedom. There is no truth under bondage. Therefore, we must release our energies, mass energies of the million to go ahead to build the country in the larger sense that is in search of truth for the benefit of humanity."

At Ashutosh Museum

Pandit Nehru, accompanied by Dr. B. C. Roy, paid a visit to the Ashutosh Museum of Indian Art, Calcutta University, on Monday morning, the 11th March. He stayed there for about half an hour.

Panditji was very much interested in the stone, bronze and terracotta relics specially of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa. He expressed keen desire that some means should be found to continue the traditional arts and crafts of India, which still survive in this part of the country. Pandit Nehru hoped that some of the living masters of these arts could be brought down to Calcutta so that they might impart their skill to the present generation.

Pandit Nehru lunched with His Excellency the Governor of Bengal, Sir Frederick Burrows, on Monday. This luncheon invitation, it is understood, followed Pandit Nehru's meeting with the Governor at the annual Convocation.

Pandit Nehru left for Bombay on Monday afternoon, the 11th March, to attend the meeting of the Congress Working Committee.

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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

NEW GOVERNOR'S FIRST BROADCAST

"I have come out here to work with you for the fulfilment of your hopes and the creation of conditions under which your highest aspirations can be achieved," said H. E. Sir Frederick Burrows, Governor of Bengal, in his first broadcast to the people of the province from the Calcutta Station of the All-India Radio on the 7th March last.

His Excellency asked for the confidence of the people and assured them that he would unremittingly work for the good of all with special regard for the poor.

Reviewing the food position, Sir Frederick warned that it would be "extremely unwise for us in Bengal to gamble on getting any substantial supplies of rice from outside."

He pleaded for the maximum crop of rice and asked the people to co-operate with Government for the procurement and distribution of foodstuffs in order that a second famine might be averted.

CALCUTTA TELEPHONE SERVICE

In view of the frequent disturbances in Calcutta recently which have resulted in the normal telephone service being dislocated, it is understood that the Posts and Telegraphs Department have under contemplation a scheme which will enable the telephones of important members of the public and essential organisations to function during disturbances with the minimum number of circuits which will be operated by a depleted staff.

The normal telephone service had to be suspended in some of the telephone exchanges in Calcutta during the recent disturbances owing to absence of the operating staff.

It is understood that the Postal authorities have already circularized important officers and organizations asking them for the telephone numbers which they usually require urgently in their normal course of business.

REQUISITIONED PROPERTIES RELEASED

Up to the 2nd March last, 601 requisitioned properties in Calcutta have been released by the Defence Services on the recommendation of the Standing Quartering Board which reviews the accommodated position every week. Properties released so far consist of 299 residential and 302 non-residential properties.

Two hundred and ninety-nine properties were released between July and November, 1945. The releases in the last three months have been December 83, January 131 and February 88, making an average of 23 properties per week.

GEOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF BENGAL URGED

A thorough geographical survey of Bengal was essential before a programme of post-war reconstruction could be launched, said Prof. Meghnad Saha, F.R.S., opening a geographical exhibition at the University Senate Hall, Calcutta, on Monday, the 11th March.

Geography, he said, was a much neglected subject in this province and they had paid dearly for this. In the immediate future they would have to face many problems, one of the biggest of which was the development of electrical power. For this, they would have to study the formation of river valleys, how much water the rivers brought, and how much of the energy dissipated by rivers could be harnessed to produce power. This required a knowledge of geography, hydrology and allied sciences.

It had been shown that if the Damodar river could be harnessed, it could be made to do very useful work. The building of embankments along it would enable the storage of at least 30 per cent. of its water for the irrigation of over 1,000,000 acres of Western Bengal, which, at present, does not grow more than one crop in the year. The electrical energy that could also be produced would be equal to the amount now produced for Calcutta's consumption, and would enable the development of various new industries. There were very many other rivers that could be similarly utilized for the enrichment of the province.

He urged Calcutta University to reorganize its Department of Geography on modern lines. "Money spent on such basic sciences," he said, "is well spent."

JAMINI BHUSAN AYURVEDA VIDYALAYA

The part played by the Jamini Bhusan Ashtanga Ayurvedic Vidyalaya in dissemination of Ayurvedic education in this country and its present financial difficulties

MR. JNANANJAN NIYOGI

Statement On The Eve Of Retirement

The following statement has been issued to the Press by Mr. Jnananjan Niyogi on the eve of his retirement from Corporation service as the Officer-in-charge, Calcutta Corporation Commercial Museum :—

About fourteen years ago Netaji Subhas Chandra entrusted to me the task of materializing one of his dreams through the Commercial Museum in the interest of Indian industry and india's prosperity. To the best of my ability, by harnessing all sources and possibilities it was my endeavour to turn the Museum into a national institution and a national asset. During the last ten years the Commercial Museum has established contacts with all the Research Laboratories and Technical Institutions in India. Through the co-operation of the indigenous manufacturers and technological institutions the Commercial Museum has been able to earn reputation for usefulness and guidance to industrial enterprisers and to prospective industrial investors. It has been the centre of education and inspiration. The Museum is sure to play an important role in the ensuing period of industrial reorganisation in India as a centre of information, contact and guidance to the interested public. The overseas contact of the Commercial Museum with the biggest industrial and research centres and progressive manufacturers in the different parts of the world will again be revived for the benefit of the Indian industries.

"My services with the Corporation of Calcutta as the Officer-in-charge of Commercial Museum and Publicity Department, has now terminated and I owe an obligation to express my heartful thanks to the manufacturers, traders, the scientists, different commercial organisations, industrial research workers, the journalists of India and the public in general as well as to my beloved co-workers for all their co-operation and guidance. All credit must be given to the Corporation of Calcutta to found and finance such a unique Institution and to help to realise to some measure the dream and ideal of Shri Subhas Chandra Bose."

were referred to at an afternoon party held at the Vidyalaya premises in Raja Dinendra Street, Calcutta, on Monday, the 11th March.

Mr. Justice C. C. Biswas, President of the Vidyalaya and Hospital, maintained the superiority of Ayurvedic form of medicine and added that long before the discovery of other forms of medical science Ayurveda flourished in India, and since then it was holding its own through its scientific explorations. He regretted that the Government of the land took no notice of this indigenous form of medicine and did not render monetary help for the development of such institutions. This institution had been receiving grants from the Calcutta Corporation. Its financial condition had turned from bad to worse and the public in general ought to come out to help the institution.

Mr. Hemendra Prasad Ghose assured the authorities all help on behalf of the journalists present.

Mr. Sures Chandra Majumdar assured the authorities of the journalists' whole-hearted support by way of publicity in order to lengthen its valuable life. He said that Calcutta owned four or five Ayurvedic institutions but none of them were in good financial condition. If all these were amalgamated into one big organisation then not only these institutions would be benefited but Ayurvedic form of medicine would march on the path of progress.

A general discussion followed as to how the financial condition of the institution could be bettered.

GOVERNMENT DESTITUTE HOMES.

Over 1,000 persons are at present accommodated in Government's three destitute homes in Calcutta.

These homes, which cater primarily for the destitute persons wandering into the city from outside, have accommodation for about 3,000 persons. It addition there are 14 homes organized by various voluntary societies and aided by Government, providing work and shelter for approximately 1,335 persons.

Collection of destitutes from the streets of Calcutta continues. From February 20 to March 3, about 200 persons have been removed. Of them 121 are Bengalees hailing mainly from the 24-Parganas, Howrah and Midnapore districts. The balance are non-Bengalees from Bihar, Madras, Orissa, the U. P. and the C. P.

On February 20 the Government Relief Co-ordination Officer was instructed to resume collection of destitutes from the streets of Calcutta after a lapse of four months during which the city streets had been reasonably free from such persons.

PERMITS FOR NEW CARS

A very large number of applications have been received by the Provincial Transport Commissioner for permits to purchase new motor cars, says a *Press Note*. Sale Orders and Coupons can only be issued after an allocation of the number of various types and makes of cars to be distributed in the Province has been made. As soon as an allotment is received, the Provincial Transport Commissioner from the list of registered applicants on the basis of essentiality will select allottees, who are furnished with the Sale Orders issued in their favour, together with the Letter of Authorization (Coupon).

NEW HONOUR FOR PROF. MAHALANOBIS

Prof. P. C. Mahalanobis, Secretary of the Indian Science Congress Association, and Principal of Presidency College, Calcutta, has been appointed a member of the Statistical Commission established by the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations Organisation. Prof. Mahalanobis is the only Indian member of the Commission.

Intimating this decision of the United Nations Organisation through the Government of India, its Secretary General has invited Prof. Mahalanobis to attend the first session of the Commission to be held at New York beginning from April 29. The session will last for about 3 weeks.

NEW VICE-CHANCELLOR ASSUMES CHARGE

Mr. P. N. Banerjee, a former Minister of Bengal, assumed charge on Wednesday, the 13th March as Vice-Chancellor of the Calcutta University. He is the 12th Indian Vice-Chancellor of the University, which was started about 90 years ago.

JYOTIRMAYEE GANGULI MEMORIAL

APPEAL TO PUBLIC

Mr. S. C. Roy, Secretary, Jyotirmayee Ganguli Memorial Committee, in an appeal to the public, says :—

"It may be recalled that the Jyotirmayee Ganguli Memorial Committee, with Mrs. Sarojini Naidu as President and a number of distinguished leaders as Vice-Presidents and members was formed on Dec. 16, 1945 to perpetuate the memory of Sjta. Jyotirmayee Ganguli, a great educationist, patriot and a social worker.

"For three days from November 21 to November 23 last the police resorted to indiscriminate firing in Calcutta and during these disturbances, Miss Ganguli, always arraying herself on the side of the students—the first target of police firing—herself met her end under the most tragic circumstances.

Presiding at a meeting in Calcutta to condole her death Mrs. Sarojini Naidu made an earnest appeal to the people of Bengal in the following glowing terms: I want you to realise that Jyotirmayee was a teacher just as Ramkrishna was a teacher, Sri Chaitanya was a teacher, Guru Nanak was a teacher . . . . See to it that her memory does not die out, and concentrate your activities in such a way that the great humanity may be liberated for ever to come. "In the absence of any idea of the amount that may be collected it is not possible to decide at this stage as to the shape of the memorial to be raised. The Memorial Committee, however, hopes that our countrymen will contribute generously to the Fund of the committee, so that a decent amount may be collected for a suitable memorial to be raised to perpetuate the memory of Miss. Ganguli.

"All contributions should be sent to the Secretary, 15, Chittaranjan Avenue Calcutta. Cheques should be made payable to the "Jyotirmayee Ganguli Memorial Committee."

AIR TRAVEL BY CIVILIANS

The Bengal Government in a *Press Note* explains the position regarding allotment of priority for air travel from Calcutta by civilians.

Under existing rules the following categories of civilian applicants are entitled to priority :—Government servants travelling on duty; business men, etc. travelling on business

of national importance, for example, in connection with post-war reconstruction, rehabilitation or development of essential industries; and compassionate cases.

Any person claiming priority should apply to the Under-Secretary, Home Department, of Bengal, Writers' Building, Calcutta on R. A. F. form No. 2768 in triplicate, available from the Air Booking Centre, Victoria House, or from the Home Department, Applicants should produce documentary evidence of his *bona fides* and the urgency of his journey.

Applicants for non-priority air passages should fill in triplicate the prescribed forms for non-priority travel available at the Air Booking Centre, or Home Department, and submit them direct to the Air Priorities Board at No. 4 Camp, Red Road (near the Chowringhee Gate of Fort William, opposite Park Street). Such applicants will be given passages, if space is available after meeting priority demands, strictly in the order in which their applications are received by the Board.

LATE SIR U. N. BRAHMACHARI

Sir U. N. Brahmachari not only made his mark as a successful medical practitioner, but also was a very prominent scientist.

Thus observed Dr. B. C. Roy, while presiding over a meeting held to condole the death of Sir U. N. Brahmachari at the Indian Association for Cultivation of Science on the 7th March last.

CHOLERA DEATHS ON THE INCREASE

Cholera attacks and deaths in Calcutta during the week ended March 9 *were* 60 *and* 30, *respectively, against* 57 *and* 31 *the week before. During the corresponding two weeks last year, attacks numbered* 113 *and* 50 *and deaths* 47 *and* 15.

There were 6 *attacks and* 5 *deaths from small-pox during the week against* 7 *and* 4, *respectively, in the preceding week. Last year, attacks averaged* 348 *and deaths* 251 *during the corresponding weeks.*

Malaria caused 18 *deaths against* 32 *the week before. Deaths from this disease during the corresponding weeks last year averaged* 42.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 99 *against* 82 *in the preceding week.*

Total mortality in the city amounted to 706 *against the previous week's figure of* 684. *During the corresponding period last year, deaths from all causes averaged* 1,022.

Dr. Roy continuing said that he was a scientist through and through. He could not be content by simply noting down the symptoms of his patients. His mind always underwent some scientific process which a scientist went through in discovering Atomic Bomb, the former being constructive and the latter destructive.

Dr. Roy said that the void caused by his death would be difficult to fulfil. He was a jewel amongst scientific men.

He then moved the following resolution which was accepted by all standing :—

"This gathering of the citizens of Calcutta places on record its deep sense of sorrow and severe loss at the death of Sir U. N. Brahmachari, a distinguished scientist and an eminent physician, who by his discovery of Urea Stebamin rendered a great service to the suffering humanity"

Dr. A. C. Ukil, Dr. U. P. Basu, Dr. K. N, Bagchi, Dr. Meghnad Saha and others addressed the meeting.

MAJ-GEN. A. C. CHATTERJEE

Maj-Gen. A. C. Chatterjee of Azad Hind Government was brought to Calcutta on Saturday evening, the 9th March, and flown to Delhi on Sunday last under military escort.

Members of the medical profession and medical students of Bengal voiced their united demand for immediate repatriation and release of Maj-Gen. A. C. Chatterjee, Foreign Minister of the Azad Hind Government, at a crowded rally of doctors and medical students held on the 8th March last at the University Institute Hall. Dr. B. C. Ghosh was in the chair.

The meeting resolved to be insistent in its demand for repatriation and release so that the invaluable services of Maj-Gen. Chatterjee might be available to India and to the medical profession, in particular, in this hour of national awakening. The meeting held that his unparalleled organising capacity and patriotism were badly needed for the whole country which was faced with a catastrophe of great magnitude in the shape of the impending famine.

While paying high tributes to the manifold services and sacrifices of Maj-Gen. Chatterjee speakers expressed great astonishment as to how it was possible for one who had earned quite a name for being an indefatigable and a highly prized component of the bureaucratic machine could have housed such a fire of patriotism.

A resolution was also adopted by the medical students of Calcutta at general meetings held in the noon at different medical institutions demanding immediate repatriation and release of Maj-Gen. Chatterjee and his comrades of the Azad Hind Fauj.

GIRISH CHANDRA GHOSH

The great dramatist and poet late Girish Chandra Ghose's 103rd birth anniversary was observed by the Girish Sangha at

MAHAJATI SADAN

CASE ADJOURNED AGAIN

The matter arising out of the mysterious disappearance of Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose during the pendency of his trial under the D. I. Rules, necessitating the issue of a warrant against him and of a proclamation with attachment of his property, came up for hearing before Mr. Ali Reza, Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, on Wednesday the 13*th March.*

Mr. B. C. Sen, Public Prosecutor, placed before the Magistrate a letter of the Solicitor to the Province of Bengal in which it was stated that Mr. Justice Edgley's list was full and that his lordship would not be free to take any other suit before the end of the current month and that the matter might be mentioned towards the end of the month for an early hearing of the suit regarding the premises, Mahajati Sadan. Mr. Sen prayed that further action in the matter might be postponed for another three months.

The Magistrate read the letter and adjourned the case until June 20 *next.*

the Srirangam Theatre on Monday, the 11th March. Mr. Keshab Chandra Gupta presided and many other distinguished gentlemen as also some ladies were present.

Pandit Ashokenath Shastri said that to-day when the country was on the verge of great happenings it was quite proper that they should look into the lives and works of the great in order to draw inspiration therefrom. And the works of Girish Chandra, specially his dramas 'Sivaji'. 'Sirajuddoula' and 'Mirkasem', all the three banned, roused feelings and sentiments of patriotism as few other books did. The ban on these dramas should be lifted by the Government without delay and Pandit Shastri urged upon the Sangha to be up and doing for creating a public opinion towards this end. And if the ban was not lifted he proposed that the drama should be staged in defiance of the ban.

The President, while paying glowing tributes to the memory of the great dramatist-poet who, according to him, was no less a patriot than anybody else in Bengal at that time, said that the best way they could offer their respects and tributes to Girish Chandra was by rejuvinating our national life with the ideas and ideals that the great dramatist had left for this generation in his dramas.

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VITAL STATISTICS

(I)

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 2nd March, 1946.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN & SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 684 against 704 and 808 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 311 The general death-rate of the week was 14.30 per mille.

Town (Wards 1 –27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 2nd March, 1946, was 563 against 601 and 693 in the two preceding weeks. There were 17 deaths from cholera against 15 and 19 in the two preceding weeks. There were 2 deaths from small-pox during the week against nil in the previous week. There were 2 deaths from influenza against 4 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 63 and 71 respectively against 61 and 79 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 13.29 per mille per annum.

There were 10 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 13.05.

There were 116 deaths from respiratory diseases against 132 in the previous week.

There were 46 deaths from tuberculosis against 51 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 121 against 103 and 115 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 14 were from cholera, 2 from small-pox, nil from influenza, 9 from fevers, 25 from bowel-complaints and 22 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 20.09 per mille.

There was nil imported death. Excluding these, the death-rate was nil.

There were 7 deaths from tuberculosis against 7 in the previous week.

(II)

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 16th March, 1946.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN AND SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 667 against 706 and 684 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 362. The general death-rate of the week was 13.74 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 16th March, 1946, was 567 against 578 and 563 in the two preceding weeks. There were 34 deaths from cholera against 21 and 17 in the two preceding weeks. There was nil death from small-pox during the week against 2 in the previous week. There was 1 death from influenza against nil in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 57 and 75 respectively against 53 and 91 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 13.38 per mille per annum.

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There were 24 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 12.81.

There were 98 deaths from respiratory diseases against 90 in the previous week.

There were 42 deaths from tuberculosis against 42 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 100 against 128 and 121 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 4 were from cholera, 2 from small-pox, nil from influenza, 13 from fevers, 18 from bowel-complaints and 23 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 16.61 per mille.

There were 3 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate was 16.11.

There were 5 deaths from tuberculosis against 7 in the previous week.

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CORPORATION NOTICES

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Mr. Govin Prosad Lall, the recorded occupier of Stall No. 4 in Block C (new) in the S. S. Hogg Market for permission to take in Messrs. Jugal Kishore and Bhola Nath (minors) represented by Gopal Lall as new partners in the business carried on in the above stall to the exclusion of the name of their deceased father Mr. Ram Narayan Lall, who was formerly non-lien partner in the business in respect of the above stall.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette*.

P. C. BHATTACHERJEE,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market.
The 12th March, 1946.

Amendment of Pension Rules

Notice is hereby given under Section 486 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, that under Section 485(i) of the Act, the following amendment to the Pension Rules of the Corporation has been sanctioned by Government in their letter, No. L. S. G. 147/46/3R dated the 24th January 1946:

After Rule 17A of the Rules, the following should be inserted :—

"17B. Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing Rules, all small-scale pensioners be granted a temporary increase in their pensions due in January, 1944, and until further orders, on the following scale :—

(i) On pensions not exceeding Rs. 20 per month—Rs. 3 per month.

(ii) On pensions exceeding Rs. 20 per month but not exceeding Rs. 40 per month —Rs. 4 per month.

(iii) On pensions exceeding Rs. 40 per month, but not exceeding Rs. 44 per month—such amount as together with the pension will equal to Rs. 44 per month.

The term "pensions" as used in this rule, includes commuted portions of pensions, if any, and the additional pensions sanctioned by the Corporation and Government under Rule 17A every year."

S. M. YAQUB,
Actg. Chief Executive Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 12th March, 1946.

Dog License

Owners of dogs residing in Calcutta, who have not yet taken out license for their dogs for the year 1945-46, will please take out license immediately from the undersigned on payment of a license fee of Rs. 5 per dog, failing which steps will be taken to realise the tax by issue of warrant of distress against them involving extra cost and penalties.

S. GHOSHAL,
License Officer.

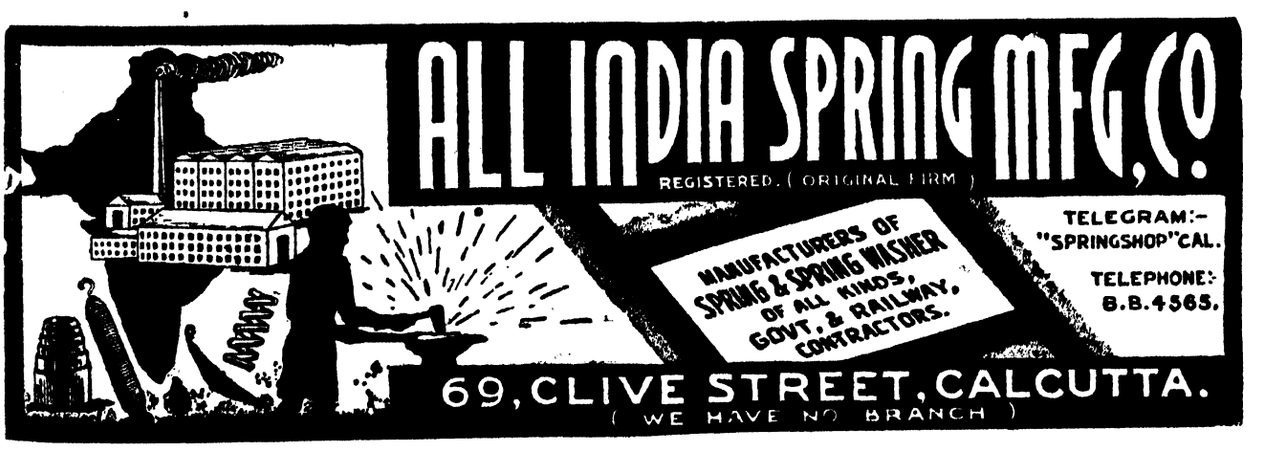
Central Municipal Office,
The 7th March, 1946.

Hawker's License

Hawkers and Itinerant dealers, carrying on business within the limits of Calcutta, who have not yet taken out their trade license, for 1945-46, will please take out their trade license from me immediately, failing which their goods will be liable to be seized and they will not be allowed to carry on their business in Calcutta.

S. GHOSHAL,
License Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 7th March, 1946.





PARK CIRCUS MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				
A—8	0 8 0	Do.	...	...	...

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—3 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

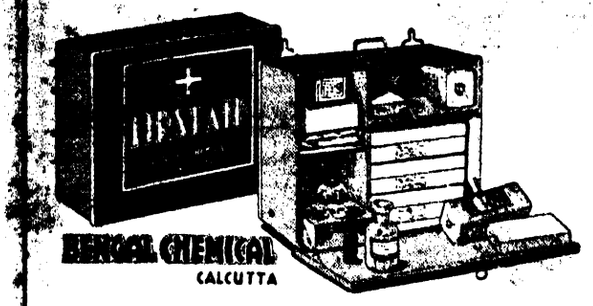
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Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New) ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

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3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, BAR-AT-LAW,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhangnar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
		1 14 0
Duck's eggs per score		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs		
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal "	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	
Garlic "	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Shuchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 8 0	0 10 0
" (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—8	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras "		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk "		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	(Op.)
Atta White No. 1		
Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar "	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
" (Sugarcandy) "	0 12 0 (Ration	Shop)
Suji	0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga " "	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai "	0 6 6	
Biuli "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
" (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar "	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled)	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal "		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. 2 "		
Corn Flower 1 "		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin „ —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted „ —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump „ —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class From	2nd Class To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Hind-quarter „ ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0		

MUTTON.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Chops per seer ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Breast „ ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart „ ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver „ ...	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain „ ...	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue „ ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters „ ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat —	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lunchoon Sausage per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 14 0	4 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee „ —	4 8 0	5 8 0
Maldive „ ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per „ ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — —	3 5 0	4 10 0

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 6 0	1 8 0
Capon ,, ...	6 0 0	10 0 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	2 14 0	3 4 0
Do (special) each ...	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 8 0	3 12 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	20 0 0	25 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 8 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,		
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,		
Do. Country each	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 8 0	2 4 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 12 0	1 2 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Plovers each ...			
Quail ,, ...			
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0	
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0	
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0	
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0	
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0	
Sand Grouse each ...			
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0	
BIRDS.			
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0	
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0	
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0	
VEGETABLES.			
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0		
Do. Ground per seer			
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0		
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0		
Do. Agra ...	0 12 0	1 0 0	
Do. Country per seer —	0 8 0	0 12 0	
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0	
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0		
Do. Butter per score ...			
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0	
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 0 0	
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 10 0	0 14 0	
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0		
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 10 0	0 14 0	
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0	
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0		
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0	
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 10 0	0 12 0	
Do. Simla ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0	
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	0 12 0	
Snake Coil ,, ...			
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0	
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...			
Do. Country do. ...	0 6 0	0 7 0	
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0	
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0	
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 8 0	0 10 0	
Do. (New) Small ...	0 5 0	0 6 0	
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0		
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 3 6	0 4 6	
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...			
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0		
Pulbu (Patal) per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0	
Do. Country per bundle			
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0	
Squash per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0	
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0	
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0	
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0	
Tomato per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0	
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0		
Do. Country ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0	
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0	
Do. Shillong ,,	0 10 0	0 14 0	
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0	
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0		
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 8 0	0 10 0	
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0	
Do. Darjeeling each			
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0	
Red ,, per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0	
Tarai per seer —			
Kankrole per seer —			
Do (large) per lb. ...			
Kesur China per seer ...			
Lime patty per score ...	1 4 0	2 0 0	
Lemon (English) per doz.			
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...			
Do. (Country) ...			
Locket per score ...			
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...			
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer			
Mask Melon per seer ...			
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)			
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.			
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.			
Do. Do. (Madras)			
Do. Langra per doz. ...			
Do. Sipia ...			
Do. Fazlie —			
Do. Mohon Bhog ...			
Do. Green per score ...			
Do. Golapkhash —			
Do. Himsagore ...			
Do. Begamfuli ...			
Do. Kanchan ...			
Do. Bombay ...			
Do. Safeta ...			
Do. Lilam per doz. ...			
Mangosteen per doz. ...			
Mulberry per score ...			
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0	
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0	
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0	
Oranges Sylhet —			
Do. Bombay ...			
Do. Darjeeling 4—6	1 0 0		
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—16 ...	1 0 0		
Do. (Squeezing) 12—1s	1 0 0		

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 12 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Rumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Rumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Salasia do. ...		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..		
Rose Apple per score ...		
Sofata 10—12 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

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Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.
„ 13	„ 7 „	Do.
E. 8	„ 6 „	Do.

Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer — ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 8 0	3 4 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 4 0	4 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ..	4 12 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) ..	2 0 0	2 4 0
Rohi per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ..	2 0 0	2 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Butter fish per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 4 0	4 0 0
Lobster —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	3 8 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 4 0	4 10 0
Mackerel —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp per seer —	0 12 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. }		
Do. unmixed. „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundash)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		
Rice per seer (retail) —		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 6 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 12 0
Chola „ —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 13 0
Khasari „ ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 13 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A. P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 8 0
Halud „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — }		
Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. —		4 0 0
Short bread per lb. ...	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins		
„ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie —		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 8	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 8
Petit Beurre —	0 12 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 8	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 8	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 8
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Pepperments per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...		
Dereszke per packet ...	0 2 0	
Scissor per pkt. ...		0 4 0
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ —		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt. —		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin ... —		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb, per pkt. —	3 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 8 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	1 12 0	
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 2 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Sloan's Liniment —	2 11 0	
*Kruschen Salt ...		
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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Veg. 4, 5, 6, 15 and 16	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 8 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st February, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...	–	
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		0 8 0
Gram (Dal) ...	0 7 0	
Mug Dal ...		0 12 0
Do. (Sona) ...		
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		0 5 6
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 0
Do. (white) ,, –		
Suji ...		0 5 6
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas –	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) –	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other –		
Hilsa –	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns –		
Parsey –		
Bagda –		
Bhetki –		
Crab per pair –	0 2 0	0 5 0
Koi –	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) –	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal ..	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari) ..		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ..	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled) ...	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do. ...	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) –		0 6 0
*Atta		0 5 0
*Do. B .. –		
Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) –		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head –		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid –		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	1 2 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer –		
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 16–20 ...	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		10 0 0
Dates Arab –	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Naspati –		
Mango ...		
,, (Langra) –		
Pomegranate per seer –	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
	1 4 0	
Patal per seer ...		
Potatoes New ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Potatoes (Nanita) –	0 4 0	0 5 0
Brinjal –	0 3 6	0 4 0
Ginger –	0 8 0	
Onion ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cauliflower each ...		
Cabbage per seer –	0 2 0	0 2 6
FISH		
Parsey per seer –	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pona ,, –	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,,	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda ,, –	2 8 0	
Bhetki ,, –	2 4 0	2 8 0
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 8 0	1 [illegible]
Hilsa Fish –	1 4 0	1 [illegible]

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. –	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. –		
Household per tin –		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice –		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. –		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) –		
Quaker's Oats ...		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each –		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th February, 1946

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ —		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country — —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...	0 1 0	0 2 0
Bit per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—2 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Alubokhara per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „ ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	2 0
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul „ —		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safata 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ..		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Masafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda —	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (spilt) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ..	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 3 6	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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The largest quarry owners in the Mirzapore District
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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th February, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	1 13 0	2 4 0
Bilong —		
Lobster ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 12 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Parsay ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 2 6	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	3 0 0
Mutton ,, ...	—	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,, —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas (Darjeeling) —	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...	0 4 0	0 5 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ..	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hart) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. —		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, —	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 5th March, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bilong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other Fish —		
Hilsa —		
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 8 0	1 10 0
Fowl's Eggs ,, —	1 8 0	1 10 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	
Cabbage ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly ,, —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 3 0	0 5 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 12 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Sag ,, —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Squash ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 8 0	1 0 0
White ,, ,, —		Contd.
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —		
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,, —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —	4 14 0	
Do. Sree ,, —	4 8 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —		
Milk (Co-operative) per qser —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly ,, —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946,

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Bona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Bilong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Sagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Bellati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos.	0 3 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
bREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 3 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 0 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 3 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
36A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 38.	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
37	0 5 0 Daily				

N. M. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
" 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 890	0 10 0	Do.
" 46A	1 5 0	Oilman's Stores
" 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
Cocoanut Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
*" 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
*" 31	0 4 0	Do
*" 39—40	1 0 0	Do
*" 41—43	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (New) 3	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be
" 32	35 0 0	approved by the
" 58	43 0 0	Committee.
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
" 58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-59	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74 } " 115-130 }	7 8 0	Do.
" 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
" * 9	0 8 0	Do
" * 10	0 8 0	Do
" * 18	0 8 0	Do
" * 19	0 8 0	Do
" * 22	0 8 0	Do
" 37	0 4 0	Do
" * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42 each	0 8 0	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
New Chandney A. R. P.	27 4 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72-73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9 each	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		
*" 3 & 6	0 4 0	Suet
	0 5 0	Do
		Do
*" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Betel

*Shall be sanctioned.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in this Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 8 0	Vegetables
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.	30 ,,	0 8 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 8 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
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IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA'S WATER SUPPLY

A Rs. 2 crore-scheme to improve Calcutta's water-supply has been suggested by a Committee of experts appointed by the Bengal Government last year.

The scheme, to be completed in three years, will provide a continuous supply of filtered water and lead to the ultimate abolition of the dangerous dual water supply.

The object is to provide a continuous supply of 122 to 132 million gallons of filtered water daily against the present 72 to 75 million gallons. Supply of unfiltered water will also be increased.

The Committee has suggested construction of a rapid gravity filter plant having a capacity of 48 million gallons per day, improvement in the existing filters at Pulta, installation of certain new machinery, remodelling of the present arrangements for purification of water, laying of an additional 54 inch main from Pulta to Tallah and conversion of the existing 42 inch gravity main to a pressure main.

The proposed distribution arrangements in the city proper include provision of a station at the junction of Dhurrumtolla Street and Lower Circular Road to increase the pressure in zone mains in South Central and South Calcutta.

To prevent wastage the Committee has suggested that all domestic reservoirs should be provided with ball valves and that street standposts should be replaced by street tanks specially in bustees and other areas inhabited by people of low economic level.

For the improvement of the unfiltered water supply the Committee has suggested the extension of the existing jetty at the Mullickghat Pumping Station to lead the suction pipe to the deep water channel and replacement of certain existing machinery.

An independent source of supply for all purposes has been recommended for the Manicktolla area as an experimental measure.

The Committee has suggested the sinking of six 8 in. diameter deep tube-wells to be operated by electricity, each supplying one million gallons of water daily. The water will be pumped into six overhead reservoirs situated in different zones and distributed through pipelines. If the experiment proves successful six more tube-wells will be sunk in 1951.

The total expenditure in the first year, mainly for the improvement of unfiltered water supply, is estimated at Rs. 29,70,000. In the second year Rs. 1,19,00,000 is proposed to be spent for the improvement of filtered water supply. The third year's expenditure will be Rs. 48,00,000. Of this, Rs. 9,00,000 will be earmarked for the improvement of Manicktolla's supply, Rs. 5,00,000 for unfiltered water and the balance for the filtered water supply in Calcutta.

The Calcutta Corporation has been asked to what extent it is prepared to adopt the scheme irrespective of financial difficulties.

The Committee is composed of Mr. P. C. Bose, Chief Engineer, Public Health Department, Bengal (Chairman); Mr. D. N. Ganguli, Chief Engineer, Calcutta Corporation; Mr. W. Prosser, Chief Engineer, Calcutta Improvement Trust and Prof. K. Subramanyan, Professor of Sanitary Engineering, All-India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health.

THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

A SHORT RECORD OF THE MORE IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF AND DISCUSSIONS AT THE CORPORATION MEETING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 22, 1946

CORPORATION BUDGET FOR 1946-47

Proposal For Increase Of Consolidated Rate Rejected

AFTER discussions for two days the Corporation adopted on Thursday, the 21st March with certain modifications the Budget Estimates of Income and Expenditure for the year 1946-47,—the first Budget after conclusion of the Second World War,—as recommended by the Budget Special Committee.

The Chief Executive Officer, it may be recalled, placed his Budget Estimates before the Corporation on the 8th February last. At that meeting the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, informed the House, in reference to his discussion with the then Governor, Mr. R. G. Casey, that they could be assured of Government assistance if only they did everything possible to save themselves from the impending financial crisis, which had thus been pointed out by the Chief Executive Officer in the course of his statement on the Budget Estimates

"If in presenting the Budget Estimates for the last two years I had stated that our budgetary position was extremely embarrassing, I am to state that the Corporation is now facing a financial collapse."

The Chief Executive Officer had stated that the financial position of the Corporation was such that the deficit could not be met from the receipts. He had suggested that with an increase of 2 per cent. in the Consolidated Rate, also with Government help in the shape of Ways and Means Advance and increased income from various other sources, the Budget might somehow be balanced.

Thereupon the Corporation appointed a Budget Special Committee of 21 members to consider the Budget Estimates. The members were :—

Mr. I. Beed, Mr. A. L. Poddar, (Chairman); Dr. B. N. Basu, Mr. M. K. Mazumdar, Dr. S. N. Sinha, (Deputy Chairman); Mr. B. K. Banerjee, Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen, Mr. B. C. Das, Mr. P. K. Set, Mr. H. K. Ganguli, Mr. Md. Israil, Mr. M. M. Haq, Mr. Abdus Sattar, Mr. S. Bolar, Khan Saheb S. M. Solaiman, Mr. Golam Hossain, Mr. A. A Wise, Mr. W. A. Burns, Mr. P. S. Basu, Mr. M. Barman and Mr. R. N. Gaggar.

The Budget Special Committee held 15 meetings and suggested certain modifications in the original Budget Estimates. The main feature of the recommendations was that the Special Committee did not approve of the Chief Executive Officer's proposal for increasing the present Consolidated Rate by 2 per cent.—from 19½ per cent to 21½ per cent. The Committee did not also accept the Chief Executive Officer's suggestion for a Ways and Means Advance from the Government.

According to the estimates, as recommended by the Committee, the opening balance on Revenue Account on the 1st April, 1946, will be Rs. 36,22,000. Receipts during 1946-47 are estimated at Rs. 3,70,88,000 and expenditure at Rs. 3,85,36,000, leaving a closing balance of Rs. 21,74,000 on the 31st March, 1947.

The recommendations provided for a total increase in the revenue receipts amounting to Rs. 14,94,500 under the heads Licenses from Trade and Profession, 25 per cent. increase of the stall-holder's rent, exemption fees and rent of buildings, etc., sale proceeds of land and a new tax from the owners of vehicles and miscellaneous. A reduction in the expenditure amounting to about Rs. 27,50,000, provision of Rs 5,27,000 for undertaking new works, Rs. 64,000 for the purchase of 8 lorries for removal of night soil from Cossipur and Manicktolla areas and a provision of Rs. 50,000 for emergency works, were amongst other main items of the recommendations.

The Committee also recommended that the Government be approached for giving a ways and means advance to the Corporation to the extent of Rs. 5,82,000 to meet the cost necessary for the purchase of motor vehicles and road rollers.

It was also suggested that the Government be approached to pass an enactment investing the Corporation with powers to levy a Town Duty on various goods imported into the city on the same or similar lines as in Bombay, the goods recommended for taxation being coal (not household coke), jute, tea, wines and spirits, cigars, cigarettes and pipe tobacco.

Another recommendation was that a representation be made to the Government reiterating the Corporation's claim for a reasonable share of the receipts from the Amusement and Electricity taxes and for a contribution to the Municipality of 50 per cent. of the Sales Tax realized in Calcutta.

Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha, Deputy Chairman, Budget Special Committee, who had presided over the Committee meetings, announced at the first day's meeting that the Budget Special Committee could balance the budget without increasing the Consolidated Rate by 2 per cent. as suggested by the Chief Executive Officer.

Councillor W. A. Burns proposed the increase of the Consolidated Rate, as suggested by the Chief Executive Officer but the House, at its sitting for the Second day, rejected Councillor Burn's proposal.

THE FIRST BUDGET AFTER WORLD WAR NO. II

Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha, while presenting the Budget Estimates as modified by the Budget Special Committee before the House at its meeting on Wednesday, the 20th March, 1946, stated that the Budget Special Committee had closely examined the proposals advanced by the Chief Executive Officer in order to balance the Budget Estimates for the year 1946-47. If they could help it, the Committee felt that they would not add to the burden of taxation of the ratepayers. They avoided increasing the rate not by manipulation but by a judicious scrutiny of the figures supplied by the Departments which were found to be much in excess of their requirements.

Describing the Chief Executive Officer's Budget Estimates, Councillor Dr. Sinha said that the Chief Executive Officer had presented a deficit budget,—deficit to the extent of Rs. 50 lakhs, but which actually was Rs. 66 lakhs. It had been called an extraordinary budget and methods adopted to balance this deficit, namely, by increasing the rate by 20 per cent. yielding about Rs. 10,76,000 and asking from the Government for an advance of Rs. 37,86,000 had also been called extraordinary. Even with this, expenditure exceeded the receipt by about Rs. 16 lakhs.

Income Of The Corporation

The average income of the Corporation of Calcutta varies from Rs. 2 crores and 75 lakhs to Rs. 3 crores every year and the average expenditure is near about this figure less Rs. 15 to Rs. 20 lakhs according to the exigencies of the situation. This year the Chief Executive Officer presented the Budget in which the total expenditure was Rs. 4,19,50,200. This figure of total expenditure less Rs. 63 lakhs paid for the dearness allowance comes to a figure of Rs. 3 crores and 56 lakhs against an expected income of Rs. 3 crores only, to be exact Rs. 2,99,27,000.

The Committee, after scrutinizing all the items of expenditure succeeded in curtailing an amount of Rs. 38,42,000 on about 118 items, added Councillor Dr. Sinha. They had also transferred all the loan items from the revenue to the loan budget and a provision for contribution to the loan fund from revenue for financing loan projects of Rs. 12,35,100 had been totally deleted. The principle enunciated by the Budget Committee was accepted by all financial experts and even by the Bengal Government. He further said that on scrutiny the provision of Rs. 1,12,81,000 in the Chief Executive Officer's budget had been reduced by the Special Committee to Rs. 78,67,000.

Dr. Sinha said: "We have reduced the provision of coal by Rs. 2 lakhs taking a rate of Rs. 20 per ton. We have further set apart a sum of Rs. 20,000 for research work in fuel economy so that the question of consumption of coal may be fully discussed by an expert. The Committee has also transferred all the loan items from the revenue to the loan Budget and provision for a contribution to the loan fund from revenue for financing loan projects of Rs. 12,35,100 has been totally deleted.

Government Advance

"In course of a letter the Government informs that if the Corporation finds itself unable to raise loans in the open market to pay for the improvement with regard to the removal of the Chingrihatta platform to Dhappa; the provision of pumping plants at Mullickghat and at Watgung, the provision of scour and air valves for the unfiltered water mains, and the clearing of surface drains in Manicktola Cossipore, Government of Bengal will favourably consider an application for an *ad hoc* advance for these purposes on the lines of that recently sanctioned for the unfiltered water main."

Dr. Sinha stressed that the statement of the Chief Executive Officer proclaiming that the Corporation was on the verge of financial collapse had a harmful effect on the financial stability of the Corporation.

Councillor Provangsu Kumar Sett supported Dr. S. N. Sinha's motion.

Councillor W. A. Burns, in criticizing the recommendations of the Budget Special Com-

mittee said that in order to provide a permanent borrowing capacity and a well balanced budget an increase in the rates was essential.

On the first day the House adjourned before the debate had concluded.

SECOND DAY'S SITTING

When the discussion on the recommendations of the Budget Special Committee was resumed on Thursday, the 21st March, 1946, the House rejected the proposal of Councillor W. A. Burns to increase the consolidated rate by 2 per cent. and accepted with slight modifications the budget estimates of the Municipality for 1946-47 as revised by the Budget Special Committee.

MAIN RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REVENUE INCREASE

The following are the important recommendations of the Chief Executive Officer and the Budget Special Committee :—

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

(a) *2 per cent. increase in the Consolidated Rate,*

(b) *Ways and Means Advance from the Government,*

(c) *Introduction of Town Duties,*

(d) *Share in the Sales Tax and Betting and Totalizator Tax.*

BUDGET SPECIAL COMMITTEE

(a) *Under Section 94 (i) (b) of the Calcutta Municipal Act the following rates, taxes and fees may be levied for the year 1946-47 :—*

(i) *Consolidated Rate at 19½ per cent. plus ½ per cent. on account of Howrah Bridge Tax.*

(ii) *Dog Tax under Section 178 (2) at Rs. 5 per dog per annum.*

(iii) *License and other taxes in accordance with the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923.*

(b) *Under Section 98 of the Calcutta Municipal Act the total amount of Loan to be raised in 1946-47 for capital works may be fixed at Rs. 1,02,19,000.*

On a motion moved by Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee, the House requested the Government of Bengal to give an *ad hoc* advance of Rs. 15½ lakhs to the Corporation in order to carry on urgent and important works of the Corporation.

By another resolution the House urged upon the Chief Executive Officer to place before the Corporation by June, 1946, a statement of all houses, properties in and around Calcutta occupied by His Majesty's Armed Forces or their Allies and the amount of taxes and charges due from them for services rendered by the Corporation.

COUNCILLOR A. A. WISE

Councillor A. A. Wise said that there was no reason before them as to why the consolidated rate should be increased by 2 per cent. Without providing any amenities for the rate-payers they could certainly not burden them with further taxation. Personally he did not recommend that the taxes be increased.

Councillor J. N. Smart remarked that the Budget Special Committee had produced a "dream budget" far removed from the realities of the situation. They had succeeded in balancing the budget by showing an increase in receipts on the one hand, and reduction in expenditure on the other. The Committee, he opined, made over-estimation and underestimation in many respects. Councillor Smart agreed with the Chief Executive Officer that the Corporation was in a state of imminent collapse and supported the proposal to raise the Consolidated Rate by 2 per cent. not as an ideal but as the best thing in the circumstances to keep the administration solvent.

ESTIMATES COMPARED

C. E. O.'S ESTIMATES

Receipts—Rs. 4,08,69,000;
Expenditure—Rs. 4,19,50,000;
Opening balance—Rs. 35,00,000;
Closing balance—Rs. 19,87,000.

COMMITTEE'S ESTIMATES

Receipts—Rs. 3,70,88,000;
Expenditure—Rs. 3,85,36,000;
Opening balance—Rs. 36,22,000;
Closing balance—Rs. 21,74,000.

COUNCILLOR N. C. PAUL

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul said that the Budget Special Committee had been criticized on various points unjustifiably. He did not see that it would be at all prudent on the part of the Corporation to raise the Consolidated Rate taking into consideration the recent agitation in connection with the enhancement of Sales Tax. He submitted that the recent valuation of properties by the Corporation would fetch an additioned income. He also criticised the stepmotherly attitude of the Government to this sister organization like the Corporation of Calcutta.

COUNCILLOR M. A. H. ISPAHANI

Reviewing the Budget Special Committee's recommendations, Councillor M. A. H. Ispahani wondered how it was possible to close their eyes to the proposal of the Chief Executive Officer that the rate should be raised. Taking into consideration the financial side of the Corporation Councillor Ispahani, though personally opposed to such proposal, suggested that the Consolidated Rates should be increased if necessary. He also opposed the sale of Corporation lands.

COUNCILLOR S. C. RAY CHAUDHURI

Councillor S. C. Ray Chaudhuri maintained that they had no right to be in the Corporation if they increased the rate unless they offered equivalent amenities to the rate-payers. They should explore all possible avenues before adopting this course.

COUNCILLOR M. M. BARMAN

Upon the resolution, directing the Chief Executive Officer to place before the Corporation in June, 1946, a complete statement of all houses, properties, and establishments in and around Calcutta occupied by H. M.'s Armed Forces and their Allies and the amounts of taxes and charges for service due from them, Councillor Madan Mohan Barman said that that was a source which would yield revenues to the Corporation.

COUNCILLOR DR. S. N. SINHA

In reply to criticisms of the Committee's recommendations by some members of the House, Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha, Deputy Chairman, Budget Special Committee, said that he hoped that the Corporation would be in a much more flourishing condition and many urgent improvement works would be undertaken next year. At the end of the year, he assured the House, the Corporation would get more money from Government and instead of a closing balance of Rs. 22 lakhs, as at present, it would probably have a closing balance of Rs. 40 lakhs. The Committee had balanced the budget without raising the consolidated rate and approaching Government for a subvention of Rs. 37 lakhs as suggested by the Chief Executive Officer.

THE MAYOR

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, congratulated Dr. Sinha and the members of the Budget Special Committee and said that the Committee had removed the scare which had been created among the citizens by the proposal of the Chief Executive Officer to increase the Consolidated Rate. The reduction which it had made on the expenditure side was justified.

"I hope next year I would see that its estimates are proved to be actuals", the Mayor added and suggested that the framers of the revised budget should be taken on the Finance Committee to be able to see that their recommendations were carried into effect.

As stated, the Corporation rejected the proposal of Councillor Burns and adopted the Budget Estimates of the Budget Special Committee.

HUNGER-STRIKE BY A MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE

When reference was made to the hunger strike resorted to by Mr. B. M. Roy, a shift-engineer at the Mullickghat Pumping Station, at the meeting of the Corporation held on Wednesday, the 20th March Councillor M. A. H. Ispahani suggested that the Chief Executive Officer should take immediate steps to remove Mr. Roy either to his house or to a hospital. The Corporation, he said, could not yield to a threat of this kind. They would not be able to maintain discipline or order if they encouraged their employees to hold a pistol at the head of the Corporation in this manner. Mr. Roy should be told that the Corporation could not be intimidated. If they were to submit to his threat they might as well wind up the administration.

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul, Chairman of the Services Committee No. I, explained the circumstances which had induced the Committee to reject Mr. Roy's application for promotion. He maintained that there had been no supersession.

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, while deprecating Mr. Roy's action in resorting to hunger strike, suggested that the Services Committee might review his position in the light of the recent decision of amalgamating the two grades of shift-engineers.

While the meeting was in progress, Mr. Roy left the Corporation premises. It was reported that Mr. Roy had taken this step as a protest against the alleged decision of the Services Committee No. I in regard to the appointment of an outsider in supersession of his claim. He had been lying in a room adjoining the Mayor's chamber since Monday, the 18th March.

A represention had been made before the Mayor, who referred the matter to the Chairman of the Committee for report. He also assured the complainant that he would bring the matter before the Corporation at the meeting on Wednesday, the 20th March, and asked him to wait till the Corporation decided one way or the other.

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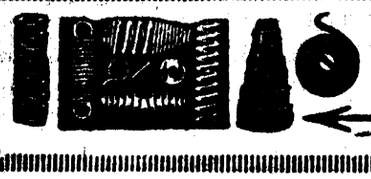
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COUNCILLOR J. H. METHOLD

The resignation of his office as a Councillor tendered by Mr. J. H. Methold, prior to his departure for England on leave, was accepted by the House with regrets.

Councillor Methold, who was the leader of the European Group in the House, conveyed in the course of his letter of resignation to the Mayor his "deep appreciation of the sincere co-operation" lent to him by the brother Councillors.

Councillor Methold entered the Corporation in 1941-42.

COUNCILLOR C. W. TASSIE

The House also accepted the resignation tendered by Mr. C. W. Tassie of his office as a Councillor, representing the Bengal Chamber of Commerce constituency.

Councillor Tassie is going on leave to the United Kingdom.

CHRISTIAN PAUPER DEAD BODIES

The rates offered by Messrs. Brown & Co., for burial of Christian pauper dead bodies in the Tollygunge Cemetery at Rs. 20 and Rs. 25 for burial for the period from 1st April, 1942 to 4th June, 1942 and from 5th June, 1942 to 31st March, 1946, respectively, was accepted by the House.

CALCUTTA CORPORATION AND MILITARY AUTHORITIES

The Hon. Mr. Surput Singh had asked the following questions in the Council of State for reply by the Government of India:—

(a) *Whether there is unusual pressure on the resources of all municipal bodies in and about Calcutta by reason of the military occupation of the properties and abnormal use of water, roads, thoroughfares and open lands by them;*

(b) *If so, whether usual rates and taxes have been regularly paid by the military authorities to the Calcutta Corporation and the different municipalities under whose municipal jurisdiction houses, buildings, open lands and gardens have been occupied by the military personnel within a radius of 25 miles of Calcutta;*

(c) *The total amount of rates and taxes which has been paid to the Calcutta Corporation by the military during the entire period of the war for the use of the properties owned by the Corporation of Calcutta and private individuals as also of public bodies;*

(d) *The total amount in rates and taxes which has been paid to the suburban municipalities on behalf of the military for the use and occupation of similar properties within their jurisdiction;*

(e) *Whether any amount or amounts have been sanctioned by the Central Government for the rehabilitation of the municipal bodies whose resources have been affected by the military use and occupation of lands and properties within their jurisdiction;*

(f) *Whether the Calcutta Corporation has represented to the Central Government for a grant to make good and repair the roads, drains, etc., damaged and affected by their abnormal use by the military for over six years.*

The Hon'ble Mr. A. D. F. Dundas gave the following replies on the 11th March last:—

(a) *It is correct to say that as a result of the increase on the number of military personnel in Calcutta area an additional load was thrown on the Municipal Services of the City Corporation and local Municipal bodies.*

(b) *Rates and taxes remain the liability of the owners but the rent or recurring compensation payable by the military authority to the owners includes an element to cover this liability. They are thus paid by the military indirectly.*

(c) & (d) *It is not possible to state the total amount of rates and taxes paid indirectly to the Calcutta Corporation or the Suburban Municipalities as no records are available showing the assessments of the many properties requisitioned.*

A sum of Rs. 7,200 is being paid annually direct to the Calcutta Corporation by the military authorities in two special areas on account of rates and taxes.

(e) *Financial assistance has been given by the centre to certain municipal bodies towards the cost of improvement and maintenance of roads within their jurisdiction and damaged by military traffic upon specific requests received from such bodies for assistance.*

(f) *No. Sir.*

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Friday : 15th March, 1946

Revision Of Grades And Scales Of Pay For Corporation Employees

Strike Settlement Special Committee Recommendations Adopted With Modifications

WITH certain modifications the recommendations of the Strike Settlement Special Committee was adopted by the Corporation at a special meeting held on Friday, the 15th March.

The Corporation also appointed a Special Committee, called the Grade Reconciliation and Rules Advisory Committee, to go into the cases of omissions, anomalies and discrepancies, which, it felt, had crept into the report of the Strike Settlement Special Committee as also to redress cases of genuine grievances.

The Strike Settlement Special Committee, it may be recalled, was formed in order to implement the terms of settlement arrived at between the Mayor and the Corporation employees regarding the revision of grades, basic rates of wages and other matters in connection with the last general strike of the employees in November last.

The revision of grades and scales of pay, as accepted by the Corporation, and the cost of the additional staff that would be required to give effect to the recommendations, would in the next financial year involve an expenditure of about Rs. 17 lakhs, and it would go on increasing until the grade came into its full application when the total increase of costs might extend to Rs. 25 lakhs approximately.

The Committee suggested a general revision of the existing grades of salary of employees drawing up to Rs. 300 per month on the following principles, provided that the salary of an employee increased on this basis should not go beyond Rs. 300; up to Rs. 30—20 per cent. increase; Rs. 31 to 50—17½ per cent.; Rs. 51 —to Rs. 75—15 per cent.; Rs. 76 to Rs. 100—12½ per cent.; Rs. 101 to Rs. 150—10 per cent.; Rs. 151 to Rs. 200—7½ per cent.; and Rs. 201 to Rs. 300—5 per cent.

A recommendation on dearness allowance and food concessions was to the effect that these should not be discontinued on the introduction of the new grades from April, 1946, but should continue as long as the Government would pay a subvention for them, as at present.

As regards free medical treatment of the labour staff, the Committee suggested that the Government should be approached for the establishment of hospitals for labourers and that meanwhile the Gowkhana dispensaries of the Municipality should be kept open exclusively for them at least three hours every day.

GRADE RECONCILIATION AND RULES ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPOINTED

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul, who moved acceptance of the recommendations, said that whatever might be the result of their revision the existing salary of the present incumbents was not thereby affected. The second objective they had before them was to level up the various grades of the various departments in such a way as to enable the Corporation authorities to transfer one incumbent from one department to another.

Accepting a motion moved by Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, the House appointed a Special Committee called Grade Reconciliation and Rules Advisory Committee to consider all cases of omissions, anomalies, discrepancies and genuine grievances and to send its recommendation within 3 months. The Committee, which has the Mayor as its Chairman, will consist of Mr. W. A. Burns, Mr. Nalin Chandra Paul, Mr. Md. Rafique and Mr. Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri.

The House also passed a motion moved by Councillor A. A. Wise granting increments to the Corporation Press workers, who called off strike on an assurance from the Special Committee.

Main Recommendations

The main recommendations of the Strike Settlement Special Committee, besides those referred to in the above, were as follows :—

Unskilled Labour Staff

The standard grade for all unskilled labour staff will be Rs. 18—1—20 inclusive of grain compensation allowance. The present incumbents will enjoy different grades as personal to them to be fixed on the following basis: The present pay plus the grain compensation allowance plus the flat increment of Rs. 3 will be the minimum of the grade and this pay plus Rs. 2 will be maximum pay, the rate of annual increment being Re. 1.

The benefit of the increase will be given with effect from April 1, 1946 to all the employees the maximum of whose grade is Rs. 300 per month save and except those who had already received a flat rate increment of Rs. 3 from December, 1945 along with the labour staff in the following manner:— (a) One increment of their existing grade as personal to such employees who have reached the maximum of their grades and whose grades are otherwise restricted by bars. (b) One special increment to others within the grade in addition to usual annual increment.

Excepting those who were or are appointed to meet an emergency, or as substitutes in the places of the regular staff, the whole unskilled labour staff will be deemed as permanent with the privileges of Provident Fund and leave according to the rules to be separately framed for them.

PURCHASE OF THE TRAMWAYS

CONSIDERATION OF INJUNCTION ADJOURNED

The hearing of the application of the petitioner, the Calcutta Tramways Co., Ltd., for an injunction, restraining the respondent, the Corporation of Calcutta, from proceeding with any arbitration in connection with the disputes between them with regard to the purchase of the tramways and the other properties of the petitioner, was adjourned on the 15th March last by Justice Clough of the Calcutta High Court till the 4th April next.

The interim injunctions, already granted, restraining the Corporation from appointing Mr. N. K. Basu, Advocate, as the sole arbitrator, as well as staying all further proceedings in arbitration were directed to continue in the meantime.

Skilled Labour Staff

The skilled labour staff of every department, viz., Motor Vehicles, Workshops, Health Department, Engineering Department, etc., will be deemed as permanent with separate rules for leave and Provident Fund. For different kinds of skilled work different grades and scales of pay have been recommended. Those skilled labourers of the Pumping Stations and sub-stations who were not provided with any quarters will get Re. 1-8-0 per month as house allowance.

The Committee have recommended that photos of skilled and unskilled labour staff should be kept by the Department concerned for identity and that payment should always be made on taking thumb impression of the payee, identified by a responsible officer of the department, referring to the photos thus kept.

According to the Committee, the labour staff, both skilled and unskilled, will be made permanent from April, 1946 and that they will get the privileges of the Provident Fund from April, 1947 and of the leave rules as soon as Government sanction is obtained to the same.

Printing Department

As regards the Printing Department the House accepted the proposals made by Councillor A. A. Wise who along with four others were asked to go into their grievances, following a strike resorted to by them.

Grain Compensation Allowance

The Committee recommends that the grain compensation allowance which was introduced after the first World War should be discontinued with effect from April, 1946 from which date the new grades take effect. The pay of the present staff who are in receipt of this allowance will be fixed in the next grades by including the amounts of this allowance which they are in receipt of.

The Committee has recommended that those who are outdoor workers should be given a distinctive uniform and those who work at night in open air during winter should be given a warm coat or jacket. Both provisions of these uniforms will have to be put off until the cloth situation is normal and the supply becomes easy.

Housing And Health Benefits

The Health Officer has been directed that pre-natal and post-natal benefits be given to the female workers according to the provision of the Bengal Maternity Act, 1939 for such cases.

So far as the question of housing of the labour staff is concerned, the Committee states that the Corporation alone could lunch upon any scheme for housing the entire labour staff. The Government have paid its attention to the question of improvement of slums in general. The Chief Executive Officer has been drawing up long-term schemes for improvement of the bustees in general. The Committee, therefore, suggests that the Chief Executive Officer should consider the housing problems of the labour staff of the Corporation as part of this scheme and report it to the Corporation as well as to the Government.

MACHINERIES AND CAPITAL GOODS

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, informed the House that in the course of a communication addressed to the Corporation the Government of India wanted to know from the Corporation as to the machineries and capital goods which it might require in the near future so that orders might be placed with the Government of India.

The intention of the Government of India was that the purchase prices would be debited against India's sterling balances in England.

The Mayor also informed the House that the Chief Executive Officer in consultation with the Chief Engineer had already prepared a list of such goods costing about Rs. 30 lakhs. He requested the members to give their opinion about the sending of that list to the India Government.

The House directed that the matter be placed before a joint meeting of the Water Supply and Works Standing Committees.

Special Article

"Calcutta In War-Time" As Seen By An Englishman

[By B. V. Roy, M.A.]

THE recent World-War II brought to India thousands and thousands of people from all over the world, to proceed to the far-eastern fighting Fronts, or to stay in India itself. They came from England, the United States of America, Canada, Africa, etc., and included British, Americans, Canadians, Australians, Negros (I beg pardon, I mean "Coloured Americans"), West Africans, etc. of all shades of colour ranging from white to brown and black. For all these foreign people, Calcutta had merely been a name, or perhaps many of them had never even heard of such a city as Calcutta. Yet they spent days, weeks or months in Calcutta, going to the Front or coming back from it, for during the War Calcutta was a great base, a huge clearing-house for men, munitions and materials. These "conscripted" armies from foreign lands included all sorts of people from all walks of life, students, professors, solicitors, brick-layers engineers, etc., and surely among some of them were writers, or at least some possessed with the itch of writing about what they had seen. I was frequently asking myself why it was that, of all these people coming from strange and far-off lands, none had written about their impressions of this great city—Calcutta—in which they had spent at least some of their time. The question has now been answered. In the Strand Magazine, published in London, for the month of October, 1945, has appeared a remarkable article describing Calcutta in War-time, written by an airman, Squadron-Leader A. E. Bates. On reading it, one cannot fail to be impressed by the keen observation as well as command of language possessed by the writer, and I am giving below some extracts from it, with a running commentary.

The title of the article, which is given first place in the magazine, is "Four million plus—the astounding human spectacle known as Calcutta", and the writer begins thus:—

"Not every Englishman could name the second largest city in the British Empire. I doubt whether one Englishman or one American in a thousand would know what is now the fourth largest of Allied cities in terms of population. The answer to both questions is the same, and the answer is not Paris or Chicago or Glasgow or Sydney. The answer is the huge, sprawling, messy, sun-drunk, smelly, sensuous, fantastic anachronism of a city that lies at the mouth of the great Hooghly River in the Bay of Bengal. The answer is Calcutta. It has a population of four million plus."

Proceeding to discuss the population-figure, he rightly concludes that the "huge mass of soldiery" is responsible for the 'considerable "plus" or addition to the already large population. At the same time he sets forth the revolutionary changes brought about by this "mass of soldiery", as well as the violent contrasts" *viz.*:—

"No one yet seems to have estimated or to have attempted to estimate exactly what this plus means. But it is clear that it is a war time plus; it is accounted for by the huge mass of soldiery of half a dozen nations who but for the war would never be there. This floating army has not only enlarged Calcutta. It has done much to revolutionise it, super-imposing on it not only ways of life but an air that is at once disturbed, fatalistic and volatile. It has altered standards of living and pay in a city where those standards vary between extremes as violent and probably more violent than those of anywhere else on earth. It has increased in the same degree the violence of its already violent contrasts: so that the jeep is parked in Calcutta's Piccadilly side by side with the calf that calmly sucks at the teats of its mother, and the three-mile convoy for the front roars past the ancient Hindu cab-driver who, half-asleep, feeds his horse with a banana. . . . There is over all this city a certain clash of violence. Overcrowded, sun-charged, nervous, unsettled, it gives the impression of seething on the verge of an explosion. It arises from the fact that Calcutta has been a sort of power-house on the edge of the Burma war. . . In the mind of the fighting man cut-off from civilisation, for up in the jungle, in the hills, in the dusty forward airfields, Calcutta has exercised a magnetism only exceeded in magnetism by the thought of home."

Coming next to Chowringhee, what the writer has to say is not at all complimentary to this famous thoroughfare; he then takes the bus service, train-service and horse-cabs all in turn, and spares none of them:—

"If you want to picture for yourself Chowringhee, Calcutta's equivalent of Piccadilly Circus or Broadway, all you have to do is to picture the main street of a Middle-Western town of 1880 brought slightly, very slightly, uptodate . . . . . This city of four million plus has only three hotels of European class, one of them closed to the public; it has less than half a dozen restaurants at which it is safe to eat, not courting the Chinese, most of which are excellent but out of bounds. It has a bus service which would have made you laugh your teeth out, if you had seen it in the keystone comedies of 1915. . . . . all of them carrying ten times the number of Indians for which they were designed. It has a train service of slightly later date and similarly over tried capacity. It has horse-cabs which would have appealed to Dickens, who would have adored the small hay stack of feed carried on the dashboard, and the situation in which the driver feeds bananas to the horse while waiting for clients to emerge from the palatial premises of the National Bank of India."

Dealing next with the sanitation of the city, which our Governor Mr. Casey at one time attempted to improve, and to describe which Mahatma Gandhi in his recent visit could find no other adjectives except "dusty and dirty", our writer uses much stronger language:—

"Calcutta's triumph, as the second largest city of the Empire, is its public sanitation. It

goes far back beyond the Middle Ages; it mocks the lowest standard of Westernism that you know. Garbage piles up in vast, foul, fly-down stacks along the kerbs of its main shopping streets, to be pawed over for scraps of God knows what, until the whole thing is too revolting for words. The boy from Birmingham or Minneapolis or Montreal sees these things amazed. . . He begins to call it, even as its own citizens have called it, the filthiest city on earth."

The impression of huge crowds of men, the dense population, next comes in for description, and the viewpoint of the foreigner, specially the white foreigner, is clearly set forth:—

> "Probably the only phrase the allied soldier has ever heard about India—India's teeming millions—hits him constantly in the face. Humanity clothes itself into a black mass about him. Where do they live? What do they do? Where do they sleep? Who are they all? They simply surge about him without meaning or identity. They are themselves not only Calcutta's problem, but India's problem: the huge numerical problem of her own people, created and recreated by a fanatical worship of human fertility."

This is all on the surface, but there is another side to Calcutta the writer does not deny:—

> "Behind its shopping streets there lies a Calcutta of sleepy, sensuous, opulent charm: . . . a Calcutta of big, cream, sun-bleached houses with windows shuttered by green jalousies, standing in large gardens among flaming bougainvillaeas of salmon and vermilion; of old back streets with deep walls of shade; of courtyards shadowed heavily by palm and banana trees; of avenues of shrub trees, not crowded but always bright with Chinese girls, black haired and lovely and serene and cool as ice-cream, riding in rickshaws. Life here in days before Calcutta was invaded by the fighting man must have been exceedingly pleasant."

Coming to another aspect of war, as it affects the morals of the soldiers, spending their time in far away jungles and hills, and only after long and arduous intervals coming to the city, where they can have a brief interlude of "pleasure," the writer is equally frank and forthright, waxing enthusiastic about the "lovely Anglo-Indian girls" and "the still more beautiful Chinese," saying:—

> "The die-hards of Calcutta, mostly Scots, will tell you that Calcutta is not what it was . . . . They stand amazed, perhaps a little shocked, by the way war has broken down and whipped up into a maelstrom all those taboos and creeds of society and colour that were once so clearly defined and rigidly observed. The fighting man who walks into this city with the dust of Mandalay on his battle dress, has no time for the delicate webs of social distinction. He cannot be bothered with unwritten laws about the colour of a lady's skin. This turns pukka sahibs grey with shame; and pukka memsahibs too.
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> But the lovely Anglo-Indian girls, whose status war has raised by degrees never possible in peace, and the still more beautiful Chinese, have a singular appeal to a man who has looked for weeks on dust and jungle and dead Japs, and has heard no feminine voice except the voice of solitary actress singing for him, sweet but untouchable, on the platform of an open-air theatre under the stars.
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> He has no time either for problems of caste distinction, or for those fierce arguments about Hindu and Moslem, Congress and Imperialism, a thousand religious and a million grievances, that bite you everywhere in India with the infuriating prick of mosquitoes.
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> He brings the clear, simple, powerfully direct attitude of a man who seeks ease after fighting."

Next, he vividly describes the night-scene in Calcutta in an almost romantic vein, and brings his impressions to a conclusion with the remarks that Calcutta "mocks all our western conceptions of life and logic" and that it "eludes analysis":—

> "The brooding air of tension seems so lift at night. . . . After darkness comes, rising very quickly off the smoky red horizon like a thick rim of gold, the whole city suddenly has a kind of delicate serenity. By day rickshaws are just rickshaws; by night they prance along the streets jingling small bells, like processions of orange fire-flies. By day the kerb-sellers, are just kerb-sellers, selling cheap books, bananas, pocket wallets and shaving cream. By night, each of them brings out his little lamp, or even a candle screen by a paper-bag or perhaps not screened at all, and sets it on a little pyramid of tangerines, or among the books, or among the slices of melon that it is now too late for anyone to buy, so that hundreds of these golden haloes light up every street. From the centre of the city right out to the smallest suburban bazar, they burn far on into the night, until even the rickshaw wallahs are asleep and the last possible customer has gone. These thousands of little lights give the whole city, still warm and humid after the heat of day, a kind of Christmas-tree air of mystery and wonder.
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> And lights also move out of the city: long lighted supply convoys that pound up dusty roads, past rows of dark sleepers who have brought their beds into the open air if they are lucky enough to have a bed at all.
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> By the metal roads, on either side, run the dusty bullock-tracks and along them go the huge two-wheeled bullock-carts, always too heavily laden, making their night-journeys out of the city.
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> And as the great 90-feet-long articulated trucks with their dazzling head-lights roar past them, feeding the supply-routes to Burma, you can look down on these heavy, swaying carts and see again and again the same sight. The two bullocks or water-buffaloes strain at the cart piled with sacks, the driver sitting behind the two with candle-lamps swinging under the shafts. On the top of the sacks there is always a tired small boy. Half-asleep and dazzled by the passing headlights, he rouses

himself out of his drowsiness to give the bullocks a clout on the rump before he goes to sleep again.

"In that small boy rousing himself, sleepy and startled, on a bullock-cart setting out on its journey in the dead of night, and in the noisy and powerful convoys going out to feed the air supply routes, without which a Burma war would never have been fed, or watered, or munitioned, you have the crux of Calcutta's fantastic contrast.

Somehow it mocks all our Western conceptions of life and logic.

It eludes analysis. Didn't someone once say of an Irish Politician that he was like trying to pick up mercury with a fork? Calcutta is also like that. The glitter of its mercurial contrasts never seem to solidify. It shocks and surprises and dazzles you and can never be grasped by the hand. It stands apart, with its crowded and inscrutable millions, from what we fondly call the progress of time."

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CONGRESS MEDICAL MISSION TO MALAYA

"You are carrying the message of India's sympathy and goodwill to the suffering humanity in a land which may be regarded as the gateway to south-east Asia. That message must reach the remotest hearth and hamlet," said Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Congress President, addressing the members of the Congress Medical Mission to Malaya at the residence of Dr. B. C. Roy on Wednesday, the 20th March.

The Congress President said that the Mission was ready to start, but it could not go as the necessary help expected from the Government of India regarding transport was not forthcoming. As it appeared that there would be further delay for the steamer to leave Calcutta there was no option left to Congress but to send the Mission by aeroplane at the earliest opportunity. "I would request that the Government of India should at least help us in this regard," the Congress President added.

BENGAL ASSEMBLY ELECTION IN CALCUTTA

About 40 per cent. of the electors in the General (Hindu) constituencies in Calcutta voted on Tuesday, the 19th March, to elect six members to the Bengal Assembly.

Except in a few instances there was little of the excitement ordinarily associated with general elections. In five of the constituencies, the candidates opposing Congress nominees retired and left the field to their rivals. Some activity was noticeable in the Calcutta Central Constituency, where a Congress candidate was opposed by a Hindu Mahasabha nominee and an Independent.

Polling began at 9 a.m. and continued till 5 p.m., with an hour's interval between 12-30 and 1-30 p.m.

In the morning volunteers working on behalf of Congress candidates toured the city in motor cars fitted with loudspeakers, announcing the hours of polling and urging voters to go to their respective polling stations.

Polling was brisk between 9 and 10 a.m. In several of the 87 polling stations long queues of electors waited to record their votes. The proceedings which during the rest of the day were dull became lively again from about 3 p.m. until the closing hour, when there was a rush of voters among whom were many women.

PROTEST AGAINST SALES TAX

Resolutions recording unequivocal protest against the Sales Tax which is oppressing the famine-stricken people of Bengal and urging the Government to repeal this 'iniquitous' tax immediately, were adopted at a largely attended public meeting held at Sradhananda Park on the 16th March last.

Mr. Debatosh Dasgupta presided.

The meeting emphatically protested against the new food ration cut to be introduced from the 18th instant and demanded its withdrawal without any delay.

The meeting also was of opinion that if the ration cut was to be introduced, the Government should first declare their stocks fully, both civil and military, and stop all exports of foodstuffs from the province.

Several speakers including Messrs. Hirendra Chandra Bose, B. Harlalka, Asanul Huq, Sudhir Bose, and Purna Chakravorty addressed the gathering.

BOMBAY-CALCUTTA AIR SERVICE

Tata Air Service's bi-weekly Bombay-Calcutta service will commence from April 1. The first east-bound plane will leave Bombay at 8-15 a.m. on April 1, arrive at Nagpur at 10-55 a.m., leave Nagpur at 11-55 a.m. and arrive at Calcutta at 3-35 p.m.

The first west-bound plane will leave Calcutta on April 2, leaving at 8-15 a.m. and reaching Bombay at 3-35 p.m. with a halt of 40 minutes at Nagpur.

The fare between Bombay and Nagpur will be Rs. 95, Nagpur and Calcutta Rs. 135 and between Bombay and Calcutta Rs. 230.

UNIVERSITY SYLLABUSES TO BE REVISED

It would be his earnest endeavours to take steps to revise the syllabuses of study from the Matriculation to M.A., said Mr. P. N. Banerjee, the new Vice-Chancellor of the Calcutta University, speaking at a reception given him by the All-Bengal Teachers' Association at Indian Association Hall on the 16th March last.

Mr. Banerjee said he was aware of the criticisms made against the syllabuses that they were too heavy and that sufficient importance was not attached to science subjects. The revision of the Syllabuses which he proposed to undertake would be done in the light of these and other criticisms.

In the address of welcome presented to Mr. Banerjee by Mr. Manoranjan Sen Gupta, Secretary of the Association, reference was made to the keen interest always taken by Mr. Banerjee in the well-being of teachers.

HOLI IN CALCUTTA

Holi, one of the most popular of Hindu festivals, was observed in Calcutta on Sunday, the 18th March, in the customary manner. In the morning groups of young men paraded the streets throwing red powder and sprinkling coloured water on one another. Some of the more boisterous youths invaded tramcars and were over-generous in the use of paint.

Police patrol vans toured the city throughout the day. Over 30 persons were arrested for disorderly conduct.

PANDIT NEHRU ON HIS WAY TO MALAYA

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, on his way to Malaya, arrived in Calcutta from New Delhi by air in the afternoon of Sunday, the 17th March, and later left for Singapore by plane. He was accompanied by Mr. G. P. Hutheesingh.

During his brief stay in Calcutta Pandit Nehru accompanied by Dr. B. C. Roy, visited the office of the Congress Medical Mission to Malaya.

A *communique* issued by the Headquarters, South East Asia Command stated that Pandit Nehru arrived at Kalang airfield, on a visit to Singapore and Malaya, on Monday, the 18th March. He went as representative of the Congress Party, and his visit was sponsored by the Viceroy.

Pandit Nehru spent two days in Singapore and the remainder of his visit in Malaya. He investigated the condition of Indian residents in Malaya.

Before his departure from Delhi, Pandit Nehru said that he was going to Malaya to give psychological relief to his countrymen and to find out what other forms of relief were necessary and could be given.

U. S. ARMY G.HQ. TO BE TRANSFERRED

The General Head Quarters of the U.S. Army in India will, it is learnt, be transferred from Delhi to Calcutta with effect from April 16 next.

A small number of personnel will, however, be left in Delhi to dispose of surplus goods belonging to the U.S. Army.

This step is preparatory to repatriation of troops from India to the U.S.A.

The personnel left in Delhi will reach Calcutta some time in May when they will embark for the U.S.A.

GUEST CONTROL ORDER

As a measure of food economy, there will be no more exceptions to the limit of 50 guests at entertainments imposed by the Guest Control Order, 1943. The issue of permits which enabled this limit to be exceeded has been stopped, writes a Bengal Government *Press Note*.

Any infringement of this Order is punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years or with fine, or with both. Instructions have been issued to the Enforcement Branch to ensure the strict observance of the Order.

NO RATION FOR RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES

In view of the overall shortage of food in the country the Government of Bengal feel that they can no longer continue to make supplies of rationed foodstuffs available for social and religious ceremonies, says a *Press Note*. Instructions have been issued that no supplies in future will be made available for *Bhog* and other religious ceremonies.

BUS STRIKE IN THE CITY

All traffic on the Howrah bridge was held up for several hours, following the arrest of two bus conductors who were alleged to have beaten a passenger at Howrah Bus stand on the night of the 14th March last.

Dislocation of tram service continued till 11 A.M. the next day and from mid-day, there was general suspension of bus service in the city. Bus drivers are determined not to resume their work until their grievances are redressed.

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It was reported that the assaulted passenger fainted and was admitted into a hospital.

At about 11-30 p.m. the Police Superintendent, Howrah, accompanied by the District Magistrate, arrived at the spot and parleyed with the bus workers till 2 a.m. but in vain.

The arrested persons were released on personal bonds.

There was a general suspension of bus service in the city.

Bus workers met on the 15th March evening at Hazra Park and decided to continue the strike until some satisfactory settlement is arrived at concerning the reductions of fines imposed on some workers by the Sealdah and Bankshall Courts.

Over 400,000 citizens of Calcutta daily using buses as a means of transport were seriously inconvenienced on the 16th March last as a result of the strike by the bus conductors and drivers in a protest against "heavy fines imposed by magistrates for minor offences." About 600 buses were involved.

Already overcrowded trams were severely taxed and hundreds had to walk to and from work.

The bus service at Howrah functioned as usual.

TRAIN CRASH ON CALCUTTA-DUM DUM LINE

Twenty-five persons including two railway employees, received minor injuries when 116 Dn. Bongaon local train crashed into the rear of 20 Dn. Lalgola passenger waiting near Kankurgachi Cabin on the Calcutta-Dum Dum section of the B. A. Railway in the morning of the 16th March last.

First aid was given to the injured on the spot after which they were brought to Calcutta for further medical attention. Four of them—S. M. Bose, guard of the Bongaon local, Shahadeo, engine cleaner, Anwar Ali and Khagendra Nath Das, passengers, were admitted to hospital.

Two coaches of the Lalgola passenger were slightly damaged. There was no interruption to traffic. The cause of the accident is under investigation.

CORPORATION EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION

Consideration Of Strike Committee's Report

The Executive Council of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association in an emergent meeting held on the 14th March last adopted the following resolutions while considering the report of the Strike Settlement Special Committee.

That in consideration of the present financial position of the Corporation and as the report of the Strike Settlement Special Committee is hopelessly dissatisfactory, the question of revision of grades of the employees contributing to the Provident Fund be postponed for three months and referred back to the Committee to review the whole case 'denovo.'

That all employees of the Corporation drawing up to Rs. 300 per month, be granted an increase of pay by 10 per cent. of their substantive pay with effect from 1st April, 1946, subject to a minimum of Rs. 3 as the total cost involved will be much less than Rs. 17,00,000 provided by the Committee in the shape of revision of grades.

That the Executive Council further feels that if the resolutions are not given effect to the growing dissatisfaction amongst the employees might lead to a drastic action affecting sudden dislocation of the city's essential services.

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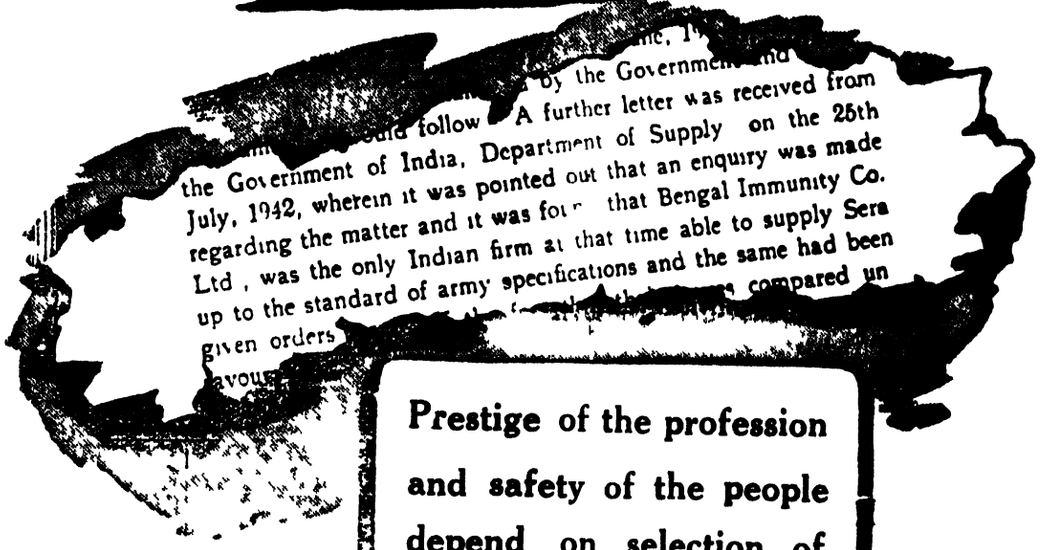
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Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				
A—8	0 8 0	Do.	—	—	—

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—8 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, [illegible]	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

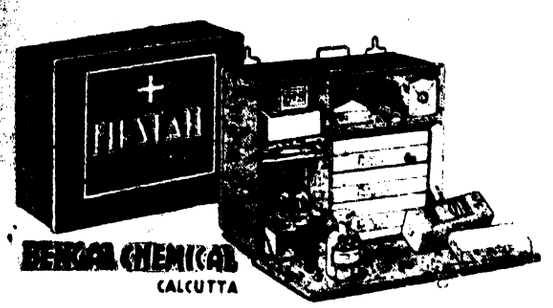
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
E. (New)								
* ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	8 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a white arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 500 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

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PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
		1 14 0
Duck's eggs per score		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs		
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal "	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	
Garlic "	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Raushi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
" (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per see	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras "		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk "		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 1 6	(Contd.
Sugar "	0 8 0	
	(Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
" (Sugarcandy) "	0 12 0	
	(Ration	Shop)
Suji	0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga " "	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasaree "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai "	0 6 6	
Biuli "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katona)	0 8 0	0 9 0
" (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar "	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled)	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal "		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. 2 "		
Corn Flower 1 "		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET
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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin „ —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted „ —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump „ —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder „ ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Hind-quarter „ ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0		

MUTTON.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Chops per seer ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Breast „ ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart „ ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver „ ...	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain „ ...	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue „ ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters „ ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat —	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0
Lunchoon Sausage per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee „ —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Maldine „ ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per „ ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — —	3 0 0	4 4 0

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ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Capon ,, ...	6 0 0	10 0 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 4 0	4 0 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 4 0	2 10 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 4 0	4 0 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 0 0	3 8 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	20 0 0	25 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	2 8 0	3 0 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Portridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,		
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Country each	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 f	
Lettuce each ...	0 2	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 5 6	0 7 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 10 0	0 11 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
* Parsnip per seer	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 8 0	0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Courtry Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	10 0 0	12 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
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Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra —	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 10 0	0 12 0

Do. Simla ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Old) Nainital —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 3 6	0 4 6
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle		
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 8 0	0 10 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red ,, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tarai per seer —		
Kankrole per seer —		

Do (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Mask Melon per seer ...		
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...	2 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Golapkhash —		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. —		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. *Darjeeling 4—	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 10—14 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 14—16	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,, ...		
Do. Ceylon ,, ...		
Do. Madras ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Plantain Champa Bunch ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban ,, ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritasagar ,, ...	1 8 0	2 4 0
Do. Kabul ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya Jasore each ...	0 12 0	2 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul) ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Country per score ...		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country) ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb. ...		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. ...		
Do. Delmonta do. ...		
Do. do. ...		
Galasia		
Pears (Kulu) per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. ...		
Do. Peshwar per doz. ...		
Do. Australian per lb. ...		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Cashmere ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb....	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Do. Punjab ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin ...	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..		
Rose Apple per score ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Sofata 10—12 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score ...		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...		
Surdah Kabul per lb. ..		
Tamarind per seer ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each ...		
Do. Kabul ...	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,, ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Water fruit per seer ...		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (red) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato—		
,, 12	,, 7 ,,	Do.	*9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
E. 8	,, 6 ,,	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	,, 3	Betel leaves.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,, —	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ..	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,, —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 8 0	3 4 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,, ...	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (salt-water) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,,	4 12 0	5 2 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) .	1 12 0	2 0 0
Rohi per seer .	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ..	1 12 0	2 0 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Butter fish per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...	3 4 0	4 0 0
Do. (Large) —	2 4 0	3 0 0
Lobster —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other fish ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	4 8 0	4 12 0
Do. (fillet) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Mackerel —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Shrimp per seer —	2 8 0	2 12 0
Ladies finger ...		
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,, ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,, ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland ,, —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed, ,, }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer .		
Do. Red ,, ,, ...		
Wheat ,, ,, —		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) ,, ...		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 0	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,, ...		
Kamini rice ,, ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer ...		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar ,, ...		0 12 0
Chola ,, —		0 8 0
Khari Masoor ,, —		0 13 0
Khasari ,, ...		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) ,, ...		0 12 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. ,, ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. ,, ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,, ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 1 6	
,, ,, Ag. Mark ...	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,, ...	0 0 6	
80 ,, ,, ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Haldi ,, —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb tins ,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 8	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 8
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 8	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 8	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 8
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0	
Dereszke per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pkt. „ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ —		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ -		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —		
Lion Brand packets per lb.	2 4 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 10 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)	1 6 0	
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 8 0	2 6 0
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 36 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1- 2 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	3 9 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 8 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	125 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Ven. 4, 5, 6, 13, and 14	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 3 0 „	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Kora)		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chimishakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dadkhani		
Deshi Boilee		
Dudhkalma		
Control (Medium)		
,, (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL		
Gram (Patnai whole)		
Gram (Dal)		0 8 0
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,,		
Pabna ,,		
Ghee (Biswesswar) (Sree Mark)		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo)		
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) Control.		0 5 6
Do. (Brown Java)		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,,		0 5 0
Suji		
Gur (Beli) (control)		0 5 6
,, Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital	0 4	0 5 0
Potato (New)	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal		
Brinjal	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	3 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khasht	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns		
Parsey		
Bagda		
Bhetki		
Crab per pair	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer		6 0 0
Ranchi ,,		
Sree (Mark)		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled)	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do.	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata)		
*Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
*Atta ,,		0 5 0
*Do. B ,,		
*Gur (Bheli)		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer		4 0 0
Milk		0 10 0
Cows' Head		
Condensed Milk		
Milk Maid		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer	Contld.	1 2 6
Cocoanut Oil		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer		
Alubokra per seer		2 0 0
Oranges 16—20	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,,		10 0 0
Dates Arab	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer		
Naspati		
Mango		
,, (Langra)		
Pomegranate per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer	1 4 0	
Potatoes New	0 3 0	0 4 0
Potatoes (Nanita)	0 4 0	0 5 0
Brinjal	0 3 6	0 4 0
Ginger	0 8 0	
Onion	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cauliflower each		
Cabbage per seer	0 2 0	0 2 6
FISH		
Parsey per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pona ,,	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,,	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda ,,	2 8 0	
Bhetki ,,	2 4 0	2 8 0
Crab (each)	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish	1 4 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do.		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin		
Cocoa Hornby		
Coffee Polson's lb.		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb.	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do.		
Household per tin		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin.		
Pearl Barley (C. B.)		
Sago (Pearl)		
Quaker's Oats		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each		
Jam		
Jelly		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin)	0 3 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin		
Do. per bottle		
Do. ,, bulk		
Rising Sun		
Do. per bottle		

*Mustard. **Rationed. N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th February, 1946

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „	2 8 0	
Goat per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls „	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per pair	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	
Ginger „	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „		
Do. Country „	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled)		
Do. Madrasi „		
Do. Gauhati „		
Country	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Disi per seer		
Do. Hilly „		
Cabbage „	0 6 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer		
Do. Darjeeling „	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „		
Beans „	0 10 0	
Squash „	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each	0 1 0	0 2 0
Bit per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—2	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari		
Do. Nainital		
Alubokhara per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „	2 0 0	
Batavia each	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each	0 1 0	0 4 0
Jocanut each (green)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each	0 4 0	0 6 0
Jhilghoza „	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „	1 8 0	2 0
Do. Bagdad „	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta „		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi „		
Khobani „ „	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score		
Papaya Country each	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb.		
Jamrul „ „		
Bolapjam		
Panifal per seer		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score		
Shunk Alu per seer	0 4 0	0 6 0
Lafata 8—10	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul		
Do. Sepia		
Do. Begamfully		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra		
Do. Bhastara		
Do. Madras 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut		
Do. Fazli		
Do. Nilambari		
Do. Totapuri		
Do. Sapeda		
Do. Golapkhas		
Do. Himsagar		
Do. Kissen Bhogh		
Kharbuza per seer		
Orange Ichanagore		
Do. Madras		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—12	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay		
Pesta Bagdad per seer		
Do. Multan	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul		
Peara 4—10	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local)	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer		
Pomegranate per seer		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul)	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna „	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando		
Do. Deshi each		
Do. Farukabad		
Do. Quetta	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „		
Sharifa 6—8		
Nona (each)		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb.		
Bombay „ „	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „		
Masafferpur		
Cow's Ghee		6 0 0
Do. Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer	1 8 0	2 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Prawns „	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „	1 4 0	1 8 0
Rohi „	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish „		1 8 0
Chetal „		
Crab per pair	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small)		
Do. (large)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog		
Deshi (Nagra) per md.		
Do. (Medium) „		
Patnai (Atap) „ md.		
Hilly (old) per md.		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md.		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni		
Balam (old) per md.		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old)		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund		
Kamini per maund		
Peshwar Rice per md.		
Dhaki Chata „		
Fine per seer		
Coarse „		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer		
Java „		
Cocoanut Oil „		
Mustard Oil „		
Salt per seer		
Flour „		
Atta „		
Sujee „		
Atta fresh per seer		
Chandausi Atta per md.		
Til Oil per seer		
Fine per seer		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „	0 10 0	
Arhar „	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split)		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „		0 10 0
Mator „	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb.	2 6 0	2 8 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb.	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker—Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan—Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin		
„ „ Bulk		
Monkey Brand per tin		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White)	0 8 6	Controlled shop.
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red)		
Snowflake per tin		
Soft Coke per md		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 23rd March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)		
Silong	2 4 0	2 8 0
Lobster	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhangaur	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsay	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each	0 2 6	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer	—	3 0 0
Mutton ,,	—	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score	1 14 0	2 0 0
Fowl's eggs	1 14 0	2 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	—	
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per score	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Garlic ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Green Chilly	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas (Darjeeling)	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital)	0 6 6	0 7 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score		
Squash per seer		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4		
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	2 [illegible] 0	
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	[illegible]	4 0 0
Beal each	[illegible] 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score		
Orange		
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer		
Apples		
Green Cocoanut	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa		
Do. Sree		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do.	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do.	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A"	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B"	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C"	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed)	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled)	0 3 6	
Tea per lb.	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Masoor ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga		
Khasaree	0 3 0	
Kalai ,,	0 7 0	
Biuli ,,		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md.		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,,	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 5th March, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bagda	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhangaur	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other Fish		
Hilsa		
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each)	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,,	3 0 0	
Duck	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each	1 0 0	2 8 0
Chicken each	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon		
Duck's Eggs per score	1 8 0	1 10 0
Fowl's Eggs ,,	1 8 0	1 10 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled)	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	
Cabbage	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) ,,	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,,	0 3 0	0 5 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,,		
Raddish ,,	0 3 0	
Squash ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,,	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer		Contd.
Do. (Country)	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer		
Alubokra ,,		
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,,		
Lime per score	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,,	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,,		
Do. Bhadwa ,,		
Do. Sree ,,	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative) per seer	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer	0 5 0	
Wheat ,,	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Do. (Atap) ,,		
Rangoon per seer		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md.		
Deshi (Boiled) per md.		
Golap Soru		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb.	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,,	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,,	0 7 0	0 6 0
Mug Katch ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,,		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin.	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin.	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley		
Jelly	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
Coal per md.	1 5 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton "	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid "	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pork "	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl "	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken "	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon "		
EGGS.		
uck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's " "	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Sflong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 4 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhangaur	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	1 0 0	1 8 0
Other Fish		0 4 0
Crab per pair	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	2 8 0
Koi & Magoor		
Pomfret per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Mango fish per seer		
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) "		
Brinjal "	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) "		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger "	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) "	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) "	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) "	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) "	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes "	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) " seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate "		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond "	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape "		
Do. per box		
Goosberry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza "		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote "		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos.	0 3 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple "	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut "	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur "		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 [illegible]	
Do. ½ lb.	0 [illegible]	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 [illegible]	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta "		
Sujee "		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) "		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi "		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 0	0 [illegible]
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor "		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) "	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) "	0 10 0	
Mattor "	0 10 0	
Salt "		0 [illegible]
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 [illegible]	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
16-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
38A	0 4 0 "		35-36 "	0 3 0 "	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 "		36 "	0 3 0 "	
33 "	0 3 0 "		Stall No. 26	0 3 0 Daily	
37 "	0 [illegible] "				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

N. M. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
II.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
" 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 89C	0 10 0	Do.
" 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
Coconut Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
* " 26—28	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
* " 31	0 4 0	Do
* " 39—40	1 0 0	Do
* " 41—42	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (New) 3	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 32	25 0 0	
" 58	43 0 0	
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
" 58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
" 25-28	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 29-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-120	1 4 0	Do.
" 75-78		
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 121-124	1 4 0	Do.
" 125-128	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg.
" * 9	0 8 0	Do
" * 10	0 8 0	Do
" * 18	0 8 0	Do
" * 19	0 8 0	Do
" * 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
" * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting Goods.
	27 4 0	
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72-73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet		Suet
* " 8 & 6	0 4 0	Do
	0 8 0	Do
* " 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Betel

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables.
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff.	30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do			Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	28 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS







(Inside Municipal Markets)

Marks for BUFFALO MEAT







BEEF







MUTTON







VEAL

(Outside Municipal Markets)







Marks for COW & BUFFALO MEATS.







Marks for SHEEP & GOAT MEATS

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Chronicle & Comment

CALCUTTA SLUMS—WHOSE RESPONSIBILITY?

"The sight of Calcutta slums is positively a nightmare. In fact, these slums are a standing disgrace. I am ashamed that these things should be happening in India when we have been there for over 150 years. The other pitiable and terrible sight, Indian women, children and workers from jute mills, is so incredible that I have no word to express my disgust at our rule. I only hope when we clear out—clear out we must—there will usher in an era in India of social, economic and industrial development that will make that great country one of the magnificent in the world."

This is the opinion of Mrs. Nichol, a member of the Parliamentary Delegation, who had visited India sometime ago, at a recent India League meeting at London. Mrs. Nichol's assessment of the responsibility for such slums in Calcutta (and in other parts of the country) will surely absolve the Calcutta Corporation from the ultimate "disgrace" and the ultimate responsibility for the existence of such pitiable things within the precincts of a city.

IMPROVEMENT OF CITY SANITATION

Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, has issued the following statement:—

"I want to draw the attention of the public to an arrangement which has recently been made for an all-round inspection, at least twice a week, of the different wards of the city, by officers named below, for improving the conservancy, checking and wastage of filtered and unfiltered water and sanitation. The ratepayers are requested to co-operate with the staff and to make this attempt a success. They may draw the attention of those inspecting officers to any of the grievances for their redress, in consultation with the Councillors of the Wards concerned.

Chief Executive Officer—District III; 1st Deputy Executive Officer—District II and Maniktala; 2nd Deputy Executive Officer—District IV; Chief Engineer—District I and Cossipore; Health Officer—Markets.

TRACES OF ROMAN TOWNSHIP IN INDIA AND ENGLAND

Important archaelogical discoveries purporting to extend the scope of the Roman Empire to the east coast of India continue, according to a French Press agency report from Pondicherry, French India.

The agency said traces of a Roman town dating to the second century before Christ can be found near the gates of Pondicherry. Mosaics and statues and pottery distinguished the town as Roman.

Signs of a lost city built by the Romans 1,800 years ago have been revealed in the heart of the blitzed streets of Leadenhall Market, London. The excavations are being carried on by W. F. Grimes, the Keeper of the London Museum.

With the help of four volunteers, he is excavating a site in Billter Avenue near Leadenhall Street.

SHILLONG MUNICIPAL BUDGET

The Shillong Municipal Boards' Budget for 1946-47 shows the estimated receipts with the opening balance to be Rs. 3,66,380 against the estimated expenditure of Rs. 3,42,900. The receipts show an increase of Rs. 35,590 over the receipts for 1945-46 and the expenditure for the ensuing year shows a decrease of Rs. 20,000 over the estimated expenditure for that year.

In the expenditure side, charges on general administration, collection, lighting and water-supply account for a little over a lakh of rupees, conservancy accounts for Rs. 1,09,500, hospital and sanitation for about Rs. 10,000, Fire-brigade Rs. 2,900, public works Rs. 41,000, Drainage Rs. 15,500, contribution to schools and other charitable purposes Rs. 32,000 besides other miscellaneous items.

The municipality has projects for a large-scale municipal market and a sewerage scheme for which money is proposed to be raised by realising premium and advances rent amounting to a total of about Rs. 4½ lakhs.

HOWRAH MUNICIPAL BUDGET

The Howrah Municipality has framed its Budget for 1946-47, at an estimated receipts of Rs. 39,32,185 and an estimated expenditure of Rs. 39,16,703.

The total receipts provided in the draft Budget had been Rs. 34.97 lakhs but the Commissioners increased the amount to Rs. 39.32 lakhs. The total expenditure as provided in the draft budget was Rs. 34.88 lakhs which was increased to Rs. 39.10 lakhs. The total receipts under consolidated rates are estimated at Rs. 25.50 lakhs for 1946-47 as against Rs. 21 lakhs provided for during the current year. Important provisions for public utility include; Rs. 8.20 lakhs for road repairs; Rs. 115,000 for improvement of burial grounds and burning ghats; Rs. 10,000 for purchase of ambulance; Rs. 10,000 for road watering cars; Rs. 15,000 and Rs. 13,000 for construction of pucca drains and improvement of parks respectively. Rs. 8,13,000 for expenditure has been on account of dearness allowance to employees out of Rs. 1,32,000 accounts for the increment of Rs. 2 per month recently sanctioned by the municipality to a large number of its employees. The Government have sanctioned a subvention of Rs. 50,000 per month of this account.

The claims of damages to municipal roads by heavy military traffic during the last five years amount to Rs. 14,00,000. The claim for accumulated contribution to the credit of the municipality in the hands of the Government out of the motor vehicles tax fund nearly amount to Rs. 2,00,000. The claim for compensation for requisition of all road rollers and road watering lorries during the period of war amounts to Rs. 1,00,000. Rents due for occupation of municipal lands for godown amounts to Rs. 40,000.

CORRECTIONS

In the advertisement of the BANK OF INDIA LTD., published in the *Calcutta Municipal Gazette* of the 16th March last, please read Rs. 1,83,33,550 as the corrected figure for the Reserve Fund instead of the figure that appeared. The readers are also requested to note that £ 800,000 would be the correct figure for the Reserve Fund of the EASTERN BANK LTD.

It is regretted that the above mistakes somehow crept in through inadvertence.

RAJA RAJ KISSEN STREET NIGHT SCHOOL

FOR THE DEPRESSED CLASS

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY

The prize distribution of the Night School for the Depressed Class, run by the A. I. W. C. (Calcutta Branch), was held sometime ago at the school premises at 12A, Raja Rajkissen Street, under the presidentship of Mrs. P. C. Mahalanobis, who also gave away the prizes.

There are in the school 50 students of all communities including the Corporation scavengers. The students are generally taught Bengali, Hindi, English (optional), Arithmetic, Hygiene, History and Geography. One of the depressed class adult students has passed the Government U. P. Examination. The Government Inspector, as well as the Corporation School Inspector, have been pleased to see the work of the School.

Mrs. P. C. Mahalanovis stressed the need for the discipline and unity among the boys. In Freedom Movement the qualities of discipline, unity and truthfulness were absolutely necessary. They should have a clean community life.

The students entertained the audience with drill recitation and comic sketches.

Notable amongst those who were present on the occasion were Mr. S. M. Ali, Inspector of Schools, Calcutta District of the Government Education Department, Mrs. S C. Roy, Hony. Secretary of the School, Mr. B. Bhadra, Corporation Publicity Department, Mr. B. Seal, Corporation Publicity Department and Dr. Bankim Ch. Sett.

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The Week In The Corporation

Friday: 22nd *March*, 1946

"Grow More Food" Campaign

Corporation Resolves To Utilize All Spare Lands

THAT in view of the impending famine in India and the advice of Mahatma Gandhi, the flower gardens in all parts of Calcutta, the spare lands at Tallah and Pulta be utilized for growing food.

That all Corporation lands in Calcutta and suburbs be let out for growing vegetables.

That the land on the sides of the Kulti Channel be leased out immediately, if not for a long period, for three years for growing food.

That the fish be reared in all the tanks belonging to the Corporation.

This was the text of the resolution which the Corporation, on the motion of Councillor Gosto Behari Sett, adopted at its meeting held on Friday, the 22nd March.

At the instance of the same Councillor a Special Committee of seven members, consisting of Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, Councillor Madan Mohan Barman, Councillor Mrigendra Kumar Majumdar, Councillor Bhabesh Chandra Das, Councillor Abdus Sattar, Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli and the mover, Councillor Gosto Behari Sett was formed for carrying on "Grow More Food" Campaign, nutrition propaganda, utilization of unused articles as food and utilization of waste. This Special Committee will be co-opted by outside experts, numbering not more than five. This Special Committee will be in touch with the Government for carrying on the work of averting famines and food troubles in the City and Bengal.

—"*MUNICIPAL GAZETTE*"

GROW MORE FOOD SUPPLEMENT

In view of the above resolution of the Corporation, the "Calcutta Municipal Gazette" proposes to bring out a special supplement on "Grow More Food". The Editor takes this opportunity of inviting the City Fathers, and citizens of Calcutta to send contributions on the subject along the lines suggested in the resolution, or allied to them for use in the supplement which is to appear by the middle of May next.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

The Corporation decided to issue advertisements inviting applications for the post of the Chief Executive Officer and directed Services Standing Committee No. I to settle the terms of the advertisement and forward the same to the Corporation for approval.

The term of office of the present incumbent, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji expires on the 23rd December, 1946.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY BUILDINGS

The Corporation directed the Chief Executive Officer to file a suit in the Hight Court in the dispute pending between the Corporation and the Government of Bengal regarding assessment of the Bengal Legislative Assembly buildings at No. 6, Esplanade Row, West.

Even after protracted correspondence and negotiations lasting for more than 12 years the Government did not agree to pay the Consolidated Rates in respect of the said premises (excluding the triangular piece of land on which the statue of Lord Bentinck stood). This information was received by the Corporation through a Government communication, dated the 21st January, 1946.

Later, however, the Government agreed to pay any claims which the Corporatien might wish to prefer for services rendered by it to the Council House but at the same time also intimated that the Corporation was not entitled to assess the Council House, being situated beyond the limits of the Corporation.

The Council House together with the land measuring about 31 bighas appertaining to it was for the first time assessed to the consolidated rate at an annual valuation of of Rs. 3,10,100 with effect from the 1st quarter of 1931-32. The Executive Engineer, 1st Calcutta Division, objected to the said assessment on the ground, among others, that the land on which the building had been built was *maidan* land and within the Fort William zone and was not ordinarily assessable.

With this disputed assessment was mixed up the question of ownership of a triangular plot of land measuring about 1 bigha 5 kottahs 6 chittacks on which the statue of Lord Bentinck formerly stood, but which Government had enclosed inside the compound of the Council House. The Corporation claimed that this plot was within the municipal limits of Calcutta and that the proprietary right in the plot was vested in the Corporation. In terms of our agreement, dated the 31st August, 1931, with the Government of Bengal the dispute relating to the triangular plot was referred to the arbitrator, Sir Asoka Roy, then Advocate-General, Bengal, who gave his award on the 23rd September, 1942, all in our favour.

But the dispute regarding the assessment of the entire premises excluding the triangular plot was not settled.

The report of the Assessor to the Corporation states among other things :—

"An esplanade is an open space between city and citadel, separating fortress from town. When the premises in question was allowed to be built over and appropriated to non-military purposes, for practical purposes it ceased to be part of the Esplanade and if it ceased to be part of the Esplanade, it must have come inside the municipal limits of Calcutta and should, therefore, be liable to the consolidated rate. Whatever force there might be in this connection, it had not been tested in a court of law.

"By virtue of Section 172 of the Government of India Act, the said premises is vested in the Province of Bengal for the purposes of the province. It has ceased to be part of the Esplanade."

The consolidated rates in respect of the said premises (excluding the triangular piece of land on which the statue of Lord Bentinck stood) from the 1st quarter of 1931-32 to the fourth quarter of 1936-37 was fixed at ten per cent. of the annual value having regard to the services rendered.

From the first quarter of 1937-38 onwards full rates were charged.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL

The Corporation approved the Bengal Government proposal to build the Infectious Diseases Hospital for Calcutta and its suburbs on Beliaghata Main Road. The Government proposed to proceed immediately with the acquisition of the site for the establishment of the hospital.

EXTRA SMALL-POX BEDS

The House sanctioned the total expenditure of Rs. 51,754 incurred in connection with maintenance of extra small-pox beds in the Campbell Hospital from the 22nd December, 1944 to the 15th April, 1945.

CORPORATION PRESS STRIKE

The Corporation decided that the strike period from the 10th November, 1945, to the 22nd November, 1945, of the Compositors and Distributors of the Corporation Press be treated as leave with pay.

The Compositors and the Distributors of the Press went on strike on 10th November, 1945, and the general strike of all the employees of the Corporation was started on 23rd November, 1945. Both the strikes lasted up to 27th November, 1945. The Corporation, on 26th and 28th November, 1945, resolved *inter alia* that the period of strike from the 23rd November, 1945, to 27th November, 1945, be considered as leave with pay but mentioned nothing about the Press strike which was called off on Mayor's assurance to the President of the Press Employees' Union to the effect that the pay for their strike period from the 10th November, 1945 to the 22nd November, 1945, would be paid.

PLAGUE CASES IN CALCUTTA

Suffering from plague Satdeo Panday (22) who was admitted in Campbell Hospital expired on the 28th March, last.

The condition of Yautun (25) another victim of plague who was removed to the same hospital on the 14th March last was stated to be unchanged.

DECIMALIZATION OF COINAGE

The House approved the proposal of the Government of India regarding the decimalization of coinage.

The proposal of the Government of India regarding decimalization of the coinage in India, as per details may be given below :—

100 cents corresponding to the existing 1 Rupee.
50 cents corresponding to the existing ½ Rupee.
25 cents corresponding to the existing ¼ Rupee.

10 cents—cupro-nickel 'shaped' coins	}	to replace the existing coins below the value of ¼ rupee.
5 cents "		
2 cents "		
1 cent—Bronze coins		
½ cent—(possibly)		

HOUSING CONSERVANCY STAFF

Regarding the retention of the rented *pucca* houses for accommodation of the conservancy coolies the House asked the Chief Executive Officer to inform the Government that the Corporation "strongly feels that the Government should continue paying rents in respect of the premises till alternative accommodation is found."

The Government had last written to the Corporation informing :—

(1) That the Government will not be responsible for payment for occupation of these houses in post-war period;

(2) That the Corporation should arrange for payment with effect from 1st February, 1946, in case these premises be retained by the Corporation;

(3) That the power of requisition by the Government under Defence of India Rules will only continue up to 1st October, 1946, and

(4) That if the Corporation decide to retain these premises, efforts (by the Corporation) should be made to secure leases, wherever possible.

The disposal of the labour staff was necessary as a measure of safety during the war, for which the Government helped the Corporation to requisition lands and buildings for housing, particularly the conservancy labourers.

BENGAL SLUM IMPROVEMENT ACT

The House directed that the reports of the Chief Law Officer and the Chief Valuer and Surveyor on the Bengal Slum Improvement Act be recorded.

The following difficulties have been pointed out by the Chief Valuer and Surveyor in the way of the preparation and execution of the scheme of improvement as contemplated in the Act :—

Section 5

(*a*) There is no provision in this Section to publish the final scheme and estimate in the official Gazette or at the office of the local authority although there is provision to publish the same at the draft stage. This should be done by a bye-law.

(*b*) There should also be a provision for slight modifications of the scheme if it is found necessary during the operation say within 10 per cent. of the estimated cost without which difficulties may arise during execution of the scheme. This may be done by the amendment of the section or by a bye-law.

(*c*) In the Act there is no definite direction when to take up the approved scheme for execution similar to section 4 directing the Local Authority to take up pre-

paration of scheme after the declaration of Slum Area under section 3. This should be made clear.

Section 8.

This section contemplates that the Local Authority shall maintain no account of the realisation of the apportioned cost of the scheme as well as cost of maintenance from the respective owners, to be finally adjusted after a period of 12 years. It is a very difficult task for the Local Authority to do so inasmuch as it shall have to submit a statement of account of unrealized dues from the owners when the Provincial Government shall pay half the unrealized amount to write off the account finally. The implication is that the Local Authority shall bear the other half of the irrecoverable dues.

Section 10.

This section provides notice to be served on the occupiers of huts to vacate them. After the huts are vacated by the occupiers either voluntarily or by suits under sub-section 3 the owner shall be in possession of the same. But there is no provision of notice to be served on the owner of huts before they are demolished though there is provision of notice to the occupiers (*vide* Section 10 (1)). This anomaly should be regularised either by amendment or by a law.

Besides there is a provision by which the Local Authority can demolish the huts but in disputed cases of compensation it is rather undesirable for the Local Authority to demolish the same before any award is given in accordance with the provision under Section 11. The Local Authority has no power to make any award for compensation.

There is a mistake in the print in the line 5 of this section. *Section* 12 should be *Section* 13.

This Section excludes Section 359 along with others of the Calcutta Municipal Act from its operation. The effect is that no owner shall be allowed to convert his land which falls within the declared Slum Area to building site or to utilise the same for any other purposes than *bustee* so long the declaration of Slum Area und Section 3 is in force. This will give rise to many complications. I suggest a saving clause in the following lines may be added to this section by way of amendment :—

"Notwithstanding anything contained in Section 21 if the owner by an application to the Local Authority intends to take his land out of the category of declared Slum Area the Local Authority after hearing such objections shall send their recommendation to the Provincial Government for such orders as it may deem fit to pass."

The opinion of the Chief Law Officer may be given as follows :—

Under Section 4 of the Act, the Provincial Government may authorize any local authority within the jurisdiction of which a particular slum area is situated to prepare a scheme for the improvement of such area together with an estimate of the cost for execution of the scheme. Sub-Section (3) of Section 4 provides for the contingency of such local authority not taking up and completing the preparation of such scheme and estimate within a reasonable time and imposes in mandatory terms a duty or obligation on the local authority to take up and complete the preparation of the scheme and estimate within such time as may be specified by Government. Although there is no provision in such terms imposing a duty or obligation on the local authority to execute and complete the scheme prepared by it, the provisions which follow, in particular the provisions of Sections 6, 9 and 12, by necessary implication impose such obligation or duty on the local authority authorised to prepare the scheme.

As will be seen from below the Statute places on the local authority concerned a heavy financial burden, which it is hardly possible for them to bear in these days of financial stringency. Section 9 provides in mandatory terms that all charges and expenses incurred by a local authority in executing an approved scheme shall be paid out of the local fund of such authority. The provisions of Section 6, which makes the owners of the land and other immoveable property in a slum area liable for the actual cost incurred by a local authority in executing an approved scheme and provides for recovery of such costs from them, clearly indicate that the local authority are under an obligation to incur the costs in executing the scheme whether or not the apportioned amounts have been paid by or recovered from the owners as provided in Sub-Sections (3) and (5) of that Section. (Mark the words "incurred" and "shall be borne at the beginning of the Section). The local authority have to go on incurring costs and paying same out of the municipal fund, without waiting for payment by or recovery from the owners of the land etc.

In a case where the owners of the land are unable to bear the entire amount of the actual cost of the scheme, a further liability is imposed on the local authority, in that they have to bear a share not exceeding 25 per cent. of the costs. The saving feature in this connection is that the local authority concerned have been made judge of the question whether the owners are so unable (*vide* Section 7).

Section 8 provides that if after expiry of twelve years from the date of completion of any approved scheme, any amount remains unrealized from the owners, such amount shall be written off as irrecoverable. The result is that the local authority have to meet the whole of such unrealized costs out of the local fund, unless the Provincial Government chooses, after such enquiry as it may deem necessary, to pay to the local authority half of the amount so remaining unrealized.

Having regard to the above, the main difficulty in the way of the Corporation (if and when authorised under Section 4) exercising the powers under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act, 1945, appears to be financial. It is a matter for serious consideration how to find funds to carry out and complete a scheme in respect of a slum area which may be entrusted to the Corporation.

On the matter of how to exercise powers and functions vested in the Corporation under the provisions of the Bengal Slum Improvement Act (Bengal Act XVI of 1945) the House resolved :—

I. That powers, duties and functions vested in the Corporation under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act, 1945, be delegated to to the Roads and Bustees Standing Committee subject to reservation that the decisions of the Committee in regard to all matters dealt with by them, shall be subject to confirmation by the Corporation.

II. That the Committee do consider the anomalies and deficiencies in the Bengal Slum Improvement Act as pointed out by the Chief Law Officer and the Chief Valuer and Surveyor and suggest amendments to the Act with a view to their removal.

COUNCILLOR A. C. BANERJEE

The Corporation re-appointed Councillor A. C. Banerjee to represent it on the Bengal Smoke Nuisances Commission up to 31st March, 1947.

The Corporation at its meeting held on the 27th July, 1945, had nominated Councillor Banerjee to represent it on the said Commission for the year 1945-46.

CHARGES FOR CREMATION ARTICLES

The House allowed to contiue till the 30th September, 1946, the revised Schedule of rates for the supply of cremation articles and the charges for the services of Brahmins, Domes, etc., at the different burning ghats of Calcutta.

A NEW MEDICAL COLLEGE

The House expressed satisfaction at the proposal for establishment of a temporary Medical College at the Lakes, as embodied in Government letter, dated the 19th January, 1946. The House also felt that the institution would be a great boon to the citizens of South Calcutta, where there was no such medical institution at present.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

CHOLERA DEATHS ON THE INCREASE

Cholera attacks and deaths in Calcutta during the week ended the 23rd March were 82 and 40 against 74 and 33 resectively, the week before. There were on an average 171 attacks and 70 deaths during each of the two corresponding weeks last year.

Attacks and deaths from small-pox during the week were 7 and 3 respectively against 2 each in the preceding week. Last year attacks averaged 348 and deaths 249 during the correspondig weeks.

Malaria caused 33 deaths against 24 the week before. During the corresponding weeks last year deaths from this disease averaged 36.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 99 against 82 in the preceding week.

Total mortality showed a slight increase during the week, there being 678 deaths against 667 the week before. The average for the same period last year was 1,085.

TAKING OVER OF A NEW ROAD

Upon the resolution adopted by the Works Standing Committee on the 26th June, 1944, the House decided to take over from the Calcutta Improvement Trust, under Section 65 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, the roads in Scheme No. XLIV Diagonal Road between Grey Street and Nimtolla Ghat Street generally known as Ahiritolla Diagonal in Ward Nos. 2 and 3 under certain conditions.

RELEASE OF THE TOWN HALL

After considering the communication received from the Secretary, Government of Bengal, Department of Health and Local Self-Government regarding the release of the Town Hall, the House resolved that the Government be informed that either they should make arrangements for keeping the paintings in the Victoria Memorial Hall until such time as the Town Hall remained in occupation of the Rationing Office or if they failed to make such arrangements the Town Hall should be given back to the Corporation.

It may be recalled that on the motion of Councillors Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen and M. L. Khemka, the Corporation at its meeting, dated the 2nd January, 1946, resolved that in view of the fact that the Secretary and Curator, Victoria Memorial Hall, has sent a letter asking the Corporation to remove their paintings from the Memorial Buildings, Government be requested to vacate the Town Hall early for the accommodation of those paintings. This resolution was conveyed by the Chief Executive Officer to the Government in the Department of Health and Local Self-Government with a request to take up the matter with the appropriate authorities with a view to the early release of the Town Hall.

Wednesday: the 27th March, 1946.

KULTI OUTFALL SCHEME

Considering the Government letter refusing to accede to the request of the Corporation for a contribution towards the cost of Dr. B. N. Dey's Kulti Outfall scheme the House at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 27th March, passed a resolution requesting the Government to revise their decision within two months. Meanwhile, the Chief Executive Officer was authorized to take legal opinion.

Failing to get a satisfactory reply from the Government within the period, the matter was directed to be referred to arbitration or a suit filed in the High Court "in order to bring a finality to this old outstanding dispute between the Government and the Corporation."

The Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shamsul Haque was in the chair.

The scheme, it may be recalled, was executed by the Corporation out of loans raised for the purpose at a cost of Rs. 42,12,000 involving about Rs. 78,000 as annual recurring charges.

ANTI-CHOLERA CAMPAIGN

CORPORATION HEALTH PUBLICITY OFFICER'S STATEMENT

The Health Publicity Officer, Calcutta Corporation, writes: "Cholera is taking a heavy toll of life in the city every week. The Publicity Department of the Corporation of Calcutta has organized anti-cholera campaign to prevent the spread of this fell disease. Authorities of the educational institutions, social service organizations, clubs and physical culture associations are requested to organize anti-cholera campaign meetings in their respective localities to educate the public on the prevention of Cholera.

Handbills and posters on cholera for such meetings and distribution among the students or members may be had from, and magic lantern lectures and cinema shows will also be arranged, free of cost, by the Publicity Department. Please write or phone to the following address:— College Street Market, North Block, Phone B.B. 1029.

The Corporation had requested the Government to pay 70 per cent. of the capital cost and 50 per cent. of the annual maintenance cost.

The Government in their reply to the Corporation's request for a contribution stated that they had no statutory liability in the matter and that the authority that constructed the channel must provide relief for the block to natural drainage that the new channel created.

> "The Government do not admit the position that it is open to a local authority to cary out a capital scheme on its own responsibility from its own loan funds and subsequently put in a demand for the transfer to provincial revenue of a part of the cost. They are neither prepared to admit responsibility for the silting up of the Bidyadhari river, used for outfall purposes by the Corporation, nor do they agree to contribute to the scheme on the grounds that it serves to a greater extent than anticipated for drainage of surrounding land, for it is obvious that where a new banked channel is constructed cutting across an existing drainage basin, the authority that constructs it must provide relief for the block to natural drainage which the new channel creates."

The Chief Executive Officer in his report to the Corporation on the Government's letter, recommended that the responsibility of the Government in maintaining the outfall river system should be legally clarified.

RATIONS FOR DOMESTIC SERVANTS

Councillor Jogindra Lal Saha, referring to the cut in food rations, suggested that the Government should allow the same quantity of rice and *atta* to the domestic servants and cooks as had been sanctioned for labour.

The Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shamsul Haque, said that the Chief Executive Officer would write to the Government on the subject.

TINS OF CONDEMNED "BUTTER" MISSING

As a matter of urgent public importance Councillor H. K. Ganguli demanded of the Chief Executive Officer a clarification of the actual state of things in respect of the alleged disappearance of 200 tins of condemned butter which were placed at the disposal of the Corporation by the military department for destruction.

The Chief Executive Officer said that the matter was two or three years old, and he had, therefore, to draw on memory. As far as he remembered it was taken that the quantity in question had already been destroyed but, subsequently, it was found that it had not been so done but was missing. The whole thing, along with the conduct of the officer concerned, was referred to the Services Standing Committee No. I. It hung with the Committee for a good length of time.

In view of the fact that there was much agitation in the city about the news, Councillor Mohamad Rafique said that it was desirable to have a statement issued by the Chief Executive Officer on behalf of the Corporation within the next seven days.

The Chief Executive Officer said that he would submit a report to the Mayor.

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul, Chairman of the Services Standing Committee No. I, said that curiously enough the item had been withdrawn from the department and it did not find any place in the agenda.

The Chief Executive Officer said that it was done so without his knowledge and permission.

Councillor M. A. H. Ispahani expressed his amazement at the situation. He was of opinion that the matter was so serious that it did not brook any delay. He said "To-morrow we want a full statement from the Chief Executive Officer, and I think he will take all necessary steps to prepare a statement regardig the affair and place it before the House. People talk about this, and this is a most serious charge. It is necessary that facts should be placed before the public."

Councillors Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen and Bejoy Kumar Banerjee also demanded the full story of the case.

CONDOLENCE

The Corporation condoled the death of Mr. Bankim Behari Das, father of the martyr Jatindra Nath Das.

NEW MALAYAN UNION

Japanese Cannot Obtain Citizenship

"Japanese will be debarred from obtaining citizenship of the new Malayan Union either by birth or by the 10 year residence qualification," said Viscount Addison, Dominions Secretary, when the Straits Settlements Bill passed the committee stage in the House of Lords without amendment.

AHMEDABAD MUNICIPALITY

Order Of Supersession Held Invalid

The order of supersession of the Ahmedabad Municipality issued by the Bombay Government on May 3, 1945, has been held invalid by a Bench of Bombay High Court consisting of Mr. Justice Sen and Mr. Justice Weston delivering judgment in the revision application filed by the management committee of the Ahmedabad Municipality.

JAGAJOYTI LIBRARY

The thirty-fifth annual general meeting of the Jagajyoti Library and Free Reading Room was held on Sunday, the 3rd March, at the Library Hall No. 4/2, Madhu Gupta Lane under the presidentship of Mr. Debendra Chandra Basu Mallik. The Hony. Secretary Mr. Kalipada Mukerjee read the annual report of the activities of the library for last year. The following office-bearers were elected :—*President*—Mr. Jagannath Kolay, Councillor; *Hony. Secretary*—Mr. Biswanath Mukerjee; *Assistant Secretary*—Mr. Debi Banerjee; *Treasurer*—Mr. Bhibuti Bhusan Sarkar and *Librarian*—Mr. Indra Kumar De. After the meeting the guests were entertained with music and treated to a refreshment.

HEALTH & HYGIENE

Cholera Epidemic In Calcutta

CHOLERA was officially declared to be epidemic in the city from the week ended the 16th March. There were 88 deaths against 80 the week before, while attacks numbered 74 against 60. During the corresponding two weeks last year, attacks were 115 and 113 and deaths 54 and 47.

"A great many things will have to be done if we are to bring cholera under complete control in the second city of the empire," says Dr. M. U. Ahmad, Health Officer, Calcutta Corporation.

"February to July is the cholera period in Calcutta. The peak of mortality is ordinarily reached in the month of March.

"During the fortnight ended Saturday, March 9, 1946, there were 117 cholera attacks in the city of which 61 proved mortal.

"In 1907 there were 3,803 deaths by cholera and in 1919 there were 3,688. The city population then was just a million.

"This death rate," Dr. Ahmad declared, was brought down to a few hundreds per year. But it suddenly rose again in the last two years as an aftermath of famine, pestilence and destitution.

"The vast influx and effluz of the city population on the wake of the Pacific War also added to the rise in mortality by cholera.

"There were, consequently, 2,178 cholera deaths in 1943-44 and 1,606 in 1944-45. Death rate rose to 150 a week in March, 1944 and to 190 a week in March, 1945."

"We have ordinarily facilities to cover a normal peacetime population of 1,500,000 but the present strength is about 4,000,000.

"Also we should consider the thousands of pilgrims who pass through Calcutta all the year round bringing all sorts of epidemics with them. "The fact that Calcutta is a big port also adds to our problems."

Dr. Ahmad has catalogued the following measures that he deems necessary to prevent the recurrence of the epidemic in the city;

"The use of unfiltered water by the people must stop.

"Quicker and better methods of garbage removal must be introduced and the city must keep tidy and clean all the 24 hours.

"All the 50,000 bucket privies must be done away with, and flash system must be introduced throughout the city.

"Municipalities adjoining Calcutta must be armed with sufficient technical skill, finance and other facilities to remove from their midst epidemic-generating eye-sores."

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Another Plague Case

A woman named Iaytun (25) was brought down to Calcutta from Ishapore, suffering from plague, and was admitted some days ago into the Campbell Medical Hospital. It was a case of imported plague and is kept in a separate room in the hospital for treatment.

It may be recalled that about a month ago another up-country man was brought down to Calcutta from Mirjapore suffering from the same disease. He was also kept in a separate room in the hospital for treatment and after about four days' treatment the patient expired.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

[The Editor does not hold himself responsible for the views expressed by the correspondents]

PULSE GRINDING MILLS & TUBERCULOSIS

To The Editor, "Calcutta Municipal Gazette"

Dear Sir,—I have repeatedly sought to draw the attention of the Corporation authorities to the unhealthy atmosphere created by the pulse grinding machines situated at the Aheritola Street and Durmahatta 1st Lane, but with little effect. The dust thrown up in the air by these machines is a great source of harm to the health of the people of those localities and may probably be one of the causes of the attack and spread of Tuberculosis, which the authorities profess to try to exterminate from the city. I understand that the Corporation have cancelled the licenses of some of the grinders and dealers but they are still functioning as before. One wonders if the Corporation authorities are satisfied that they have done all they could do in the matter of stopping this nuisance and have nothing more to do. On behalf of the poor public and specially of the people of the localities I beg to draw the attention of the Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors of the Corporation and also of the Bengal Tuberculosis Association and the Director of Public Health, Bengal, to this long standing nuisance,—Yours etc.,

TARA PROSAD BANERJEE,

284, Chittaranjan Avenue (North), Calcutta
The 20th March, 1946.

COMMERCIAL MUSEUM

To The Editor, "Calcutta Municipal Gazette."

Sir,—It is distressing to think that there are people who see no use in the existence of the Commercial Museum of the Corporation of Calcutta.

In the *Calcutta Municipal Gazette* of March 2, 1946, Mr. Natabar Datta summarily pronounced his opinion that the Commercial Museum should be abolished as, in his eyes, it served no useful purpose to the rate-payers.

We are really sorry for this gentleman, who obviously derived no inspiration or benefit from the Commercial Museum. Yet this establishment has become the object of attention for every large city throughout India for its services as a first-class centre of all-round general adult education in every sphere, such as commercial, industrial, public health, general information and civic sense. When we were hoping that this ideal of the Museum be spread to every large mufassil town and city throughout India, to give an impetus to Indian business and industrial development, this rather unfortunate observation of Mr. Datta came upon us.

What, we wonder, is his conception of the functions of the Corporation? Simply to extort taxes and build roads? If these are the only functions of a municipality, then Mr. Datta ought to carry his argument to its furthest conclusion ending in the *argumentum ad absurdum* of closing down the primary schools, public health department, municipal hospitals, ambulance services and many other functions as items resulting in waste of public funds serving no useful purpose to all rate-payers:

The Commercial Museum with its several sections dealing with publicity, propaganda reference on Public Health, Industries, Statistics, Indian Manufactures and Industrial Enterprises, with a well-stocked library and frequent popular lectures and other publicity arrangements, becomes a most valuable asset to the city and an interesting rendezvous for the citizens. After all, the Commercial Museum is self-supporting to a considerable extent, as every manufacturer represented in the Museum has to pay a monthly rent for its upkeep.

We do not see what grudge Mr. Datta harbours against this unique institution of Calcutta, which made him air his hostile views about it. However, as an industrialist, I hope that better sense will prevail among Calcutta's citizens so as not to tolerate the abolition of this splendid institution founded on the initiative of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose,—Yours etc.

B. MAITRA.

The Calcutta Chemical Co., Ltd.,
35, Panditia Road,
Calcutta, the 27th March, 1946.

PALUDRINE

New Anti-Malarial Drug

Britain has released to the world the hitherto secret processes for the manufacture of Paludrine, anti-malarial drug discovered by a British scientist, details of which were first announced in November last.

Announcing this, Imperial Chemical Industries stated that Paludrine is thought to be ten times as powerful as Quinine. It was a simple compound and was used in the form of a salt.

SUBHAS BOSE AVENUE

Dacca Municipality's Resolution

At a meeting of the Dacca Municipality held on the 29th January last it was decided to refer to the Legal Adviser Dr. Madan Gopal Basak's resolution to rename Johnson Road, one of the principal thoroughfares of the town, as Subhas Bose Avenue.

DR. MAHENDRA LAL SARCAR MEMORIAL COMMITTE

Mayor's Appeal For Fund

Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, Mayor of Calcutta, in the course of an appeal, says.—

"In pursuance of the resolution passed at the 43rd death anniversary meeting of the late Dr. Mahendra Lal Sarcar, M.D., D.L., C.I.E., a meeting was held in the Mayor's room on 11th March with the Mayor in the Chair, and among other things a resolution was carried unanimously for placing a life-size oilpainting of the late doctor and scientist Mahendra Lal Sarcar in the University of Calcutta and making a monthly contribution of Rs. 10 to a meritorious student out of an endowment fund to be handed over to the University of Calcutta in honour of the late Dr. Mahendra Lal Sarcar (Examination and subject to be decided later on).

"To achive the object we require a fund for Rs. 15,000 and we doubt not that sympathy of the public, including the scientists, Physicians, and all those who hold in high respect the cause and mission of the late Dr. Sarcar would be with us. May I appeal to the public as the Chairman of the Memorial Committee, to contribute their mite to the Committee's fund in expression of their love for the work of the illustrious son of Bengal."

All contributions should be sent to the Treasurer, Dr. Mahendra Lal Sarcar Memorial Committee, 1, Husuri Mull Lane, Bowbazar, Calcutta, Or C/o the Hooghly Bank Ltd., 53, Dharamtalla Street, Calcutta.

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CALCUTTA—BOMBAY—DELHI AIR SERVICE

Calcutta, Bombay and New Delhi are to be linked by a new air service to be known as Bharat Airways Limited.

PANDIT NEHRU RETURNS FROM MALAYA

Pandit Nehru arrived at Dum Dum air port in the morning of Wednesday, the 27th March, from Malaya and immediately left for Allahabad.

NEW VICE CHANCELLOR'S APPEAL

An appeal to guardians, the public, the Press and, in particular, the student community, to co-operate with him in his endeavour to eradicate "malpractices in examinations", is made by Mr. P. N. Banerjea, Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University.

DR. MEGHNAD SAHA

Dr. Meghnad Saha has been invited as a member of a delegation from India to attend the Empire Scientific Conference organized by the Royal Society of London.

The Conference will be held in London from June 17 to July 8.

MR. S. R. BAKSHI RELEASED

Mr. Satya Ranjan Bakshi was released on Tuesday, the 26th March, from Presidency Jail.

He is now staying in his residence at Priya Nath Mallick Road. Mr. Bakshi's health is absolutely shattered and he was examined by Dr. Sunil Bose, who advised complete rest.

PRINTING-PRESS WORKERS MEET

"In view of the impending famine it should be the duty of all employers, including Government, to improve the living conditions of workers and not to drive them to desperation," said Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose presiding over a meeting of printing press workers of Calcutta held at Hazra Park on the 22nd March last.

Detailing the grievances of press workers Mr. Bose said that petitions and deputations and other constitutional efforts had totally failed, and the workers were faced with the only alternative of taking direct action.

CALCUTTA SCIENTIST HONOURED

Dr. S. C. Seal, M.B., D.P.H., Assistant Professor of Epidemiology at the All-India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, has been elected a Fellow of the American Public Health Association in recognition of his meritorious research work on many communicable diseases done by him in the U. S. A. while on deputation as a Rockefeller Foundation Fellow.

Dr Seal is the first Indian to be recognised by this foreign Public Health body. He is at present engaged, along with Dr. R. B. Lal, in working out a model public health scheme for the prevention of cholera, typhoid, dysentery, etc. in rural Bengal.

AUTOMATIC TELEPHONES FOR CALCUTTA

Details of the working of the automatic telephone exchanges, proposed by the Government of India, are now available.

The proposed system will consist of a much larger number of exchanges working into each other than at present. Each of these exchanges will be represented by a definite "code", which will consist of two or three distinctive letters or two figures.

One subscriber, to talk to another, will have to dial the "code" digits to route the call to the desired exchange and then the subscriber's number.

PAKISTAN DAY

A stern warning to the British Government that it would antagonize the Muslims of the whole world if the Muslims of India were ignored in any constitutional settlement was given by Mr. Tamizuddin Khan M.L.A. (Central), former Education Minister of Bengal, speaking at a crowded meeting of the Muslims of Calcutta held at the Islamia College Hall on the 23rd March last in observance of Pakistan Day.

Mr. Abdul Mansur Ahmed presided.

"If the Muslim League is ignored or by-passed", said Mr. Khan emphatically, "it will lead to a conflagration the like of which has not been witnessed by history."

CONGRESS MEDICAL MISSION FOR MALAYA

Two members of the Congress Medical Mission to Malaya left for Singapore on Sunday night, the 24th March, by air.

They were Dr. B. N. Basu, Deputy Director of the Mission, and his personal assistant.

Other members of the Mission are awaiting transport by boat, for which repeated representations have been made to the Government of India.

It has been arranged that medical supplies and equipment as well as ambulance cars which the Mission are to take out to Malaya will leave on 5th April by cargo boat.

AUXILIARY FIRE SERVICE

A resolution urging the Government to devise ways and means to extend the fire service to Municipal towns in consultation with respective Municipalities was adopted at a public meeting held at the Wellington Square on Tuesday, the 26th

RABINDRANATH MEMORIAL

APPEAL FOR FUNDS

Mr. S. C. Majumdar, General Secretary, All-India Rabindranath Memorial Committee, has issued the following :—

"The next anniversary of the birthday of Rabindranath Tagore falls on May 8 (Baisakh 25). As the day approaches, we are once more reminded that our obligations to our national Poet still remain unredeemed. We have so far been able to collect only Rs. 12,19,116-9-10 for the Fund which was started for the perpetuation of his memory. This amount, however, is quite inadequate to fulfil the objects which the All-India Rabindra Memorial Committee has in view.

"The amount so far collected has not come up to expectations. It represents mostly small sums—even one or two-anna donations from the poor; response from the wealthier has not as yet been so encouraging. It would be a matter of profound regret if for lack of funds we fail to accompolish the Memorial in a worthy manner.

"Our aim is to reach the figure of Rs. 25 lakhs by the Poet's next birthday. With the co-operation of everybody we may yet hope to achieve this target. We appeal once more to our countrymen to come forward and help us generously in this great cause.

"All contributions will be thankfully received by the General Secretary, All-India Rabindra Memorial Committee, 6/8, Dwarkanath Tagore Lane or 1, Burman Street, Calcutta."

March. Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, the Mayor of Calcutta, presided.

The meeting demanded the retention of the existing personnel of the Auxiliary Fire Service and also the reduction of the working hours.

A large number of Auxiliary Fire Service men, who were threatened with retrenchment, attended the meeting.

EX-CORPORATION OFFICIAL HONOURED

Mr. Makhamgopal Banerjee, Retired Controller of Stores, Calcutta Corporation, has been awarded the "Mitchell Prize Medal" for the year 1946 by the Indian Roads Congress in recognition of his meritorious research thesis on "The design of Roads Bridges in India" which was submitted by him in the Mysore session of the Indian Roads Congress in the year 1936. Mr. Banerjee is the first Indian Bengalee recipient of this honour.

INDIAN CHRISTIANS' DEMONSTRATION

One person was injured when a number of Indian Christians, including some ladies made a demonstration against the Most Reverend the Lord Bishop and Metropolitan of Calcutta in front of St. Paul's Church, Amherst Street, on Sunday morning, the 24th March.

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Capital Paid Up .. .. Rs. 1,48,83,550.
Reserve Fund .. .. Rs. 1,88,83,550.
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TO BE LET

In order to prevent the Metropolitan from entering the Church the demonstrators lay at the entrance of the Church and shouted slogans.

It is stated that a number of Indian Christians under St. Paul's Church observed January 23 and 26 as Netaji Day and Independence Day respectively. It is learnt that the Lord Bishop, in course of a letter to Mr. S. K. Biswas, stated to be the representative of these young men, expressed his disapproval of the act. It was further stated that the letter contained some insinuations against the Azad Hind Fouj.

This caused some disaffection amongst the Indian Christians and they resolved to demonstrate against the Lord Bishop so that no service could be held at the Church on Sunday morning.

COUNCILLOR RAFIQUE'S SUCCESS IN ELECTION

Mr. Mohamad Rafique, Councillor, Calcutta Corporation, and *ex*-Deputy Mayor, (Muslim League) has been declared elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly from the Calcutta North Muslim constituency defeating Mr. Asgar Ali (Congress).

STREET ACCIDENTS IN FIGURES

54 persons were killed and 639 injured in 1,344 street accidents in Calcutta during January and February this year, according to reports received by the Statistical Section, Traffic Department, Calcutta Police from 26 police stations and one outpost. Of the total accidents, 775 occurred in January resulting in 28 deaths and 374 persons being injured. February's figures show a slight decrease.

Military lorries were responsible for 36 deaths and 235 cases of injury during the two months. The figures for civilian lorries were 6 killed and 123 injured. The number of persons killed and injured by buses were 5 and 45, respectively, and 119 persons were injured in accidents in which private cars were involved. 4 persons lost their lives and 37 received injuries in accidents caused by unidentified vehicles.

Tramcars were involved in some 415 accidents during the two months.

GOVERNMENT MEASURE AGAINST STREET ACCIDENTS

Several military trucks were set on fire and damaged by a crowd in Chittaranjan Avenue, North Calcutta, in the morning of the 22nd March last, following an accident in which seven-year-old boy was run over by a lorry and killed.

A Bengal Government *Press Note* stated that prompt and effective measures taken by the military authorities had resulted in the tracing of the driver of the vehicle said to have been involved in the fatal accident and that steps were already being taken for proper investigation into the case.

If a charge against the driver was established he would be duly prosecuted.

"Government desire to make it clear that both they and the military authorities will take every step to fix responsibility for accidents of this nature, and give an assurance that in every case where, after due investigation, it is found that there is reason to belive that the driver, civilian or military, of any vehicle involved is criminally liable, prompt steps will be taken to bring the offender to trial in the proper manner.

"Government make it equally clear that they cannot tolerate senseless and unlawful acts of damage or destruction to other vehicles by irresponsible crowds and cannot permit "mob law" to take the place of established law."

DISTURBANCES IN CALCUTTA ELECTION

One man was killed and over 150 injured on Sunday, the 24th March, in clashes during the polling for the election of two members from the labour constituencies of Calcutta and Howrah. Of the injured 65 were admitted to hospital. As a result of the disturbances many voters failed to exercise their franchise. Armed police vans patrolled the localities in which polling booths had been set up.

About 20 persons were injured in stray cases of assault and minor disturbances in different parts of Calcutta and suburbs on Monday, the 25th March, in connection with the Bengal Assembly Election.

Tension prevailed throughout the days in Bowbazar area where three persons were assaulted on Bowbazar Street near the hospital and office of the Communist party.

Five persons were injured in a scuffle between two parties of workers of the Oriental Gas Company.

In Tangra Road area (Entally) stones were thrown at a workshop and disturbances lasted for some time. The police arrested one person from the crowd.

Stones were thrown on a house in Shampukur area. Several persons were also assaulted in front of a Cinema house in North Calcutta.

SOME OF THOSE ELECTED

Mr. H. K. Basu and Prof. J. C. Ghose, Congress candidates, have been declared elected to the Bengal Assembly from Calcutta North and Calcutta East General Constituencies, respectively.

Mr. Basantalal Murarka and Mr. Iswardas Jalan, Congress candidates from the Calcutta Central and Calcutta West constituencies respectively have also been declared elected.

Mr. Satish Chandra Bose and Mr. J. C. Gupta, Congress nominees, have been declared elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly from Calcutta South General and Calcutta South Central General constituencies respectively.

Dr. Suresh Chandra Banerji, Congress candidate from Calcutta and Suburbs (Registered Factories) constituency, has been declared elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly.

Mrs. Bina Das (Congress nominee) has been declared elected from the Calcutta General Women Constituency.

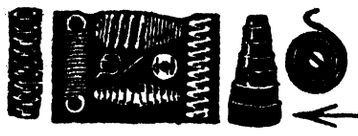
Mr. Daniel Gomes has been declared elected to Bengal Assembly from Calcutta-cum-Presidency Division Indian-Christian Constituency.

GERMANS APPLY FOR CZECH CITIZENSHIP

More than 10,000 Germans have applied for Czech citizenship in Prague alone and each claim has to be investigated separately. This is the main factor delaying the transfer of 15,000 Prague Germans back to Germany.

T. V. A. ENGINEERS IN INDIA

Messrs. Ross M. Riegel and Fred C. Schlemmer, two leading engineers from the Tennessee Valley Authority, have arrived in India on a mission to advise on the plans being made by the Central Technical Power Board for the Maithon, Aiyar and Panchet Hill projects. These are the first three of the dam sites in the Damodar Project for which outline designs and detailed estimates are being prepared at the present time.


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CORPORATION NOTICES

Drainage Department

To All P. I. Contractors,
District III and Dhappa.

Re. repairs to Platform adjacent to 'B' pump unit in the old D. W. F. pump house at Palmer's Bridge Pumping Station.

Dear Sirs,

Please submit your tender in the prescribed tender form for the petty improvement works of the Corporation for the above work, the details of which can be obtained from the department.

The tender in a sealed cover, endorsed as above, will be received by me on the 8th April, 1946 at 12 noon.

The work is to be completed within 30 days from the date of order to take up the work in hand.

N. R. DAS,
Executive Engineer, Drainage.

Central Municipal Office,
The 26th March, 1946.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Mr. Badal Kumar Ghose for the registration of his name as the sole occupier of Stall No. 117 in Block E (new) in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market to the exclusion and in place of the name of Mr. B. K. Ghose, the recorded occupier of the above stall.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P. C. BHATTACHARJI,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market,
The 27th March, 1946.

S. S. Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern that an application has been received from Sk. Abdul Majid, the recorded occupier of Stall No. 9 in the North Range in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market, for permission to change the nature of business carried on in the above stall from Miscellaneous goods to Chappals.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette.*

P. C. BHATTACHARJI,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market,
The 25th March, 1946.

VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 30th March, 1946.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN AND SUBURBS).

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 711 against 678 and 667 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 264 The general death-rate of the week was 14.65 per mile.

Town (*Wards* 1—27).

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 30th March, 1946, was 596 against 590 and 567 in the two preceding weeks. There were 36 deaths from cholera against 40 and 34 in the two preceding weeks. There were 3 deaths from small-pox during the week against 2 in the previous week. There were nil deaths from influenza against nil in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 62 and 83 respectively against 64 and 72 in the preceding week The general death-rate of the week was 14.02 per mille per annum.

There were 19 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death rate of the Town was 13.57.

There were 118 deaths from respiratory diseases against 96 in the previous week.

There were 36 deaths from tuberculosis against 54 in the previous week.

Suburbs (*Wards* 28—32).

The number of deaths registered was 115 against 88 and 100 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 8 were from cholera, 1 from small-pox, nil from influenza, 17 from fevers, 17 from bowel-complaints and 23 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 19.10 per mille.

There were nil imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate was nil.

There were 8 deaths from tuberculosis against 10 in the previous week.

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PARK CIRCUS MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				
A—8	0 8 0	Do.	—	—	—

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—8 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes.
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

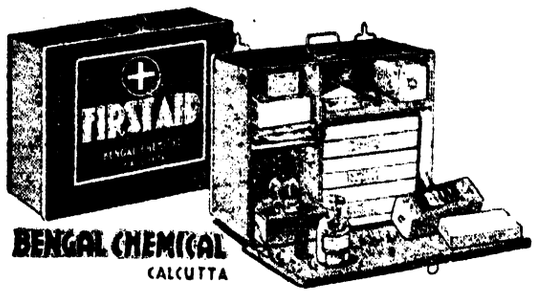
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)								
*,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 3 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 3 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7*	1 10 0	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a white arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 500 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhanguar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs		1 14 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 6 0	
Garlic ,,	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer	0 4 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Rauchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 3 0	
*Turnip	0 3 0	0 d0 0
*Carrot	0 - 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 12 to 20	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,,		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	(Con.)
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 1 6	(Contd
Sugar ,,	0 8 0 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
,, (Sugarcandy) ,,	0 12 0 (Ration	Shop)
Suji	0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 7 6	0 8 0
Bhanga ,, ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Khasarse ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai ,,	0 6 6	
Biuli ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 9 0
,, (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled)	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal ,,		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted peer seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Saddle ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0		

MUTTON.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Chops per seer ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Breast ,, ...	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	4 0 0	4 8 0		
Leg per sr. ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	4 0 0	4 12 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0
Lunchoon Sausage per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 4 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — —	3 0 0	4 4 0

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ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Capon ,, ...	6 0 0	10 0 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 4 0	4 0 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 4 0	2 10 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 4 0	4 0 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 0 0	3 8 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	20 0 0	25 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ..	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	2 8 0	3 0 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Portridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cook) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. (Lucknow) ...	0 10 0	0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,		
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Country each	0 10 0	0 14 0
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 0	
Lettuce each ...	0 2	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 5 6	0 7 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 10 0	0 11 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ..	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
Do. Simla ,, ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,, ..	0 7 0	0 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Old) Nainital ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 3 6	0 4 6
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbul (Patal) per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle		
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Squash per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato per seer ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 8 0	0 10 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red ,, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tarai per seer —		
Kankrole per seer —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 8 0	3 0 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	3 8 0	0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	4 8 0	5 8 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	3 4 0	3 8 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	10 0 0	12 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer		
Musk Melon per seer ...		
Musk Melon ,, (Lucknow)		
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...	2 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 4—	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 10—14 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 14—16	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,,		
Do. Ceylon ,,		
Do. Madras ,,	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,,		
Plantain Champa Bunch	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban ,,	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritasagar ,,	1 8 0	2 4 0
Do. Kabul ,,	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya Jasore each	0 12 0	2 0 0
Do. Country ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul)	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Country per score		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country)	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb.		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do.		
Do. Delmonta do.		
Calasia do.		
Pears (Kulu) per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb.		
Do. Peshwar per doz.		
Do. Australian per lb.		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Cashmere	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb.	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Punjab ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score	2 0 0	3 0 0
Sofata 10—12	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz.		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer	0 8 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each		
Do. Kabul	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,,		
Do. Bhagalpur each		
Water fruit per seer		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb.	8 0 0	9 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet		
Almond Salted (large) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb.	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb.	2 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb.		
Almond Salted (small) per lb.		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb.	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb.	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet	3 8 0	
Chestnut per lb.		
Dates Arab per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb.		
Khurma per seer	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb.		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb.		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb.	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb.		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet		
Do. (red) per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. pecket	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet		
Do. American 1 lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet		
Do. (Sankist) per lb.		
Cake Raisin per lb.	0 10 0	0 12 0

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato—		
„ 13	„ 7 „	Do.	*9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
E. 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,,	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb.	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay ,,		2 8 0
Dinapur ,,		
Butter for cake per seer		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer		
Butter Ghee per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,,	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer	2 8 0	3 4 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,,	3 8 0	4 4 0
Do. (salt-water) ,,	3 4 0	3 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,,	4 12 0	5 12 0
Cutla per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Rohi per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Haddock (whole)	2 4 0	2 12 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab per lot of 4	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Mullet per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Butter fish per seer	3 8 0	4 8 0
Pomfret per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Prawns per seer (small)	3 4 0	4 0 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer	2 4 0	3 0 0
Do. (Large)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sea fish	3 0 0	3 4 0
Other fish	4 8 0	4 12 0
Rock Salmon (whole)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (fillet)	1 8 0	1 12 0
Mackerel	0 12 0	1 4 0
Gajal (Entire)	2 8 0	2 12 0
Shrimp per seer		
Ladies finger		
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,,	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb.	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,,	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland ,,		
Do. Cheddara (craft)	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unmixed. ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cream per lb.		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb.	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer		Control Price
Country flour per seer		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 0
Do. White per seer		
Do. Red ,, ,,		
Wheat ,, ,,		0 5 0
Wholemeal (Flour) ,,		0 5 6
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail)		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail)		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer	0 6 0	
coarse per md.		
Do. per seer	0 4 0	
Banktoolai manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md.		
Do. per seer		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,,		
Kamini rice ,,		
Palmal (table) per seer		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best)		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 3 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer		0 12 0
Arahar ,,		0 8 0
Chola ,,		0 13 0
Khari Masoor ,,		0 10 0
Khasari ,,		0 12 0
Mung (Bhaja) ,,		0 8 0
*Salt		
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin		
2 lb. ,,	2 2 0	
6 lb. ,,	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer	1 1 6	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,,		
*Mustard Oil (Mill)	1 1 6	
,, ,, Ag. Mark	1 2 0	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches:—		
40 stick each box	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,,	0 0 6	
90 ,, ,,	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md.	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md.		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 8 0
Haldi ,,	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 6
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb.	2 8 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb.	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet		
Milk Chocolates slab		
Assorted Chocolates per lb.		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb.	0 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins		
,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb.	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo		
Assorted Creams		
Golden Puffs		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin		
Nice 2 lb. tin		
Petit Beurre tin		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese		
Gem		
Gem Iced		
Ginger Nut 2 lb.		
Ko-Nut (Reg.)		
Marie		
Milk		
Mixed (Household)		
Nice		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 8	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 8
Petit Beurre —	0 12 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 8	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 8	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 8
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...		
Deroemke per packet ...	0 2 0	
Salsor per pkt. ...		0 4 0
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Draven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchill Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ —		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ ...		
Nutmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 2 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 8 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 6
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 6
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	2 4 0	3 15 6
*Elerman's Embrocation.	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 6
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator ½ Oz. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Oz. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Oz. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Oz. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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			Provision	8 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—3	0 3 6 „	To be approved

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Kora)		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chinisakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dadkhani		
Deshi Boiled		
Dudhkalma		
Control (Medium)		
,, (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL.		
Gram (Patna) whole		
Gram (Dal)		0 8 0
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,,		
Pabna ,,		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		5 0 0
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,,		0 5 0
Suji		
Gur (Beli) (control)		0 5 6
,, Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Mamita	0 4	0 5 0
Potato (New)	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal		
Brinjal	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 6 0	1 8 0
Prawns		
Parsey		
Bagda		
Bhetki		
Orab per pair	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer		
Ranchi ,,		6 0 0
Sree (Mark)		
Khurja (controlled)	4 0 0	4 14 0
Bhaduwa do.	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
Do. (Bata)		
Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
Atta		0 5 0
Do. B		
Gur (Beli)		0 5 6
Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer		4 0 0
Milk		0 10 0
Cows' Head		
Condensed Milk		
Milk Maid		
OIL.		
Mustard Oil per seer	Contld.	1 2 6
Cocoanut Oil		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer		
Alubokra per seer		2 0 0
Oranges 16—20	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,,		10 0 0
Dates Arab	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer		
Naspati		
Mango		
,, (Langra)		
Pomegranate per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer	1 4 0	
Potatoes New	0 3 0	0 4 0
Potatoes (Mamita)	0 4 0	0 5 0
Brinjal	0 3 6	0 4 0
Ginger	0 3 0	
Onion	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cauliflower each		
Cabbage per seer	0 2 0	0 2 6
FISH		
Parsey per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pona ,,	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,,	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda ,,	2 8 0	
Bhetki ,,	2 4 0	2 8 0
Orab (each)	0 12 0	0 14 0
Koi per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa Fish	1 4 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do.		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin		
Cocoa Hornby		
Coffee Polson's lb.		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb.	0 12 0	
H. & P. Do.		
Household per tin		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
Rice		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin.		
Pearl Barley (C. B.)		
Sago (Pearl)		
Quaker's Oats		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each		
Jam		
Jelly		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin)	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
[illegible] Brand tin		
Do. per bottle		
Do. ,, jar		
Do. per bottle		

[illegible] A. S.—Rice may according to supplies.

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 27th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ —		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country — —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Dist per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...	1 0	0 2 0
Sit per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Alubokhara per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „ ...	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Coconut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	2 0
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Kharma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Muzafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul „ „ —		
Golapjam —		
Panital per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shauk Alu per seer —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeda 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Sandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara ...		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kaliout —		
Do. Fazli		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh ...		
Kharbuza per seer ...		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	2 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Masafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) ...		
Do. (large) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda —	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A.P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 3 6	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin —		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 26th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pomfret per seer	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)		
Silong	2 4 0	2 8 0
Lobster	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bagda	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhangnar	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey	1 12 0	2 0 0
Crab each	0 1 6	0 2 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer	—	2 8 0
Mutton ,,	—	2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score	1 8 0	1 12 0
Fowl's eggs	1 8 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cucumber per score	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer		0 8 0
Garlic ,,		0 12 0
Green Chilly	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,,		0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling)	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital)		0 6 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score		
Squash per seer		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4		
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score		
Orange		
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer		
Apples		
Green Cocoanut	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa		
Do. Sree		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do.	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do.	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A"	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B"	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C"	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed)	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled)	0 3 6	
Tea per lb.	1 8 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Mascor ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga		
Khasaree	0 6 0	
Kalai ,,	0 7 0	
Biuli ,,		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md.		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,,	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 26th March, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangnar	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each)	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,,	3 0 0	
Suet	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each	1 8 0	2 8 0
Chicken each	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon		
Duck's Eggs per score	1 8 0	1 10 0
Fowl's Eggs ,,	1 8 0	1 10 0
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled)	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflower (English)	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	0 6 0	
,, (Lahore) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score	1 12 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,,	0 3 0	0 5 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,,		
Raddish ,,	0 3 0	
Squash ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer		Contd.
Do. (Country)	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer		
Alubokra ,,		
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Beal each	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,,		
Lime per score	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,,	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer	0 2 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Madhwa per seer		
Do. Khadwa ,,		
Do. Sree ,,	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 8 0	
Milk (Cow's) per seer	0 12 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer	0 5 0	
Wheat ,,	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Do. (Atap) ,,		
Rangoon per seer		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md.		
Deshi (Boiled) per md.		
Golap Sorn		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb.	1 8 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 3 6	
Khesri Mascor ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,,	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Bona) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,,		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin.	1 4 0	
Do. Purity ½ lb. tin.	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley		
Jelly	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
Gurd per md.	1 5 0	

PRICES IN THE RETAIL MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1926.

ARTICLES.	From	To
MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	3 0 0	3 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Rona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Hilsa	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Mainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		3 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbusa ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 8 0	
Papaya each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Pineapple ,,	0 3 0	0 8 0
Plums per score	0 4 0	0 12 0
Raisins	0 2 0	0 6 0
Rosseberry per score	2 8 0	3 0 0
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Gelap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Kashia Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prase S. W. per seer		
Garda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD.		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manjee) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 3 0
Bhanga		0 3 0
Khasarse ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 0 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily.	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
18-20	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	22B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
23A	0 4 0 ,,		23-25 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
24 Chandney	0 3 0 ,,		26 ,,	0 2 0 ,,	
25 ,,	0 3 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
26 ,,	0 3 0 ,,				
27 ,,					
28	0 5 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART [illegible] MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 39C	0 10 0	Do.
" 49	0 6 0	Fresh Fruits.
" 55	0 6 0	Do.
" 56	0 6 0	Do.
Covenant Range 16	2 4 0	Covenant.
" 25	2 4 0	Do.
" 26	2 4 0	Do.
" 61	2 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
" 30—32	0 12 0	Plantain.
		Do.
" 31	0 4 0	Do
" 39—40	1 0 0	Do
" 41—42	1 10 0	Do.
West Range (New) 2	3 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 23	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 26	24 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 27	25 0 0	Do.
" 28	25 0 0	Do.
" 29	20 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 52	25 0 0	
" 53	43 0 0	
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	28 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	25 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	20 0 0	Do.
" 53	20 0 0	Do.
" 54	20 0 0	Do.
" 58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
" 25-26	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 30-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-52	1 8 0	Do.
" 53-54	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	1 8 0	Do.
" 115-120		
" 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	2 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 121-124	1 4 0	Do.
" 125-128	1 4 0	Do.
" 129-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-158	1 14 0	Do.
" 159-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-180	1 4 0	Do.
" 181-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-184	0 10 0	Do.
" 185-186	0 10 0	Do
" 191-192	1 4 0	Do.
" 193-194	1 1 0	Do.
" 199-200	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-204	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-212	1 4 0	Do.

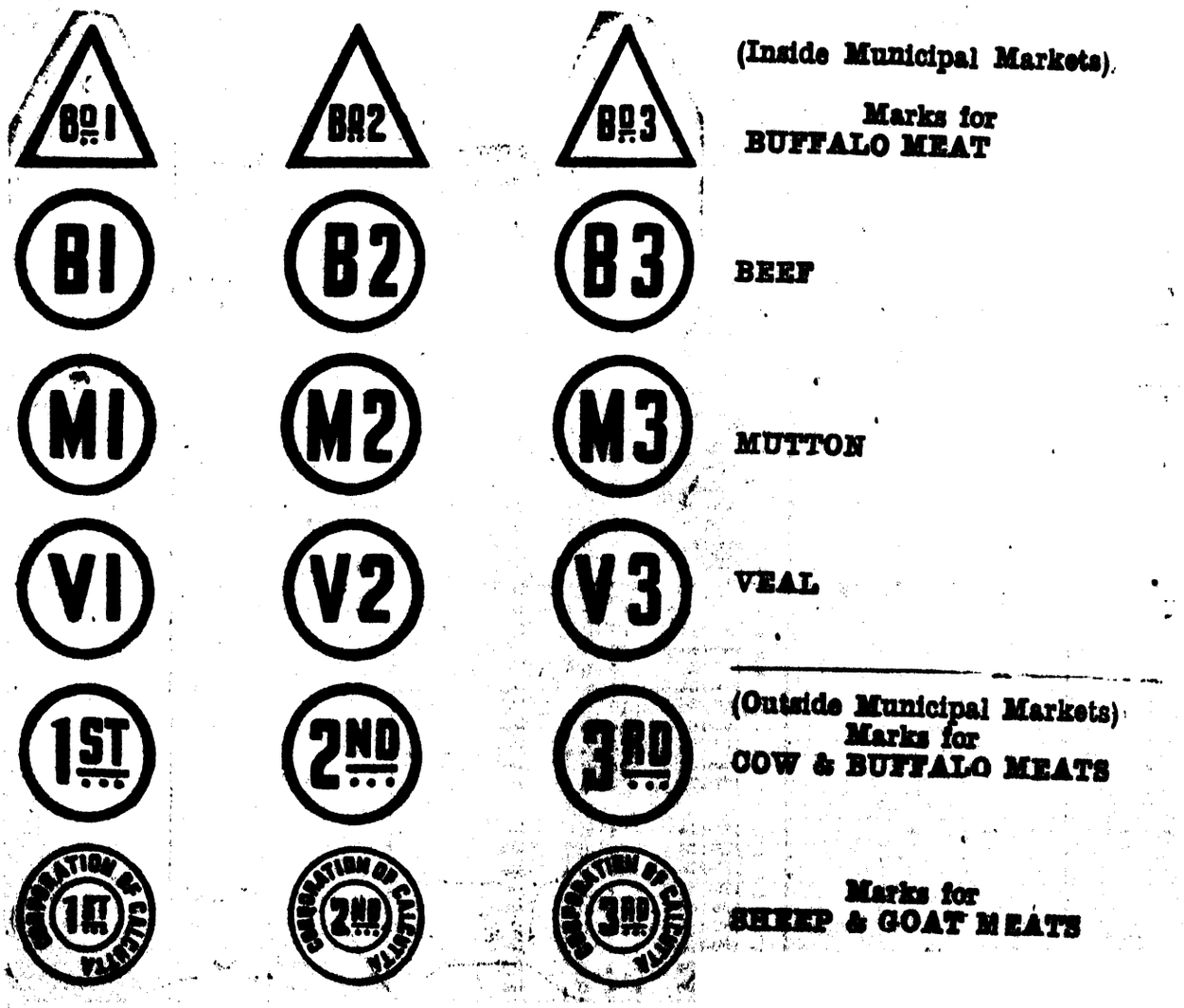
Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg " 4	0 8 0	Egg
" " 9	0 8 0	Do
" " 10	0 8 0	Do
" " 18	0 8 0	Do
" " 19	0 8 0	Do
" " 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
" " 35	0 4 0	Do
" 40—42 each	0 8 0	Do
F. E. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
	27 4 0	
N. 38	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
" 57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72—73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet " 3 & 6	0 4 0	Suet
"	0 8 0	Do
" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Betel

RETAIL MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily, between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables.
						30 „	0 3 0	„
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do	9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	„			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	„	15 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	„	16 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	„	50 „	0 4 0	Potato.
			20 W. B.	1 0 0	„	64 „	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	21 W. B.	1 0 0	„	65 „	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	„	22 W. B.	0 15 0	„	68 „	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	„	23 W. B.	0 15 0	„	69 „	0 4 0	„
22 S. B.	0 12 0	„	24 W. B.	0 15 0	„	75 „	0 3 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	„	25 W. B.	0 15 0	„	76 „	0 5 0	„
			Chandney			77 „	0 5 0	„
Pork 4	0 9 0	Pork.				78 „	0 4 0	„
„ 5	0 8 0	„	17 „	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 „	0 4 0	„
„ 6	0 8 0	„	18 „	0 7 0	„	80 „	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
„ 7	0 8 0	„						

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ARISTOTLE ON CITY PLANNING

Aristotle writes of city planning in the Fourth Century, B.C. :—

"The arrangement of the private dwellings is thought to be more agreeable and more convenient for general purposes if they are laid out in straight streets, after the modern fashion, that is, the one introduced by Hippodamus, but it is more suitable for security in war if it is on the contrary plan, as cities used to be in ancient times, for that arrangement is difficult for foreign troops to enter and to find their way about in when attacking. Hence it is well to combine the advantages of both plans.. .... and not lay out the whole city in straight streets, but only certain parts and districts, for in this way it will combine security with beauty." (*Politics VII*, 10).

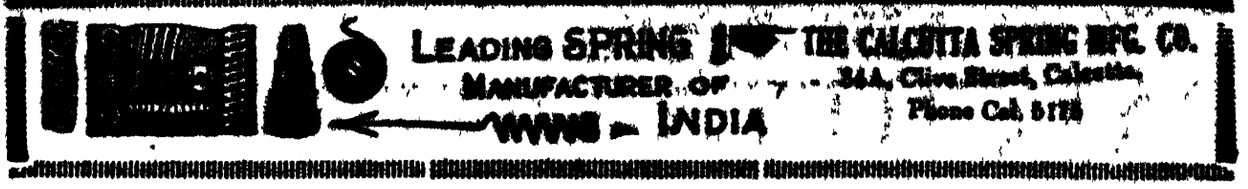
IMPORTANCE OF A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER

The war years have left their mark on Minnesota municipalities—marks not of bombs or plundering armies, but marks of wear and tear and neglect. Buildings and facilities are in need of repair and remodelling. New and larger ones are needed. Motorists are reminded only too often that roads and highways will be ready for a post-war face-lifting job. New health and safety facilities will be needed.

Planning for the future centres around three points (1) getting an overview now of the peculiar problems and needs of the community, (2) working out a sound programme of public works, and (3) determining the best means of financing such a programme.

Perhaps one of the most important figures in all this community appraisal work is the professional engineer. He is far from being the forgotten man, but often he is so taken for granted that the community is unaware of the valuable service he can give both in planning and execution—service that insures the community's getting a good return for its investment. Municipalities now engaged in post-war planning are gaining a new insight into the role of the professional engineer in public works, and it is apparent that they are going to be consulting with him even more in the immediate months to come.

As municipalities are aware, the Minnesota State Registration Law for Architects, Engineers and Land Surveyors prescribes that plans and specifications or engineering of any public work cannot be undertaken



except by an individual registered in accordance with this law. So any expenditures on the part of municipalities for professional engineering services, except as they comply with this law, are illegal.

Professional engineering service is the result of a specific period of specialized training in the basic sciences, plus a broad experience with particular types of construction. This training and experience plus personal judgment, competence and ethics of conduct, make engineering the progressive profession as it is. Therefore, when community, health and safety, as well as the expenditure of public or private funds are involved, it is in the interest of public welfare that engineering designs and supervision be entrusted to men having a first order of competence in their particular field.

In hiring a professional engineer, a municipality gives itself its greatest protection that its designs will be carried out in the safest and most economical manner. The professional engineer is a specialist of the highest order; a man respected in his community for personal integrity, training, ability and loyalty to his clients.

America goes ahead as usual but which way are we thinking?

TRAFFIC SAFETY CONTEST IN AMERICA

For five years, beginning in 1939, Aberdeen had not a single traffic fatality. In peace and in war, it demonstrated convincingly the soundness of its traffic safety programme and proved that, even under the stress of war time conditions, traffic fatalities could be prevented.

In those five years of the National Traffic Safety Contest, Aberdeen won four first places and one second in its population group. And it won its first grand award.

Aberdeen was able to establish this remarkable record only by complete co-operation of all groups of the city, unofficial and official.

Under the direct supervision of the commissioner of public safety, maximum use was made of the war curtailed police force in rigidly enforcing speed laws, obedience to traffic signs and regulations for protection of pedestrians.

Among the largest cities, both Chicago and Cleveland reduced traffic deaths sharply—Chicago by 20.0 and Cleveland by 14.5 per cent.—in the face of aggravated traffic conditions inevitable in two of the nation's greatest wartime production centres.

Cities, which competed in the contest, represented more than 90 per cent. of the urban population of the United States.

Scoring of the contest was based on a maximum score of 100 points. The motor vehicle death rate counted for 30 points, while the remaining possible 70 points were divided among accident reporting systems, traffic engineering and enforcement, child safety programmes, public education and driver licensing.

Such a contest has its undoubted value. But where is the vision in this country to start one? Indian cities may very well take into consideration how Aberdeen could maintain the credit of having no single traffic fatality in the course of long five years.

BENGAL BUDGET

Deficit Of 9¼ Crores

Bengal Government's Budget for 1946-47, as authorised by the Bengal Governor, reveals a deficit of 9 crores and 46 lakhs.

The receipts and expenditure for 1946-47 are placed at Rs. 42,12,54,000 and Rs. 50,55,19,000 respectively as against the revised estimates for the current year (1945-46) at Rs. 38,61,33,000 and Rs. 48,37,15,000.

HOWRAH MUNICIPALITY

Improvement Of The Employees' Wages

At a special general meeting of the Municipal Commissioners of Howrah, presided over by Mr. Saila Kumar Mukherjee, Chairman, resolutions were adopted allowing substantial improvement in the present wages position of the employees of the municipality and admitting for the first time in the history of the municipal administration, the inferior services including conservancy menials to the benefits of the Provident Fund and leave rules.

In presenting the scheme for new scale of pay, Mr. Mukherjee observed that "time-scales" of pay have been given under the scheme to all classes of employees even to those who had all along been working on fixed pays. The most important reform that the new scheme envisaged was the proposal to put the conservancy menials on a permanent footing and on a graded scale of pay. The pre-war scale of pay for 'mehtars' and 'mehtranis' he said, was Rs. 11 and Rs. 10 respectively. They (conservancy menials) would continue, he assured, to get the amount fixed by Government so long as the Government subvention was forthcoming. In the new scheme the scale of pay (basic) will be Rs. 15-1/3-18 and Rs. 13-1/3-16 respectively for the male and female conservancy staff and they will be entitled to 15 days' leave with full pay in a year. The Commissioners, he said, have also recommended that these men should be admitted to the Provident Fund so that at the end of their service they and their families had something to fall back upon.

In return, said Mr. Mukherjee, for all these considerations they had laid down the condition that the staff should work for five hours, as the "privy cleaners" of the Corporation of Calcutta did, attend muster regularly twice daily and must not work in two capacities except as evening-service men.

Continuing Mr. Mukherjee explained that without taking into consideration the sum of Rs. 1,32,000 due to increase in dearness allowance recently sanctioned they were committing themselves to an additional expenditure of Rs. 28,968 plus Rs. 40,000 in the first year of introduction of the scheme and the amount will go on increasing every year by about Rs. 18,000 for sometime until a substantial number of their men had retired from service.

The new scheme, when given effect to would cost the municipality an increase to the extent of Rs. 1,40,000 per annum for the conservancy menials alone over their basic pay and Rs. [illegible] annually for other employees. Besides, the municipality [illegible] annually [illegible] their basic pay [illegible] allowance [illegible]

THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

A SHORT RECORD OF THE MORE IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF AND DISCUSSIONS AT THE CORPORATION MEETING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 29, 1946

Friday: The 29th March, 1946.

Last Meeting Of The Corporation For The Year 1945-46

Out-Going Mayor And Deputy Mayor Felicitated

THE outgoing Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, and the Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shamsul Haque were felicitated at the meeting of the Corporation held on Friday, the 29th March last. This was the last meeting of the Corporation for the financial year 1945-46.

While replying to the felicitations the Mayor suggested that they should keep alive the ideals of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose before them by hanging on one of the walls of the Council Chamber a full-sized portrait of Netaji in military uniform and also by placing a marble statue at one of the important street junctions or at any other conspicuous place.

He thanked the Councillors for the assistance they had rendered him in the discharge of his duties.

He also referred to the co-operation he had received from the Chief Executive Officer and other departmental heads.

Towards the end of the meeting on the 29th March last, which also transacted some usual business Councillors representing the different parties praised the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor for the manner in which they had discharged their duties.

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul said that Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee's tenure of office had been an arduous one and he had, by efficient discharge of his onerous duties, justified their selecting him as the Mayor. To the Deputy Mayor, Councillor Paul said that they all had a sweet relationship with him and he would be very much missed from the chair.

Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, while appreciating the services rendered by the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor also referred to the kind attitude they had always shown towards their employees.

Referring to the Corporation employees' strike in November last Councillor Ray Chaudhuri said that the Mayor had earned the gratitude of the public and the employees of the Corporation for the admirable way in which he had handled a most difficult situation.

Councillor S. Afzal said although Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee belong to a different community having a different following, yet he had conducted himself evenly with justice, equity and confidence. He also paid tributes to the magnanimity of heart of the Mayor.

Councillor Afzal prayed for long life and prosperity of both the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor.

Councillor A. A. Wise, while felicitating the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor, recalled the many difficulties that the Mayor had faced during the year and referred particularly to the steps that he had taken to control the cholera epidemic of 1945.

Councillor Mahati Mohan Basumdar, rising to offer his congratulations to the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor, said that the labour staff of the Corporation had every reason to be grateful to the Mayor for during his term of office they had been given the benefits of salary grades, provident fund and security of service which they had wanted so long.

Councillors M. V. Gough-Govia, Debabrata Mookerjee, Bhabesh Chandra Das, H. K. Ganguli, Gosta Behary Sett, Purnendu Sekhar Basu, Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen and Alderman Mrs. Hemaprova Majumdar also felicitated the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor.

Replying to the felicitations the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee conveyed hearty and sincere thanks to the Councillors and Aldermen for their kind complements. He said that during his tenure of office there was no trouble and he felt no difficulty in securing their sincere co-operation. If there had been any success in the discharge of his duties as the Mayor of this great city it was due to their continued co-operation and help.

> "I have great reverence for Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose as a nation-builder. His ideals should be maintained and kept alive before everyone of us by hanging on the wall a life-size portrait of Netaji in military uniform and a marble statue of the great man should also be set up in some part of the city," he suggested in the course of his speech.

He also expressed hope that the members would all co-operate to translate his suggestion into action.

Continuing the Mayor said that it had often been stated that the Mayor had no administrative power. But he felt that the Mayor did not require more power in order to discharge his duty. For if the Mayor was given administrative power, Mr. Mukherjee added, there was the risk of a deadlock occurring whenever there would be a disagreement between him and the Chief Executive Officer. It was the Chief Executive Officer who should be arm-

ed with more power and be given undivided responsibility. The Mayor stated that he had got full co-operation from the Chief Executive Officer and other departmental heads of the Corporation. One thing that had pained him was that the Chairman of the Budget Special Committee and the members of other Committees complained that the departmental heads did not function properly. But in his opinion, before criticising them the Councillors should look to their duties as members of the Corporation.

Referring to appointments made by the Corporation, he suggested that care should always be taken to see that the heads of departments were provided with the best material and that nothing was done to affect the morale of the services.

He also thanked the Deputy Mayor for his able and helpful assistance and co-operation in times of difficulty.

The meeting terminated with shouts of *Jai-Hind* raised by a number of Councillors.

NOMINATED COUNCILLORS FOR 1946-47

His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has appointed the following gentlemen to be Councillors of the Calcutta Corporation :—

The Chairman of the Calcutta Improvement Trust (Ex-officio),
Mr. B. N. Roy Choudhury,
Mr. Saudur Rahman,
Miss. A. Whitehead,
Mr. Syed Afzal,
Mr. Kamal Krishna Das,
Dr. Biswanath Mondal and
Mr. Haridas Saha.

These Councillors shall hold office upto the 31st March, 1947.

INFLUX OF DESTITUTES

Referring to the influx of destitutes in Calcutta as reported in the newspapers sometime back, Councillor Dr. Sudhir Kumar Basu stated that necessary steps should be taken by the Government immediately.

The Mayor said that he would ask the Chief Executive Officer to bring the matter to the notice of the Government.

MOSQUITO CONTROL DEPARTMENT

Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen drew the attention of the Mayor to a letter appearing in the *'Amrita Bazar Patrika'* dated the 29th March, 1946, regarding the appointment of an outsider without requisite qualification as Entomologist of the Mosquito Control Department laying aside the claims of an employee of that department with full requisite qualification.

Thereupon Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul Chairman of the Services Standing Committee No. I, said that with regard to that report he had made an enquiry into the affair and was in a position to state that as the appointee did not possess the requisite knowledge of Entomology, his appointment had been cancelled and the post had been left vacant.

PERMISSION TO SERVE ON LOCAL BODIES

On the motion of Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Basu, the House permitted the employees of the Corporation to serve as members of the District, Local and Union Boards as also of the Municipalities in which they live.

The relevant resolutions adopted by the Corporation on previous occasions may be given as follows :—

Resolution dated the 28rd September, 1936 :—

(1) That Municipal Officers and Servants be not allowed to seek election or accept nomination to the Legislative Assembly or Council without the previous sanction of the Corporation,

(2) That Municipal Officers and servants be not allowed to make public speeches which may bring about communal tension.

Resolution dated the 14th February, 1938.—

(1) That it be a standing order that no Municipal Officer or employee shall, without obtaining the previous sanction of the Corporation

(a) seek election or nomination to be a member of a District Board, Union Board or other Local Authority;

(b) be a member of the Executive or Managing Committee of any political organisation.

(2) That no Municipal Officer or employee shall take active part in politics or in canvassing for election.

CONTRACTORS' CONSERVANCY LORRIES

The House adopted the report of the Chief Engineer doing away with the contractors' lorries in connection with conservancy service in the city with effect from the 7th March last.

CONDOLENCE

The Corporation condoled the death of Mr. Dhirendra Nath Sen, Head Master, Keshab Academy, due to an accident caused by a military lorry.

The Mayor said that Mr. Sen was run over while waiting for a tramcar near the Park Circus Tram Depot on Thursday night, the 28th March last. The military lorry ran away at a break-neck speed without rendering any help to the victim and could not be traced.

STUDYING WATER-SUPPLY METHODS

Upon the recommendation of the Water Supply Standing Committee the Corporation requested the Chief Executive Officer to write to the Government for granting priority of passage to Mr. P. C. Gupta, Executive Engineer, Water Works for proceeding abroad for studying up-to-date methods in Water Supply in the interest of the public.

At the previous meeting the House had granted him 8 months and 15 days' privilege leave from the 1st April or any subsequent date.

BYE-LAWS FOR THEATRES AND CINEMAS

The House approved the revised Bye-laws for the regulation, inspection and control of theatres, cinemas and other places of public resorts, recreation or amusement framed by the Department under Section 478 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, subject to the following modifications :—

Clause 4, page 11, 3rd line : The word 'permission' be substituted by the word 'intimation.'

Clause 4, *para III*: The whole para be deleted.

Clause 7, *para I*: 4th to 7th lines, beginning with "Notice in writing" and ending with "be obtained beforehand" be deleted.

Clause 7, *para II*, *3rd line*: The figures '150' appearing twice in the line be substituted by the figures '200' in both the places.

Clause 20, *2nd line*: The figure '6' be substituted by figure '5'.

Clause 20, *4th line*: The figure '12' be substituted by figure '10'.

Clause 23, *2nd line*: The figure '6' be substituted by figure '5'.

Clause 23, *5th line*: The figure '8' be substituted by figure '7'.

Clause 28, *para I*: The last portion of the paragraph begining with "The Theatre Inspector" in the 7th line and ending with "the Police" in the 13th line, be deleted.

Clause 28, *para III*: The whole para be deleted.

Clause 30 (*a*), *para II dealing with Water Closets*: In the 4th line the figure '100' be subsituted by the figure '80'.

Clause 41, *2nd line*: The figure '400' be substituted by figure '300'.

Clause 49, *4th line*: The words 'he so desires to occupy a' be substituted by the words 'necessary shall allow him to occupy a special.'

Clause 49, *5th line*: The words 'with a view' be substituted by the words 'in order to enable him.'

Clause 50, *para II*: The whole para be substituted by the following para :—

"*No performance shall be started before 2 p.m., unless the Chief Executive Officer is notified to that effect in advance.*"

Clause 57: The whole clause be deleted.

Clause 59: The whole clause be deleted.

BUSTEE IMPROVEMENT SCHEME No. I.

The House resolved that under Section 44 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, the following representation be made to the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta in respect of the plan of the Bustee Improvement Scheme No. I framed by the Board :—

(1) That Madan Chatterjee Lane from its junction with Maharshi Lane to its junction with Rajendra Mullick Lane which has been proposed to be closed down and included in the lay-out plan, be kept as a roadway and widened to 30 ft.

(2) That sufficient land measuring at least 2 bighas be provided in the scheme for the proposed market, as the land reserved for the purpose is inadequate.

The House also recommended that the proposal for widening Rajendra Mullick Lane to a width of 60 ft. which was pending before the Roads and Bustees Committee, be modified after the above scheme of the Trust was sanctioned by the Government.

Thursday: *The 28th March*, 1946.

CAPITAL GOODS FOR CORPORATION

The Corporation at its meeting held on Thursday, the 28th March last, approved their Chief Engineer's estimate of Rs. 50,00,000 worth of capital goods required by them during the next five years. This is to be forwarded to the Bengal Government in compliance with their request.

The Government of India had recently asked the Provincial Government to ascertain from municipalities and other local bodies in the province their requirements in the way of heavy machinery during the next five years for which the Central Government were prepared to place orders in the United Kingdom against India's sterling in England. The local Government accordingly asked the Corporation to furnish them with an estimate of their requirements.

DISAPPEARANCE OF CONDEMNED BUTTER

The House appointed a Committee of Enquiry to make a sifting enquiry into the disappearance of about 2,000 lbs. of condemned butter (Ghee) which were handed over to the Corporation by the Burma Civil Supplies Department, Calcutta, about a year and a half ago for destruction.

The Committee, which consisted of Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul, A. A. Wise, Mohammad Rafique Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri and Dr. Sudhir Kumar Basu was directed to make its report ready before the first meeting of the House after the Mayoral election.

The Chief Executive Officer in the course of a statement said that about a year and a half ago nearly 14,000 lbs. of condemned butter was handed over to the Corporation by the Administrative Officer, Civil Supplies, Burma, for destruction. About 2,000 lbs. of that quantity was found missing during an inspection of the stock by the then officiating C. E. O. The matter was referred to the Services Committee and appeared in the agenda of the Committee for one or two meetings. Explanation was called from different officers but owing to the leave of absence of the Food Inspector concerned from 17th September, 1945, no finality could be done in the matter. He pleaded that until an explanation of the Food Inspector, who was on leave, was received no final statement could be given.

After prolonged discussion the House appointed the Committee stated above to go into the matter and submit their report.

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OBJECTIONS AGAINST CINEMA HOUSE CONSTRUCTION

The House also directed the same Enquiry Committee to make an enquiry into the construction of a Cinema House at Tarachand Dutt Street as serious objections had been raised by the inhabitants of the locality in Ward No. VIII against its construction.

Making a statement on the matter the C. E. O. stated that the Deputy Executive Officer II had reported that there was no objection and the Police and Fire Brigade also approved of the construction. The Buildings Committee sanctioned the plan and the construction of the Cinema House was taken six months ago and it was now nearing completion.

Councillor Abdus Sattar stated that since objections were not invited from the people of that locality he wondered how the Deputy Executive Officer II could say that there was no objection. Moreover, it appeared that the plan was sanctioned in hot haste *i.e.*, within six days from the receipt of the application.

Councillor Rafique stated that there was a mosque, three schools and one Muslim High School in close proximity of the proposed cinema building.

Thereupon the House appointed the previously elected Committee to go into the matter and directed the Chief Executive Officer to issue order for stopping the construction of the cinema building immediately.

Earlier a demonstration had been staged by a number of Muslim inhabitants of the locality who occupied the visitors gallery and also stood in the Corporation corridor demanding immediate stoppage of the construction of the cinema building.

RELEASE OF GRANTS

The Corporation also ordered for releasing grants to a number of hospitals, dispensaries, educational and charitable institutions etc., for the year 1945-46.

COMMERCIAL MUSEUM

The Corporation appointed Mr. Kali Charan Ghose, Curator, Commercial Museum and Publicity Department, as the Officer-in-charge with effect from the 7th March last.

COUNCILLOR MACKERTICH JOHN RETIRES

The House accepted with regret the resignation tendered by Mr. Mackertich John of his office as a Councillor of the Corporation.

Councillor John was the Deputy Leader of the European Group. In his letter of resignation Councillor John conveyed his heartfelt sympathy for the co-operation that his brother-Councillors had offered him.

MIDWIFERY EXAMINATION

CANDIDATES' SUCCESS

Sm. Bhaktirani Lahiri and Sm. Pritirani Bhattacherji pupil nurses appeared at the midwifery final examination held on 25th March, 1946. Both of them have passed the examination, and Sm. Bhaktirani Lahiri has secured honours.

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General Article

President Truman's Birth-Place

A Typical U. S. Town Described

THE President of the United States, Harry S. Truman, comes from the small American town of Independence, in the west central state of Missouri. Independence is typical of the American small town and yet it has a background, traditions and customs of its own that set it apart slightly from other towns of similar size and characteristics.

It is, for instance, located in the same country with and only a few miles from the thriving industrial and trading centre of Kansas City, Missouri, but it has retained its identity as a separate community. During its early history, it was an important way station on the old Santa Fe and Oregon wagon trails to the West and is rich in lore of the so-called 'border' county, the last frontier between the eastern and western sections of the country. Its Kansas border on the west saw bitter fighting during the war between the states in the 1860's.

Settled in the early 1800's mostly by southern farmers who came in along the Missouri River which bisects the state, the western part of Missouri which includes Independence was and still is the last frontier of the old South as well as the newer West. Immigrants of foreign stock have added a leavening of Old World simplicity and industry, and many sections, settled by farmers from the eartern states of Virginia and Kentucky, have preserved habits of life and conservative thought that are characteristically southern.

Independence is a handsome, historic, prosperous town of some 16,000 residents with many beautiful streets lined with shade trees and flanked by well-tended lawns and parkings. It is cooler in summer than most towns in the section for it is situated on a high ridge between the Big Blue and Little Blue Rivers. Long before its big neighbour Kansas City was even a village, Independence was famous as a starting point of the overland trail to the whole great West.

Characteristic Landmark

The ample Court House Square, a characteristic landmark of many small American towns, is surrounded by business houses, banks, restaurants, office buildings and stores, including the traditional American corner drugstore, popular gathering place of farmers and townspeople alike. Off the square run the wide streets, lined with comfortable frame and stucco homes with their spacious lawns, shrubbery, rose bushes and flower gardens. One of these homes is the 14-room house built more than 80 years ago by Mrs. Truman's grandfather. Here the President and members of his family stay on their visits from the U. S. capital.

The impressive Jackson County Court House in Independence was rebuilt under President Truman's direction in 1933 when he was presiding judge of the county court. The office of county judge is more of an administrative post than a judicial one in many counties in the United States and in that position, the then judge Truman was responsible for local building construction carried out with public funds. Besides supervising the court house construction, he was also in charge of spending substantial amounts for road construction, and the total expenditure in Jackson County under his guidance were estimated at $60,000,000. This county includes Kansas City within its borders and the county seat is divided between it and Independence so that neither has a monopoly.

The town's residents, their lives and everyday activities can be duplicated in hundreds of American communities. Situated on the edge of the Great Plains in a rich farming country, the town's main activity is retail trade with the surrounding rural areas, although it has a few small manufacturing plants. Overshadowed though it is by neighbouring Kansas City, it is still a principal shopping and trading centre as well as one of the certres of county Government for a wide area extending toward the east. Its merchants and storekeepers obtain a large part of their goods from Kansas City for those who prefer to make their purchases in Independence rather than travel to the larger city.

Typical Early Career

Typical of the American small town is the President's early life and career up to the time he became a U. S. Senator from Missouri. Born in the nearby community of Lamar, Missouri, he grew up on the family farm, helped with the heavy farm work and the many small duties incidental to farm operation. He attended high school in Indepedence and followed the young American's ordinary round of jobs, running errands for a drugstore, working for a newspaper and clerking in a bank. He returned to farming after five years and then went to France during the war of 1917-18 with a unit of the Missouri National Guard. He returned from France a captain of artillery.

Because of his small-town background, President Truman perhaps enjoys a closer bond to millions of small-town residents than any of his predecessors for many years. They feel that they know him more intimately, that he is more keenly aware of their problems and more deeply interested in their welfare.

Loyalty to one's traditions and friends is an outstanding trait of American small-town residents. President Truman's friends in former days are his friends to-day. Within the limits of the great responsibilities imposed on him as President, he spends as much time in their company as he can. While they now call him "Mr. President," they still think of him as Harry Truman, a fellow townsman and friend whose success is also their success.—*USIS*.



Dentistry In India

Proposal For Future Improvement

LEGISLATION to make it compulsory for dentists in India to register themselves before setting up practice and to prohibit unregistered persons from starting dental clinics is one of the recommendations made by the Bhore Committee to bring dentistry in this country up to the standard obtaining in western countries.

The Committee was appointed by the Government of India to investigate into the health conditions of the people and suggest improvements. The Committee has already submitted a detailed report suggesting a ten-year scheme extending to 40 years.

To raise this low standard, the Committee recommends the training of 2,500 dentists annually, so that over a period of 30 to 35 years, there will be some 75,000 qualified dentists in India, providing a ratio of one dentist for 5,000 people. In the West, the Committee adds, a basic minimum of one dentist to 3,000 population is not considered sufficient.

To meet the shortage of instructors in dentistry, the Committee recommends the institution of post-graduate dental studies and the encouragement of graduates to proceed to a higher degree of Master of Dental Surgery. As a temporary measure, it is recommended that selected dental graduates should be sent overseas to obtain higher qualifications as well as to pursue training in specialised courses.

In addition, the Committee recommends, as a short term programme, the opening of new dental colleges in Lucknow, Madras and Patna, the affiliation to Universities of the two private colleges—the Calcutta Dental College and the Nair Hospital Dental College of Bombay, and the expansion of the De Montmorency Dental College of Lahore.

The Committee estimates that at present about 60 to 70 persons annually qualify themselves in the country and the total number of qualified dentists, it is estimated, does not exceed a thousand.

NEW MEDICAL COLLEGE FOR CALCUTTA

SCHEME TO BE SUBMITTED

The Government of Bengal have decided to start a temporary Medical College in Calcutta in order to enable the licentiates with war service record to prepare themselves for the M.B. Degree of Calcutta University.

It may be recalled that the Corporation has already welcomed this project of the Government.

The proposed Medical College will be equipped and staffed on the model of the Calcutta Medical College. Dr. B. C. Roy and Dr. Subodh Mitra and the Inspector of Colleges, Calcutta University, will submit a scheme for the approval of the University.

JADABPUR TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL

I. F. A.'s Donation

The Jadavpur Tuberculosis Hospital has received a donation of Rs 10,000 (in addition to Rs. 3,000 previously acknowledged) from the Indian Football Association for the construction of a cottage to be named after the Association.

GOVERNMENT HEALTH PROPAGANDA

The Bengal Health Welfare Committee has granted a donation of Rs. 3,000 by the Government of Bengal for the continuance of health propaganda work in the province by means of exhibitions and health publicity campaigns.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES FOR VILLAGES

The Singur Unit

Over 60,000 villagers in Bengal are learning to look after their health through the Health Unit at Singur, a village about 21 miles from Calcutta, intended to provide the All-India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health with a controlled practice field for the application of results of pure research to the requirements of large units of rural population.

The Health Unit is intended to determine and demonstrate methods of public health administration which can bring essential medical protection to the rural population within the level of expenditure that the country can afford at its present stage of economic development. It also affords participative opportunity for training medical and public health personnel.

The main objectives are directed towards the chief causes of readily controllable excess mortality. Emphasis has accordingly been laid on (a) small-pox immunization and other epidemic control measures: (b) environmental emphasis on water-supply and excreta disposal; (c) maternity and child welfare; and (d) malaria. The other objectives are the minimum school health programme and improvement of vital statistics.

Three local groups—a Unit Public Health Advisory Committee, a Union Health Committee and Village Health Committees—are the channels through which the people themselves organize measures of public health in their villages. There is one village Health Committee for each village or unit of approximately 200 families.

There are 42 primary and 10 schools of other categories in the unit. So far 50 teachers have been trained in school health work, and through these teachers the school health programme of the unit is pushed forward. Training of the primary school teachers was given at Singur in collaboration with the Department of Public Instruction. The school health programme aims at sanitation, health of students and teachers, and health of teaching staff.

Engineering & Architecture

Making Of A Satellite Town

What Comes Of The Improvement Trust's Proposal

SOMETIME ago the Calcutta Improvement Trust submitted to the Government of Bengal the report and plans for the making of a satellite town near Calcutta.

The Government reply (received by the Trust in January last) to the definite proposals put forward by the Trust for providing a solution to the Government long-term proposals for the elimination of bustees in Calcutta has been considered by the Board of the Trust to be unsatisfactory. The Board opines: "Government being aware of the very urgent need for the provision of *pucca* houses for bustee dwellers and the complete absence of any housing scheme sponsored by Government, in the past, it was not understood why the original proposal for rebuilding for 1,00,000 persons initiated by His Excellency the Governor of Bengal (Mr. R. G. Casey) had been whittled down by easy stages to a problematical provision of 10,000."

About its own scheme of rehousing the bustee dwellers the Trust has expressed that "provided cheap and adequate transport facilities are made available to the persons to be rehoused in the scheme, the scheme itself is the only practical solution to the long-term proposals for the elimination of the bustees in Calcutta, since the essential feature of bustee elimination is being provided, *i.e.*, houses to be erected before bustees are demolished and the tenants dehoused."

The Government having objected to the estimates of expenditure involved in the Trust Schemes the Board of the Trust has stressed the fact that "any estimates submitted by the Chief Valuer of the Trust may be taken as correct for the purposes of considering the financial aspects of the scheme." The Board has also said that the full financial implications of the scheme were explained in detail and any proposal for financing the project, should now come from the Government and not the Trust.

The Trust Board while making the following observations to the Government:—

> "(1) They are prepared to undertake the scheme in its entirety and to execute the whole of the work on behalf of Government, on the understanding that the total cost will be borne by Government, who will receive all recoupment from sales of land and other receipts from letting of buildings. On completion the scheme to be handed over to Government for management.
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> "(2) They are willing to consider any proposal that Government may have to make regarding the scheme to be taken up as a C. I. T. improvement-*cum*-housing scheme. They may be agreeable to take up the project as it stands, with a view to implementing the Governor's long-term bustee proposals, but it must be distinctly understood that the number of houses to be erected, would solely depend on the amount of subsidy Government are prepared to advance. The success or otherwise of the scheme, as a rehousing scheme would depend entirely on Government's attitude."

has also added that though on paper the Trust finances appear to be very sound, Government must not lose sight of the fact that no engineering works have been undertaken by the Trust during the four years and the programme now taken up, will absorb all the Trust balances. The new sewer, which must have priority of place in any programme, will absorb over 1 crore of rupees from Dhappa Pumping Station to Ultadanga Main Road and when the Trust takes on Howrah which will certainly be handed to it within the next 12 months, instead of being financially sound its resources will be strained to the limit. "Any extensive building operations undertaken by the Trust," the Board is of opinion, "can only be done if an adequate subsidy is forthcoming."

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

[The Editor does not hold himself responsible for the views expressed by the correspondents]

NETAJI'S PORTRAIT NOWHERE!

To The Editor, "Calcutta Municipal Gazette"

Dear Sir,—I shall deem it a great favour if you would kindly publish the following in your esteemed weekly.

I am an ordinary tax-payer to this Corporation. The other day after paying taxes I entered the Tiffin Room of the Corporation to partake of some sweets. I saw two pictures (Mr. J. C. Mukerjea and Mr. K. P. Chattopadhayaya; *Ex*-Chief Executive Officer and *Ex*-Education Officer respectively) hung on the wall but the portrait of the founder of the Tiffin Room, our revered Netaji Subhas Chandra, was not to be found there. It is rather strange. I should like to draw the attention of the members of the Tiffin Room Committee to this.—Yours etc.

TAX-PAYER.

Kalighat, Calcutta,
The 1st April, 1946.

RATION CUT IN BOMBAY

The weekly ration of sugar in Bombay City and its suburbs has been reduced from 12 oz. to 9 oz from the week commencing the 31st March.

There will be a 25 per cent. reduction in the quantities of sugar allotted to establishments and an equal cut in the quota for the preparation of sweets and confectionery.

A similar reduction will be made in all large cities and towns owing to a fall in the estimated output of sugar in India.

In towns having a population between 50,000 and 100,000 the fortnightly quantum will be reduced from 16 Oz. to 12 oz., and in towns having a population of 25,000 to 50,000 from 12 oz. to 10 oz. No reduction will be made in rationed towns having a population below 25,000, where the quantum will continue to be 8 oz. each fortnight. In non-rationed areas, where the quantum is small, there will be a reduction of 1 lb. a year in the existing quantum.

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

MR. UTTAMCHAND IN CALCUTTA

Mr. Uttamchand, who acted as the host to Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose at Kabul, arrived in Calcutta on the 29th March last. Approached by Press representatives he said that he had come to Calcutta to visit the house of Netaji Bose. He was glad to say that by the grace of God he could serve Netaji for 43 days at Kabul.

Mr. Uttamchand addressed the members of the Bengal Provincial Students' Congress on Monday, the 1st April evening on the terrace of the College Street Market.

Mr. Uttamchand said that it was his good luck that he was in Kabul when Netaji arrived there.

A hearty reception was accorded to Mr. Uttamchand by the citizens of South Calcutta at the residence of Mr. H. K. Das, 3, Pratapaditya Road, on Wednesday afternoon, the 3rd April.

Mr. Uttamchand in course of his neat little speech said that he was glad to find that the spirit of Netaji was predominant in Bengal. Referring to the death news of Netaji he said that he totally disbelieved the first story of his death which was circulated by some news agencies. While he was in jail, he heard another story about Netaji's death, but he could not believe this story also.

POLICE RAID COMMUNIST PARTY HEADQUARTERS

The Special Branch, Calcutta Police, on Thursday, the 4th April, carried on simultaneous raids on the provincial headquarters of the Communist Party of India on Lower Circular Road, the office of the Communist Party organ, *Swadhinata*, the party's branch office in Bowbazar Street, the National Book Agency in College Square and several other establishments connected with the Party. Many copies of the proscribed book "Reminiscences of Chittagong Armoury Raiders" by Kalpana Dutta and its Bengali edition are reported to have been seized along with other documents. No arrest was made.

NEW CORONER APPOINTED

Mr. Sailesh Nath Mukherjee, Hony. Presidency Magistrate, has been appointed by the Governor as Coroner of Calcutta for a period of six months with effect from April 1, 1946, in place of Mr. M. A. Haque, the present Coroner, whose term expired on the 31st March.

It is understood Mr. Haque asked for a renewal of his term, but this was not granted.

GOVERNORS LEAVE FOR DELHI

Their Excellencies the Governors of Bengal, Assam and Orissa left Calcutta in the morning of the 28th April last by air for Delhi to meet the Cabinet Mission.

CRIMES IN CALCUTTA

A bulletin issued by the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, gives the state of crime during the month of February, 1946, as follows :—

70 pick-pocket cases against 100 in January, 1946, were reported, 46 of which were detected.

54 cases of house-breaking by day and 186 by night against 95 and 289 respectively in January, 1946, were reported, of which 54 cases were detected.

The number of thefts by servants dropped to 94 from 121 in January, 1946, 44 of these cases were detected.

Some unidentified cameras, cycles, cycle-frames, motor accessories and clocks have been recovered from the possession of an old offender by the Tollygunge police.

Owners who may be in a position to identify any of this property are invited to call at the Tollygunge Police Station.

RESIGNATIONS FROM I.C.S.

The resignations of three senior members of the Indian Civil Service in Bengal have been notified in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Mr. K. G. Morshed has been permitted to resign from the I.C.S. with effect from December 3, 1945.

The other two who have resigned are Mr. S. N. Modak and Mr. Allan McDonald Clark. Mr. Modak's resignation is effective from December 18, 1945, and that of Mr. Clark from March 4, 1946.

RADIUM FOR CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY

The University of Calcutta is in communication with a New York firm for a plant in which one gram of radium purchased by the University through the Canadian Government at a cost of Rs. 47,000 will be kept and processed for service. The plant will cost Rs. 26,000 including transport charges from U. S. A.

The Government of India have asked the University of Calcutta, it is understood, for an estimate of their scientific and laboratory instruments for post-graduate classes and other affiliated institutions during the next five years.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

Of the 23 unidentified bodies picked up from Calcutta streets during the week ended the 30th March last 5 were stated to have died of starvation. In the preceding week 33 unidentified bodies were removed from the city's streets.

During the week there were 88 attacks and 44 deaths from cholera against 82 and 40, respectively, the week before. During the corresponding weeks last year, attacks from the disease totalled 155 and 228 and deaths 85 and 87.

Attacks and deaths from small-pox were 6 and 4 against 7 and 3 in the preceding week. During the corresponding weeks last year attacks averaged 314 and deaths 235.

Recorded deaths of paupers numbered 99, the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from all causes totalled 711 against 678 the week before. During the corresponding weeks last year there were 975 and 1,042 deaths.

MEDICAL MISSION TO MALAYA

The Congress President, Maulana Azad, accompanied by Dr. B. C. Roy, organiser of the Congress Medical Mission to Malaya, and members of the Mission in Calcutta inspected medical supplies awaiting shipment to Malaya. There were 332 crates weighing altogether 392 maunds. Addressing the gathering, Maulana Azad reminded the Mission that though their duty was to render help to distressed humanity, they should not forget that they were also the ambassadors of a greater mission—the mission of India's sympathy and goodwill to the people of those countries.

Dr. B. C. Roy said that the Mission would set up four stationary centres and two mobile dispensaries, which would move out into the interior. The estimated total expenditure was between Rs. 1,25,000 and Rs. 1,30,000. The mission is expected to be back in July.

CALCUTTA PRESS CLUB

The formal opening ceremony of the Press Club, Calcutta, was held on Sunday, the 31st March, at the Club premises at C-40, College Street Market with Mr. Purna Sen, President of

the Club, in the chair. Besides members of the Club, a large number of journalists and their friends attended the function.

Mr. Sukriti Sen, music director of the Congress Sahitya Sangha, with his troupe, entertained the gathering with songs from *Abhyudaya*.

THE LEAGUE WINS

With the announcement of election results in all the constituencies in Bengal, the Muslim League with 114 seats becomes the largest single party in the Assembly.

PRINCIPALS' CONFERENCE

Mr. P. N. Banerjee, Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University, called a conference of Principals of Calcutta colleges at the Darbhanga Buildings on the 30th March last.

At this conference discussions centered round the question of devising ways for having a closer relationship between the teachers and the taught. The conference also discussed the steps to be taken for ensuring better attendance in colleges and greater co-ordination between the Uivnersity and the colleges as well as improving the condition of the teachers.

It was also decided to call a conference of Principals of colleges in Bengal and Assam affiliated to the University after the holidays. After taking into consideration the views of the educational heads in Bengal and Assam, the Vice-Chancellor. it is understood, will form policy giving effect to the objects of the conference.

NEW VICE-CHANCELLOR FELICITATED

Various problems facing the matriculation students were dealt with by Mr. P. N. Banerjee, Vice-Chancellor of the Calcutta University, while presiding over a meeting held at Arya Samaj Hall on Sunday evening the 31st March, to offer felicitations to matric candidates of this year.

Mr. Banerjee said that the present curriculum of the matriculation examination was unusually heavy. The curriculum should be so shaped as to fit in with the scholars aged 14 or 15 years. The original aim was to give an outline of a general education to the young learners; but now the course was found too heavy for boys or girls of such tender age. Great difficulties are also felt by the teachers in making class routines. The teachers say that three-fourths of the time spent in teaching the matric students was devoted in learning languages—English, Sanskrit, Bengali, etc.

In reply to a request made by a student present, Mr. Banerjee said that there might not be facility for introducing compartmental examination, but steps might be taken for introducing a supplementary matriculation examination as obtaining in some of the universities.

Mr. Banerjee said that he was opposed to making examinations unusually stiff. He was aware of the fact that in this poor country many mothers had to sell their ornaments for bearing the educational expenses of their children and many fathers had to sell their land for giving education to their sons.

Mr. Banerjee appealed for help from the students in doing away with the practice of corruption undertakn by the examinees.

Among others Prof. Khagendra Nath Sen, Prof. R. N Singh, Prof. R. C. Banerjee and Pandit Sibchandra Vidavinode addressed the gathering.

A TRAGIC DEATH

Mr. Dhirendra Nath Sen (45), Assistant Secretary, Navabidhan Brahmo Samaj and Headmaster, Keshab Academy, was knocked down by a military lorry which made its escape in a break-neck speed and succumbed instantaneously on Thursday night, the 4th April, 10 p.m., near Park Circus Tram Depot.

BRITISH INDIAN ASSOCIATION

"India is entering a new phase. In the dawn of this new era landlords must keep themselves ready to offer their services and to make sacrifice, where necessary. Let it not be said that we have failed. Let us prove ourselves worthy of our position and fulfil our task nobly, sinking all differences for the larger interest of the nation."

Thus observed Sir Uday Chand Mahtab, Maharajadhiraj Bahadur of Burdwan, in his presidential address to the 94th annual general meeting of the British Indian Association at the hall of the Association on Thursday evening, the 4th April.

Three resolutions welcoming the Cabinet Mission and wishing its success in its effort to peacefully transfer power to Indians, protesting against the 'drastic' cut in the ration, expressing its concern at the continued deterioration of the cloth situation and protesting against the Bill to impose estate duty were passed.

The following office-bearers were elected: *President.*—Sir Uday Chand Mahtab, *Vice-Presidents.*—Sir B. P. Singh Roy, Sir Abul Halim Ghuznavi, Mr. Sarat Chandra Mitra, Mr. Satish Churn Law, *Hony. Secretary,*—Mr. P. N. Singh Roy and *Hony. Treasurer.*—Mr. Amarendra Narayan Roy.

TAGORE MEMORIAL FUND

Mr. S. C. Majumdar, General Secretary, All-India Rabindranath Memorial Committee has issued the following :—

"The next anniversary of the birthday of Rabindranath Tagore falls on May 6 (Baisakh 25). As the day approaches, we are once more reminded that our obligations to our national Poet still remain unredeemed. We have been able to collect up to March 15, 1946 Rs. 12,19,116-9-10 only for the Fund which was started for the perpetuation of his memory. This amount, however, is quite inadequate to fulfil the objects which the All-India Rabindranath Memorial Committee has in view.

"The amount so far collected has not come up to expectations. It represents mostly small sums—even one or two-anna donations from the poor; response from the wealthier class has not as yet been so encouraging. It would be a matter of profound regret if for lack of funds we fail to accomplish the Memorial in a worthy manner.

"Our aim is to reach the figure of Rs. 25 lakhs by the Poet's next birthday. With the co-operation of everybody we may yet hope to achieve this target. We appeal once more to our countrymen to come forward and help us generously in this great cause.

"All contributions will be thankfully received by the General Secretary, All-India Rabindranath Memorial Committee, 6/3, Dwarkanath Tagore Lane or 1, Burman Street, Calcutta."

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The Rotary Club of Calcutta has sent a further amount of Rs. 1,500 being their collections for the All-India Rabindranath Memorial Fund. The total collections made by the Club for the fund now amount to Rs. 6,887.

MR. HUQ IN HOSPITAL

Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq, *ex*-Premier of Bengal, who was recently elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly from two different constituencies, is now lying ill in the Medical College Hospital.

He has been advised by his doctors to have complete rest for some time and his friends are requested not to disturb him in the hospital.

Mr. Fazlul Huq has invited all the nationalist Muslim candidates in the recent elections, whether they had won or not to an informal conference to be held at Calcutta on the 6th April.

RATION CUT

A further cut in sugar rations in Greater Calcutta and other rationed towns in Bengal has been announced.

From the 8th April the scale of rations will be reduced from 8 oz. (4 chattacks) to 6 oz. (3 chattacks) per head per week.

Manufacturers of drug will, however, be exempted from this cut.

Mr. Kiran Chandra Mitra and Mr. Sibnath Banerji have jointly sent telegram to the Viceroy requesting His Excellency to cancel the order of ration cut or increase the dearness allowance by 25 per cent. to compensate the cut.

The telegram also points out that "about ten lakhs of industrial workers of Howrah, Calcutta and suburbs are greatly agitated over ration cut which is already below living standard."

The telegram concludes by saying that the situation is grave and delay in sympathetically considering it may worsen it.

RATIONING OFFENCES

During the week ending March 2, 1946, 32 prosecutions were launched under the Calcutta Industrial Area Rationing Regulations and the Bengal Essential Foodstuffs Anti-Hoarding Order, 1944. The prosecutions were chiefly for possession of rationed articles in contravention of the Anti-Hoarding Order, but prosecutions were also launched for selling bread otherwise than on bread tickets.

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BENGAL BUDGET

Considerable expenditure on relief and development is a feature of the Bengal Government's budget for 1946-47. There are no new taxes.

The budget provides for an expenditure of Rs. 1 crore for the continuance of emergency medical relief measures and epidemic control, Rs. 70 lakhs for water supply, Rs. 67½ lakhs on national and provincial highways, Rs. 60 lakhs on minor irrigation projects under the rehabilitation programme, Rs. 50 lakhs for the purchase of surplus military stores, Rs. 46 lakhs for the grow more food drive, Rs. 30 lakhs for the reorganisation of the Co-operative Department and Rs. 10 lakhs for the resettlement of demobilised services personnel on agricultural lands. There is a decrease of Rs. 70 lakhs on famine expenditure as a result of gradual improvement in the situation.

A deficit of Rs. 9 crores 46 lakhs is estimated in spite of revenue receipts being about Rs. 7 crores higher than originally estimated. Total receipts are Rs. 41 crores, 18 lakhs 84 thousand and the total expenditure is Rs. 50 crores, 65 lakhs. 19 thousand.

The budget shows a saving of Rs. 1½ crores owing to the winding up of the Civil Defence Services and a large reduction in the strength of the Civic and Home Guards organisation.

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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 6th April, 1946.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN & SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 679 against 711 and 678 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 290. The general death-rate of the week was 13.51 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 6th April, 1946, was 564 against 596 and 590 in the two preceding weeks. There were 39 deaths from cholera against 36 and 40 in the two preceding weeks. There were 3 deaths from small-pox during the week against 3 in the previous week. There were 3 deaths from influenza against nil in the previous week The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 47 and 91 respectively against 62 and 83 in the preceding week The general death-rate of the week was 12 81 per mille per annum.

There were 20 imported deaths Excluding these, the death rate of the Town was 12.36.

There were 91 deaths from respiratory diseases against 118 in the previous week

There were 30 deaths from tuberculosis against 36 in the previous week

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 115 against 115 and 88 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 4 were from cholera, nil from small-pox, nil from influenza, 12 from fevers, 25 from bowel-complaints and 12 from respiratory diseases. The death rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 18.40 per mille.

There were 2 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate was 18.06.

There were 5 deaths from tuberculosis against 8 in the previous week.

DEARNESS ALLOWANCE TO MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

GOVERNMENT TO PAY SUBVENTION

Municipalities and District Boards in Bengal will continue to receive Government subvention to enable them to pay dearness allowance to their employees during the financial year 1946-47 This order takes effect from March 1, 1946.

The sanctioned book strength of full time employees of the Municipalities and District Boards, including temporary hands on March 31, 1946, will be the basis of calculation of the amount of subvention. The scale of dearness allowances will be Rs 5 per mensem for employees drawing less than Rs 35 per mensem and Rs. 10 for those drawing Rs. 35 or more per mensem

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Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
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GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—4 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.			Mudikhana			
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½160-162	0 9 0	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.				,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

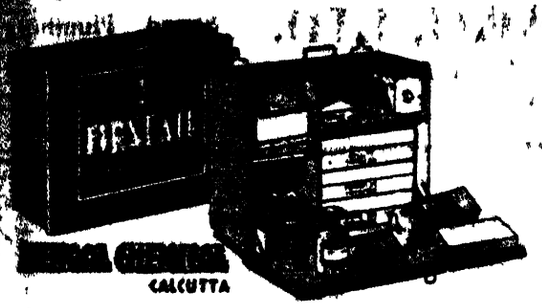
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New) ,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 12 0	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. ¾ Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For this current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a white arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 500 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the coolie.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, Mosquitos, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the license thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vender of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vender punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 8th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 srs.)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Pona per sicr	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 4 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	1 12 0
Baghda	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhangwar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 8 0	1 12 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score		1 14 0
Fowl's eggs		1 14 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beans (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal "	0 4 0	0 8 0
Cabbage (Country) per sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
Cauliflower each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Tomato per seer	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cucumber yam-mama	0 3 0	
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	
Okra "	1 0 0	
Onion "	0 2 0	0 10 0
Onion (Dutty) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
Potato	0 2 0	0 3 0
Potol (Parval)		
Do. (Kantoli)	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pumpkin	0 2 0	0 3 0
Radish	0 2 0	0 3 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 3 0	0 5 0
" (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 8 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Bulati) per score	0 8 0	0 8 0
Badam per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 16 to 20	1 0 0	
Pineapple (Chaugdi) per dozen	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Moricha) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Malkin "		
Ghee Lokhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Brue	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk		
Curd		
Butter milk		
Cream		
Paneer per seer	0 8 0	
Cheese	0 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 3 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 1 6	(Contd.)
Sugar "	0 5 0	
	(Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	
" (Sugarcandy) "	0 12 0	
	Chatian	Shop)
Suji	0 3 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana "	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor "	0 7 0	0 8 0
Bhanga " "	0 8 0	0 8 0
Khesaree "	0 8 0	0 8 0
Kalai "	0 6 0	
Biuli "	0 5 0	
Mung (Hari) (Kancha)	0 8 0	0 0 0
" (Sona) per seer	0 12 0	0 0 0
Mattar "	0 7 0	0 8 0
Salt (Controlled) "	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal "		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. ½ "		
Corn Flower 1 "		
Do. ½ "		
Cheese per lb.	0 12 0	4 0 0
Jelly		

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Rates quoted on the 3rd April, 1946.

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer	2 0 0	3 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,,	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney)	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer				
Do. Melted ,,				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer				
Lump ,,				
Round				
Tongue each				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb.	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (s)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Breast per seer	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Loin ,,	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,,	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Hind-quarter ,,	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Saddle	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Leg per seer	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Other portion per lb.	3 0 0	4 0 0		
MUTTON.	1st Class.		2nd Class.	3rd Class
Chops per seer	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Breast ,,	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Curry Mutton per seer	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Leg per sr.	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Saddle per lb.	3 8 0	4 0 0		
Shoulder per lb	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Kidneys each	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,,	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,,	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters ,,	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb.		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb.	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb.	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb.	3 8 0	3 8 0
Gammon Ham (Sliced) per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100		
Pomfrets per seer		
Bhetkee ,,	4 0 0	5 8 0
Malding ,,		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,,		
Ball shaw per seer		
Papadums per 100	2 0 0	2 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 8 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer	3 0 0	4 4 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—Contd.

ARTICLES	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 2 0	1 4 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Capon ,, ...	5 8 0	6 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 4 0	2 12 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	2 14 0	3 2 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 4 0	3 12 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 2 0	3 8 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	20 0 0	25 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) ...	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 14 0	2 2 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	3 0 0	3 0 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,	0 12 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Pusatad ,,	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Country each		
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 r	
Lettuce each ...	0 2	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 5 6	0 7 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	1 12 0	2 4 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 4 0	3 12 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Do. Delicious per seer.	5 0 0	6 0 0
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 8 0	2 12 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Country Apples ...		
Gousebery per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	8 0 0	10 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Jack Fruit each ...		
Kajoo nuts per lb.	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 8 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	20 0 0	22 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	60 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do. (Allahabad) ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Simla ,, ...	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 4 6	0 5 0
*Do. Shillong (Contl.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Radish English per bundle	0 8 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle		
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 8 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 8 0	0 10 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 6 0	0 9 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red ,, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tarai per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kankrole per seer —		

Do (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Mask Melon per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mask Melon ,, (Lucknow)	0 14 0	1 0 0
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Faslie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...	0 14 0	1 8 0
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfull ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. —		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 2—4	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 6—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 10—12	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lime per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,,		
Do. Ceylon ,,		
Do. Madras ,,	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Comilla ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,,		
Plantain Champa Bunch	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban ,,	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritsagar ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul ,,	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya Jasore each	0 10 0	2 0 0
Do. Country ,,	0 10 0	1 0 0
Plums per lb. (Kabul)	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Country per score		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pomelo each (country)	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pomelo Imphur each	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes French per lb.		
Prunes S. W. per bid (8 lb.)	12 0 0	
Do. Ruby do.		
Do. Delmonte do.		
Raisins do.		
Quince (Kabul) per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Spanish)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Malta 6—4	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb.		
Do. Peshwar per doz.		
Do. Australian per lb.		
Do. (Cooking) 6—4	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Cashmere	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches American dry P. lb.	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Punjab ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score	1 0 0	1 4 0
Sofata 10—12	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score		
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz.		
Surdah Kabul per lb.		
Tamarind per seer	0 8 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each		
Do. Kabul	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,,		
Do. Bhagalpur each		
Water fruit per seer		
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb.	3 0 0	3 0 0
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet		
Almond Salted (large) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb.	3 0 0	3 8 0
Almond Kabul per lb.	3 0 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond (trust (Shelled) per lb.		
Almond Salted (small) per lb.		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 8 0	
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 8 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb.	1 8 0	
Chilgoza per lb.	1 8 0	2 8 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb.	1 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet	2 8 0	
Chestnut per lb.		
Dates Arab per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb.		
Khurma per seer	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb.		0 12 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb.		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb.	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.	6 0 0	6 8 0
Prunes dry per lb.		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet		
Do. (red) per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet		
Do. American 1 lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet		
Do. (Sunkist) per lb.		
Cake Raisin per lb.	0 10 0	0 12 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	An. 8 each	To be approved by the Committee.
,, 13	,, 7 ,,	Do.
E. 6	,, 6 ,,	Do.

Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
Potato— 9, 15* & 18*	An. 4 each	Potato.
† Betel— 5 & 6	... 8	Betel leaves.

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the sellers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the sellers (Betel and Fish) shifted from the fire damaged portion, for [illegible]

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AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb.	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Almond (Big & Small) ,,	2 0 0	3 0 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb.	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay ...		3 8 0
Dinapur ...		
Butter for cake per seer		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer		
Butter Ghee per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee ,,	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb.	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer	2 12 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,,	4 0 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) ,,	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) ,,	5 0 0	6 0 0
Cutla per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Rohi per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut Pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Haddock (whole)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab per lot of 4	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer		
Mullet per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Butter fish per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pomfret per seer	3 8 0	4 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer	3 4 0	4 0 0
Do. (Large)	2 8 0	3 4 0
Lobster	2 4 0	3 0 0
Sea fish	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other fish	3 0 0	3 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole)	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. (fillet)	2 12 0	3 8 0
Mackerel	1 8 0	1 12 0
Gajal (Entire)	0 12 0	1 4 0
Shrimp per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Ladies finger		
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll ,,	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb.	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam ,,	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Queensland ,,		
Do. Cheddars (craft)	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. / Do. assorted, ,,	1 0 0	1 6 0
Cream per lb.	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb.	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer		Control Price
Country flour per seer		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 6
Do. White per seer		
Do. Red ,, ,,		
Wheat ,, ,,		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) ,,		0 6 0
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail)		0 6 6
Rice per seer (retail)		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer	0 6 6	
coarse per md.		
Do. per seer	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md.		
Do. per seer		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) ,,		
Kamini rice ,,		
Palmal (table) per seer		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best)		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 5 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer		
Arahar ,,		0 12 0
Chola ,,		0 8 0
Khari Masoor ,,		0 12 0
Khasari ,,		0 10 0
Mung (Bhaja) ,,		0 12 0
*Salt		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin		
2 lb. ,,	2 2 0	
5 lb. ,,	5 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer	1 5 0	Selling Price
Castor Oil ,,		
*Mustard Oil (Mill)	1 2 0	
,, ,, Ag. Mark	1 2 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (Superior)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (Inferior)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 2 0	
*Matches:—		
40 stick each box	0 0 4½	
50 ,, ,,	0 0 6	
80 ,, ,,	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md.	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md.		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer	1 0 0	1 6 0 to 1 8 0
Halud ,,	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb.	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb.	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet / Milk Chocolates slab		
Assorted Chocolates per lb.		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb.	0 6 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins ,, 2 ,,		
Sweet Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb.	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo		
Assorted Creams		
Golden Puffs		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin		
Nice 2 lb. tin		
Petit Beurre tin		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese		
Gem		
Gem Iced		
Ginger Nut 2 lb.		
Ko-Nut (Reg.)		
Marie		
Milk		
Mixed (Household)		
Nice		

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 6 6	1 12 3
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School —	1 10 6	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ —	1 12 3	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 3	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food —		
Cow & Goat Rusks —		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Skimmed Milk —		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. —		
Horlick's Malted Milk—Powder No. 1 per bot.—		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — —		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 —	0 2 0	
Deresake per packet —		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. —	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	3 0 0
„ (magnum)		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" —		
Do. "Planters" per 50 —	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin —		3 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 —		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar —	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. —	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 8 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. —	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ —		
Ginger „ „ —		
Mixed Spice „ „ —		
„ Herb „ —		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ —		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. —	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. —	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb. packet —	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. —		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. —		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) 1/2 lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin —	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) —	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin —	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin —		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin —		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. —	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle —		
Redgate or Nickson Ham per lb. —		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. —		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin —		
Indian Oats per tin. —		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 8 0
*Chamois Leather large—	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt —		1 0 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm —	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment —	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Kruschen Salt —	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	125 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Nos. 4, 5, 8, 23, and 24	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits & A	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
		Bread—		0 8 0 „	Glass & Bottles.
		Do.—		0 4 0 „	Do. to be approved by the authorities.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
GHEE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 8 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Koraj		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chirkshakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dudkhani		
Deshi Bolloo		
Dudkalma		
Control (Medium)		
,, (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole)		
Gram (Dal)		0 8 0
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Moscor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 3 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,,		
Pabna ,,		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree Mark)		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo)		
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) Control.		0 3 6
Do. (Brown Java)		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,,		0 5 0
Suji		
Gur (Beli) (control)		0 3 6
,, Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potato (New)	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal		
Brinjal	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 2 0	0 3 0
Cabbage each	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger		0 3 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 0 0	1 8 0
Prawns		
Parsey		
Bagda		
Bhetki		
Crab per pair	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 8 0	
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Moscor Dal (Splits)	0 6 0	
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer		6 0 0
Ranchi ,,		
Sree (Mark)		4 14 0
Khurja (controlled)	4 0 0	
Bhaduwa do.	4 0 0	
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)		4 0 0
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata)		
*Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
*Atta ,,		0 5 0
*Do. B ,,		
Gur (Bheli)		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contd.	1 2 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —		
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 16—20 ...	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...		10 0 0
Dates Arab —	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		
Nazpati —		
Mango ...		
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...	1 4 0	
Potatoes New ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Potatoes (Nanita) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Brinjal —	0 3 6	0 4 0
Ginger —	0 3 0	
Onion ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cauliflower each ...		
Cabbage per seer —	0 2 0	0 2 6
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Poma ,,	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,,	1 12 0	2 4 0
Bagda ,, —	2 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	2 4 0	2 8 0
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 2 0
Koi per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhola Fish —	1 4 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Poison's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —		1 0 0
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats —		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 3 0	
Quickwhite (White) ... (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 27th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		2 0 0
Do. 2nd " " —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Duck's per score —	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls " —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	
Ginger "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay "		
Do. Country "	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled)		
Do. Madrasi "		
Do. Gauhati "		
Country	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Disi per seer		
Do. Hilly "		
Cabbage "	0 4 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer		
Do. Darjeeling "	0 10 0	
Do. Delhi "		
Beans "	0 10 0	
Squash "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ata per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—6 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari		
Do. Nainital —		
Alubokhara per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot "	2 0 0	
Batavia each	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghosa "	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab " —	1 8 0	2 0
Do. Bagdad "	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta "		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi "		
Khobani " "	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts "		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100		
Do. Monafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score		
Papaya Country each	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb.		
Jamrul " —		
Golapjam —		
Pantlul per seer		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score		
Shunk Alu per seer —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeta 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra "		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari —		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar —		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore —		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay —		
Pesta Bagdad per seer —		
Do. Multan —	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul —		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches —		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8.0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer —		
Pomegranate per seer —		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer —	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna " —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large —	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando —		
Do. Deshi each —		
Do. Farukabad —		
Do. Quetta —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—6 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled " —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground " —		
Sharifa 6—8 —		
Nona (each) —		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. —		
Bombay " " —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh " " —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore " per seer —	4 0 0	
Dinapur " " —	3 8 0	
Pabna " " —	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga " " —		
Masafferpur, —		
Cow's Ghee —		3 0 0
Do. Milk —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH.		
Bagda per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhetkee per Sr. —	2 0 0	3 8 0
Prawns " —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa " —	0 12 0	1 4 0
Rohi " —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) " —	2 8 0	3 12 0
Small fish " —		1 8 0
Chetal " —		
Crab per pair —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Singhee per seer —	2 4 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) —		
Do. (large) —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda —	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice —		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) " —		
Patnai (Atap) " md. —		
Hilly (old) per md. —		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md. —		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamermoni —		
Balam (old) per md. —		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) —		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund —		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund —		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. —		
Dhaki Chata " —		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse " —		
Medium " —		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer —		
Java " " —		
Cocoanut Oil " —		
Mustard Oil " —		
Salt per seer —		
Flour " —		
Atta " —		
Sujee " —		
Atta fresh per seer —		
Chandausi Atta per md. —		
Til Oil per seer —		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal " —	0 10 0	
Arhar " —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai " —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari " —	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) —		0 8 0
Do. (khari) " —		0 10 0
Mator " —	0 6 0	
Chana Dal " —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture —	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 8 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. —	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust —	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker—		
Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan—		
Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin —		
" " Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin —		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — —	0 3 6	Control-led ab-
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) — —		
Snowflake per tin —		
Soft Coke per md —		1 9 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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PRICES IN THE [illegible] MARKET
Rates quoted on the 28th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pa[illegible] per seer	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces)		
Chingri	2 4 0	2 8 0
Lobster	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bagda	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhangnar	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey	1 12 0	2 0 0
Crab each	0 1 6	0 2 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer	—	2 8 0
Mutton ,,	—	2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score	1 8 0	1 12 0
Fowl's eggs	1 8 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	—	
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
Cauliflower each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cucumber per score	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer		0 8 0
Garlic ,,		0 12 0
Green Chilly	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,,		0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling)	0 3 0	
Potato (Naintal)		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score	—	
Squash per seer	—	
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—6	—	
Grapes	—	
Alubokhora per seer	2 8 0	
Amra (Bolati) per score		
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each	0 1 6	0 2 0
Dates per packet	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score		
Orange ,,		
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 3 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer		
Apples		
Green Cocoanut	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi	—	
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lukhee		
Do. Bhadwa		
Do. Sree		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do.	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do.	0 3 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 3 6	
Wheat	0 3 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A"	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B"	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C"	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed)	1 1 0	
Sugar (Controlled)	0 3 6	
Tea per lb.	1 8 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL		
Arahar per seer	0 3 6	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 3 0	
Masoor ,,	0 3 0	0 12 0
Bhanga		
Khasaree	0 2 0	
Kalai ,,	0 7 6	
Bituli ,,		
Mug (Hari) (Katchi)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 2 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md.	—	
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,,	0 1 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle	—	

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 4th April, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pomfret per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Chingri	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangnar	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each)	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,,	2 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,,	2 0 0	
Suet	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each	1 8 0	2 8 0
Chicken each	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon		
Duck's Eggs per score	1 8 0	
Fowl's Eggs ,,	1 8 0	
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled)	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Cauliflower each	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cucumber per score	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger (Green) per seer	0 12 0	
Onion ,,	1 12 0	2 4 0
Ginger (Dry) ,,		2 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,,	0 3 0	0 5 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,,		
Raddish ,,	0 2 0	
Squash ,,	0 0 0	0 3 0
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 12 0	1 3 0
White ,, ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer		Contd.
Do. (Country) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer		
Alubokra ,,		
Amra (Bolati) per score	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer	0 1 6	0 4 0
Beal each	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer		
Grapes ,,		
Lime per score	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,,	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	4 0 0
[illegible]		
Do. Bhadwa ,,		
Do. Sree ,,	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	4 8 0	
Milk (Cow) ,,		
[illegible]	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. se.	0 3 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer	0 3 0	
Wheat ,,	0 3 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer		
Sankhtuisi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kona) ,,		
Do. (Atap) ,,		
Rangoon per seer		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md.		
Deshi (Boiled) per md.		
Golap Soru		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb.	1 8 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contd.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer	0 3 6	0 10 6
Chana ,,	0 3 0	
Khesri Masoor ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasarie ,,	0 2 0	0 3 6
Kalai ,,	0 3 0	0 7 0
Bituli ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katchi ,,	0 3 0	0 10 0
Do. (Kona) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,,		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 2 0	
Barley Lilly ½ lb. tin.	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin.	1 8 0	
Robinson's Barley		
Jelly	0 14 0	1 0 0
[illegible] oil—Elephant		
Brand per bottle		
Soft coke per md.	1 0 0	

[illegible] IN THE [illegible] MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1928.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Hilsa	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 4 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 2 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Naintal)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 2 8
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 8 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Atubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 2 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		2 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbusa ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martabah) per doz.	0 8 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 0 0	2 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Kashia Bhog 4—6		
Pash 4—6		
Pinas S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Attgarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD.		
Bread 1 lb.	0 3 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 0	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manjo) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 8 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 8	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Matsor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 8
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 [illegible]	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
28-30	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the Authority.	32 Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
32A	0 4 0 ,,		33-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
32A Chandney	0 3 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 3 0 ,,		Stall No. 37	0 2 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
37	0 4 0 Daily				

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Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 90	0 10 0	Do.
Covenant Range 16	0 4 0	Pheasant.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 12 0	Pomfret.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
West Range (New) 8	0 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 25	0 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 26	0 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 27	0 0 0	Do.
" 28	0 0 0	Do.
" 29	0 0 0	Do.
" 40	0 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	0 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 44	0 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	0 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 46	0 0 0	Do.
" 49	0 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	0 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	0 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	0 0 0	Do.
" 53	0 0 0	Do.
" 54	0 0 0	Do.
58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
" 26-28	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 29-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-66	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	2 8 0	Do.
" 115-120	1 4 0	Do.
" 75-78		
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	1 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	0 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 121-124	1 4 0	Do.
" 125-128	1 4 0	Do.
" 129-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-145	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-180	1 4 0	Do.
" 181-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-192	1 4 0	Do.
" 193-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-196	1 4 0	Do.
" 197-198	0 10 0	Do.
" 199-200	0 10 0	Do.
" 201-202	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg 4	0 3 0	Egg
" 9	0 3 0	Do
" 10	0 3 0	Do
" 18	0 3 0	Do
" 19	0 3 0	Do
" 22	0 3 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
"		
"		
"		
" 35	0 4 0	Do
" 40—42	0 3 0 each	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
N. 22	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
" 57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72-73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet		Suet
" 4 & 5	0 4 0	Do
"	0 8 0	Do
" 24 & 25	0 4 0	
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Betel

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Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Contract office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	6 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 2 0	Vegetables.
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.	30 "	0 2 0	"
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A. W. B.	0 12 0	"			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	"			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	"			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	"	15 W. B.	1 0 0	"			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	"	16 W. B.	1 0 0	"	80 "	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	"	64 "	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	"	65 "	0 3 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	"	21 W. B.	1 0 0	"	66 "	0 2 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	"	22 W. B.	0 15 0	"	67 "	0 4 0	"
22 S. B.	0 12 0	"	23 W. B.	0 15 0	"	68 "	0 6 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	"	24 W. B.	0 15 0	"	69 "	0 5 0	"
25 S. B.	0 12 0	"	25 W. B.	0 15 0	"	77 "	0 5 0	"
			Chandney					
Fork 3	0 2 6	Pork.	17 "	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	78 "	0 4 0	"
" 5	0 2 6	"	18 "	0 7 0	"	79 "	0 4 0	"
" 6	0 2 6	"				80 "	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
" 7	0 2 6	"						

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Chronicle & Comment

MR UTTAMCHAND WELCOMED

On Tuesday last the City Fathers offered a reception to Mr. Uttamchand in the Councillors' Club Room. In Urdu he described the incidents in connection with the escape made by Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose from India through Afganisthan, where Mr. Uttamchand entertained Netaji during the days of his stay in disguise in Kabul. He expressed great self-satisfaction to have been able to provide food and shelter to the great son of India.

Mr. Uttamchand was a merchant in Kabul. When the facts about his harbouring Netaji got out, the Afghan Government externed him and seized all his belongings.

What Netaji did will remain as India's memorable heritage for ages to come. He opened a new chapter in India's struggle for independence. And people, like Captains Shah Nawaz, Dhillon, Seghal, and Burhanuddin like Mr. Mr. Uttamchand, Col. Chatterji and thousands of others will go down in history as brave fighters for India's freedom.

SOUTH SUBURBAN MUNICIPALITY

The Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality have decided to introduce Provident Fund benefits for permanent sweepers with effect from the current financial year. A Committee was formed to report on the question of increasing the pay of primary school teachers. The Commissioners also decided to increase the dearness allowance of all employees with immediate effect.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT IN U. P.

Being questioned, whether nomination system would still prevail in the United Provinces so far as Local Self-Government institutions were concerned and if so, whether she contemplated its abolition immediately, Pandit Vijaylaxmi Pandit, Minister-in-charge of Local Self-Government in the United Provinces, replied the other day :—

> "During the last Congress Ministry, a new Local Self-Government Act had been recommended by a Select Committee specially appointed by the Government for this purpose. This Act is very comprehensive and covers a wide field of change which will take a little time to be put into effect. My own opinion is that we should go ahead immediately with such matters as will not create much controversy and bring in the other reforms as opportunity offers. New electoral rolls drawn upon the basis of adult franchise would, I think, be very helpful and solve a major difficulty.

"The Congress Government intends to effect drastic changes in the Local Self-Government as it is one of the nation-building departments. Our changes will begin with the village Panchayat and go right up to functioning of the Board," rightly added Mrs. Pandit.

PLANNING OF SHOPPING AREAS

The use of purchasing power as a yardstick in planning neighbourhood shopping sections is urged in the latest study of the National Committee on Housing in the United States of America.

The study calls attention to the fact that most communities are overzoned and overbuilt as far as neighbourhood stores are concerned and points out that only by advance study and planning may improvements be made in shopping conveniences and physical appearance of communities. Maintenance of real estate values and relief to distressed retail merchants are other problems analyzed. Methods for rectifying existing conditions and planning new neighbourhood shopping areas are outlined.

A foreword by Mrs. Samuel I. Roseman, Chairman of the National Committee on Housing, Inc., points out that while "adequate neighbourhood shopping centres have been recognized as vital to every community, no yardstick has been readily available which would serve as a basis for determining the requirements for such centres."

Marcel A. Villamaeva, A. I. A., planning consultant, who made the study, explains that "every year since 1900 some 250,000 to 450,000 retail businesses have failed and a comparable number of new ones have started apparently unaware of what was going on. There has yet been no indication of a reversal of trend. On the contrary, the postwar period shows signs of stepping up the number of civilians planning to undertake small businesses of their own. In addition some three million veterans are considering such ventures according to reports received from the armed forces."

Planning of neighbourhood shopping centres has not yet been thought of in this country. But the value of such planning, contributing facilities to the public and encouragement to those who are undertaking small businesses of their own, cannot be overestimated.

NOTICE

On account of the "Good Friday" holidays there will be no issue of the "Gazette" for the 20th April next.

The "Market Prices Current" will, however, be published, as usual.

Middles

Influx Of Destitutes In Calcutta

The Mayor Suggests Relief Measures

A WARNING on the growing influx of destitutes from the neighbouring districts into Calcutta and starvation deaths in the city was given by the Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, on Tuesday, the 9th April, in the course of a Press interview.

He said:

"The influx of destitutes into the city seems to be increasing, judging from the numbers of them on the footpaths and those who seek relief from private residences. The Corporation has already drawn the attention of the Government to the situation.

"If the Government does not take prompt measures, it is apprehended that a situation may develop in the city comparable to what prevailed during the last famine in 1943-44.

The position now is not very serious, and if the Government takes steps to stop this influx of destitutes, it can be prevented from endangering the health of the city.

"Steps must be taken to ensure that sufficient food supplies are available in the neighbouring districts, and the Government should also start relief kitchens at the proper time. I quite see that if the kitchens are started now in the city they will encourage destitutes to flock in.

"The Government should watch the situation carefully. The starting of relief measures in the affected districts and on the route to Calcutta seems most essential."

Preventive measures to arrest the flow of destitutes to Calcutta from Howrah and 24-Parganas, whence they have begun to drift in, are on foot, states a *Press Note* issued by the Bengal Government on the 5th April last. It added that Government had under close observation the first signs of the appearance of destitutes in Calcutta and were dealing with this problem.

The following is the full text of the *Press Note*:—

Some alarm has been caused by a statement in the Press that of the 23 unidentified bodies picked up from the Calcutta streets during the week ended March 30, 5 are stated to have died of starvation. This information was not issued by Government and appears to have been the result of considerable misunderstanding.

Of the 23 persons whose bodies are said to have been picked up in the streets, 18 are those of patients without known address who died in hospitals, while the remaining 5 are stated to be bodies disposed of under the orders of the police about which further enquiry is being made. Of the deaths reported as due to starvation, 4 have now been ascertained to be bodies cremated on the certificate of the



hospital a considerable time after death. The actual deaths diagnosed as due to starvation during the week were 2.

Some confusion appears to exist in the mind of the public about casualties in Auxiliary Government Hospitals, which first came into existence as Famine Relief Emergency Hospitals. These have for some time been part of the auxiliary hospital system of Calcutta dealing with all cases commonly treated in hospitals though their returns are still apt to be regarded as an aftermath of famine conditions. Steps will be taken in the future for proper classification of the cause of death in these returns so that the present functions of these hospitals can be better understood.

Government have under close observation the first signs of the appearance of destitutes in Calcutta, and are dealing with this problem on the following lines.

Ample accommodation is available in destitute camps in Calcutta which have been kept in existence since 1943, and steps to remove destitutes from the streets to these camps have been resumed. At the same time, preventive measures are on foot in the two districts from which destitutes have begun to drift in, the 24-Parganas and Howrah, to arrest this flow, both by provision of home relief and employment on relief work in the district at the point where distress originates, and by opening destitute camps to accommodate persons who have left their villages and intercept them, so far as possible, on the way to Calcutta.

The principle followed is that by attacking distress at the spot where it originates rather than waiting till the destitute has found his way into Calcutta, this tendency can be largely neutralised, while the residue of persons who still find their way into the city by rail or road (movement which cannot be entirely stopped) will be accommodated in the destitute camp in Calcutta till they can be repatriated to the districts from which they come.

Dr. M. U. Ahmad, Health Officer, Calcutta Corporation, in the course of a Press interview on the 5th April, said that "incorrect impressions have been created by statements published in the press about the number of deaths of destitutes in Calcutta."

He said he was referring to a recent statement that "56 unidentified bodies were picked up from streets of Calcutta during the fortnight ended March 30."

There were only four deaths for the fortnight in question, the Health Officer said, that may be classified as starvation cases.

Dr. Ahmad explained that "unidentified bodies picked up from streets" did not mean that "these people died in the streets of the city and were picked up as dead bodies from the streets and lanes."

He indicated that these included "paupers," those who had to be cremated at the expense of the Corporation because their relatives are too poor to afford the expenses.

"The number of such persons," Dr. Ahmad said, "whose bodies have to be cremated at Corporation expense increased due to the deterioration in the general economic condition of the poorer sections of the population."

He explained that since April, 1944, persons who have no addresses in the city and are presumably destitutes are classified under the heading "unknown."

He added that "the Government of Bengal has asked the District Magistrate to prevent destitutes from flocking in and around Calcutta and every effort is being made to prevent the repetition of 1943 conditions."

IMMORAL TRAFFIC IN WOMEN

Vigorous Measures For Suppression

The necessity of taking vigorous measures for the suppression of immoral traffic in women was stressed at the annual meeting of the All-Bengal Women's Union held in the Chowringhee branch of the Y. M. C. A., Calcutta, on the 4th April last.

Mr. R. Banerjee, Relief Co-ordination Officer, Bengal Government, referred to rehabilitation schemes including establishment of orphanages, central destitute homes and industrial centres. Effect was being given, he said, to the Land Alienation Act for restoring lands to persons who had sold them during the famine under the stress of poverty.

Dr. Sourin Ghosh, Director of Social Hygiene, Bengal, said that during the last year Calcutta Police had closed about 1,000 brothels and over 50 per cent. of the prostitutes had left the city. Some had gone underground and as a result soliciting had increased. Without depending entirely on the police, social welfare workers should direct their energies to rescuing minor girls.

Mrs. F. Stanley emphasized the need of having women police to prevent traffic in women. She referred to the work being done by moral welfare workers in England who were tackling problems of social welfare.

Mrs. Renuka Roy, who presided, said that it was the duty of the State to look after destitute women, thereby preventing them from leading lives of shame.

The Union's annual report for 1944-45 stated that although most of the brothels in certain areas of Calcutta had been closed, no rescued girls were sent to the Union's home for destitute women and children.

To Reduce Traffic Accidents In Calcutta

Measures Adopted By Military Authorities

A REDUCTION of the maximum speed limits for all military vehicles in Calcutta is among several measures that are being enforced by the Sub-Area Commander to reduce traffic accidents in the city, it is learnt from authoritative sources. Henceforth staff cars, station wagons and jeeps will not be permitted to exceed a speed of 25 miles per hour while no other service vehicle may be driven at more than 20 miles per hour.

In order to ensure that only experienced drivers, with a specified minimum efficiency, drive in Calcutta, steps have been taken to re-test immediately all drivers and to see that no one below grade II is allowed to drive in the city.

The certificate "to drive in Calcutta" will be endorsed on the licences of drivers who qualify and the endorsement will be signed by an officer. Wasteful expeditions, which add to the traffic congestion in the city, will be avoided by the issue of work tickets to each driver specifying the exact task he is required to perform.

Supervision Of Driving Men

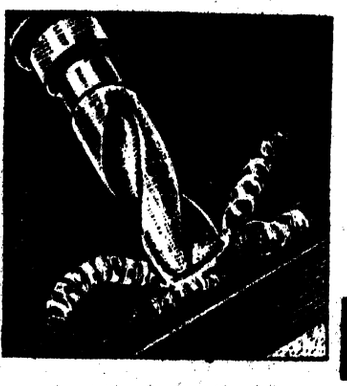
For supervising the driving of the men both officers and non-commissioned officers will be detailed to accompany certain vehicles engaged not only in convoy duties but also plying individually. Surprise checks of military vehicles by a team of mechanics have been arranged to see that no vehicle with any mechanical defects, which are liable to cause accidents, is allowed to go on the road.

All military drivers have been warned that when they are on the road they come under the control of the Civil Police and that if they contravene any of the traffic regulations they will be reported by the Civil Police which may be followed by prosecution in civil courts. Instructions have also been given to officers and non-commissioned officers to stop any military vehicle which they notice being driven dengerously or without sufficient care and to report the driver to the appropriate authority.

Meanwhile, in accordance with existing orders, officers and non-commissioned officers travelling in vehicles carrying loads will continue to carry arms in exercise of their legal rights for the protection of Government property in their charge and also for private defence.

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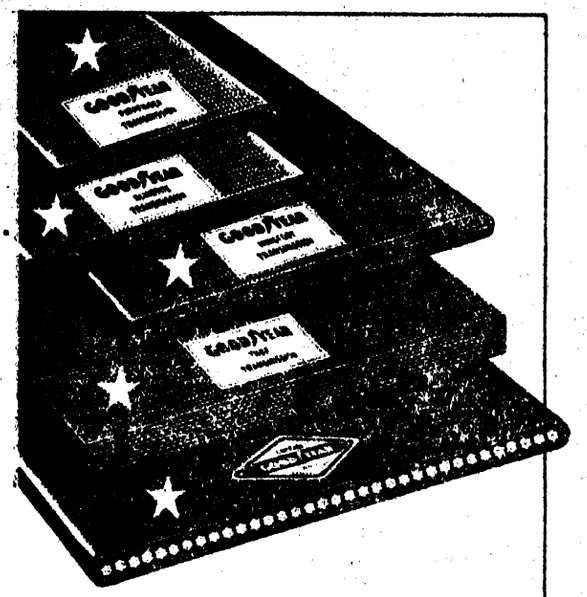
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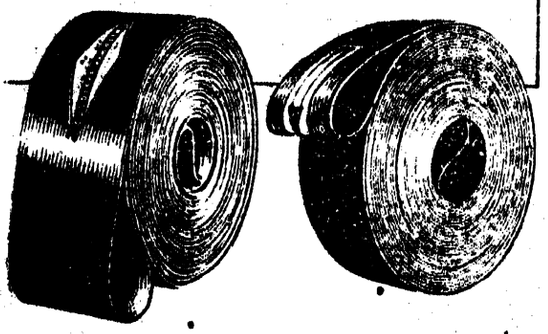
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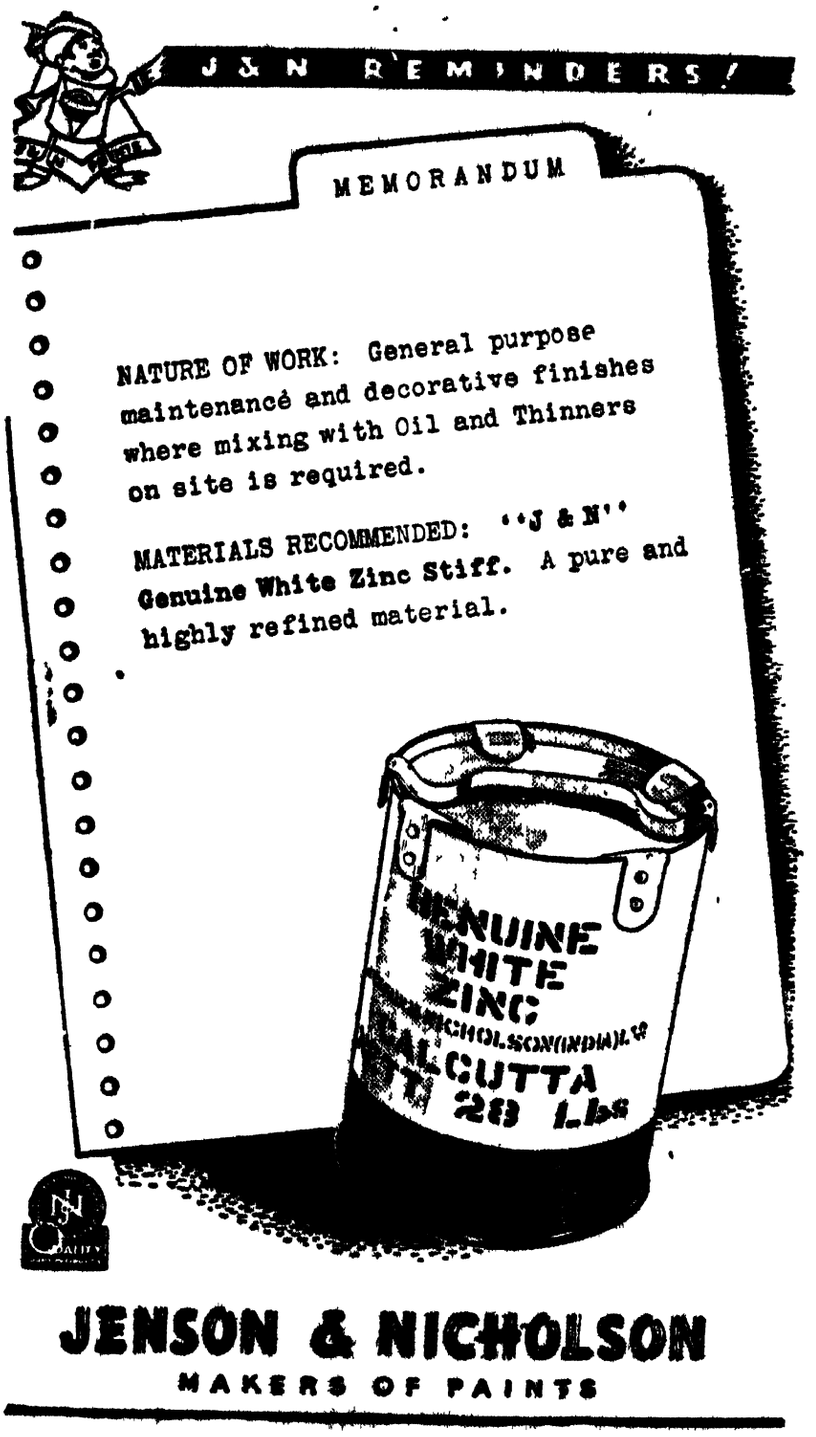
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Sweeper's Strike In Bombay

Congress Municipal Party's Offer

ELEVEN thousand sweepers employed by the Bombay Municipality went on strike since the [illegible] April last.

Two unions representing the sweepers had given a formal notice to the Municipal Commissioner a fortnight ago. They demanded salary increases, permanency of service, leave privileges, additional dearness allowance and a ten per cent. increase in the existing personnel of sweepers to cope with the heavy work entailed by the present abnormal population of the city.

Citizens Clear Rubbish

The Bombay Corporation on Monday, the 8th April, debated the sweepers' strike that continued but did not come to any conclusion. The offer made by the Congress Municipal Party to the menial staff involving an additional expenditure of Rs. 30,00,000 annually, had been summarily rejected by the strike leaders. The appointment of an adjudicator by the Government was suggested by a member of the Corporation as a possible solution.

Due to the sewage compressor stations being abondoned by the workers, sewage water was seen flowing in some of the streets. Citizens and Congress volunteers helped in clearing rubbish and offal dumps.

OFFER OF CONCESSIONS

The Congress Party in the Bombay Municipal Corporation which considered the situation arising out of the strike of sweepers had decided to secure some material concessions to the strikers. These concessions, one of which would, for the first time, introduce graded scales of pay, cost more than Rs. 30 lakhs a year.

The Party considered the letter of the Western India Harijan League, embodying the demands made on behalf of the sweepers. All these demands were very seriously and sympathetically considered and the Party endorsed the assurance given by its Leader Mr. S. K. Patil on the floor of the Corporation that whatever the benefits the Corporation might grant, would come into operation from April 1, 1946. The Party decided to take steps to secure from the Corporation the following benefits to the sweepers and other low paid staff :

Firstly, for the first time in the history of the municipality the introduction of a graded scale of pay Rs. 25-1-35 for low paid staff. For those who have already put in a low-service, accumulated promotion would be given at once on the following basis :—

1 year—one promotion, 3 years—two, 5 years—three, 7 years—four, 10 years—five, 15 years—seven and 20 years ten promotions. The average increase calculated on this basis in the basic salary will be round about Rs. 5.

Secondly, dearness allowance to continue at Rs. 22 per month as at present.

Thirdly, permanency after one year's service.

other benefits are : 15 days' annual leave with pay, 15 days' casual leave with pay, half day off every week, free accommodation wherever possible and room rent at the rate of Rs. 6 per family or Rs. 3 per head of municipal employees where rooms are not available.

Some of the benefits are to be made applicable for all low paid staff drawing up to Rs. 60 per month.

The cumulative expenditure on all these benefits, it was estimated, would be Rs. 30 lakhs a year, besides the following supplementary benefits which would also be available :—

Injury and maternity leave, medical relief, special compassionate allowance and special gratuity.

On the conservancy department alone the municipality would have to spend not less than Rs. 75 lakhs a year.

Mr. S. K. Patil, Leadear of the Congress Municipal Party, communicated the decision of the Party to the Western India Harijan League, with an appeal to the sweepers to resmue work forthwith and not to expose the health of the three million people of the city to the danger of insanitation and possible epidemic.

Dumps of garbage are littered on streets, lanes and pavements of Bombay.

Bombay's non-vegetarian public have to go without meat as the strike also affected the menial staff of the Meat Transport Section of the Conservancy Department.

NEW MAYOR OF BOMBAY

Mr. Mohamedbhoy Rowjee was elected Mayor of the Bombay Municipal Corporation on Monday, the 1st April.

Mr. Rowjee secured 68 votes while Mr. A. H. Mirza and Mr. M. M. Killedar obtained 16 and 8 votes respectively.

Mr. Rowjee was supported by the Congress Party while the other candidates had the support of the Muslim League.

MR. AMAR KRISHNA GHOSH

Returned To Bengal Assembly

Congress candidates, Mr. Amar Krishna Ghosh and Mr. Bimal Kumar Ghosh, have been declared elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly from the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce.

The following are the results :—

1. Mr. Amar Krishna Ghosh (Congress)—204 elected.
2. Mr. Bimal Krishna Ghosh (Congress) 181 elected.



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Mints And Coins

[By B. V. Roy, M.A.]

THE following item of news appeared in the *Calcutta Municipal Gazette* of the 28rd February last :—

"The Government of India, it is learnt, propose to transfer the Lahore Mint back to Calcutta in pursuance of its original scheme to establish a new, uptodate Mint at Alipore (Calcutta) in place of the existing Calcutta Mint".

The proposed new Calcutta Mint will be the third Mint to be established in Calcutta, and I am giving a short account of the two previous Mints, *viz.*, the present Mint in Strand Road and the earlier one, which was the first Mint in Calcutta. I will also deal with the different kinds of coinage minted from time to time.

It was after the defeat of Siraj-ud-dowla at the battle of Plassey, and his death, when Nawab Mir Jafar ascended the *Musnud* of Murshidabad, that permission was for the first time given to the English merchants of the East India Company to establish their own Mint at Calcutta, and issue coinage therefrom. The Order (in Persian) was dated the 28th July, 1757, and under it "the Hight and Mighty, the Bold and Valiant Commanders, the greatest of Merchants, the English Company" were empowered to coin gold and silver into *Siccas* and *Mohurs* of the same weight and standard as those coined in Murshidabad, the then capital of Bengal. The Order was given under the seal of "Fidvee—Allumgueer Badsha Gazee, Siraj-ul-mulk, Hossain-o-dowlah, Meer Mohammed Jaffiar Ally Khawn Bahadeer, Mahabut Jung" or in short, Nawab Mir Jafar.

The "sicca" rupee, it may be explained, was the stndard rupee as coined in Murshidabad. The newly-minted sicca rupee circulated at full value for one year, after which it decreased proportionately in value, until recoined. During the second year of circulation it was called "Hirsun" and thereafter called "Sunott" of "Sonatt'. At the time the English Mint started work, and for a good many years afterwards, there were various different kinds of money in circulation in Bengal. The payment of Government revenue and other dues by such different kinds of coins, naturally caused confusion and loss, and it was found necessary to fix the exchange-value of such different coins in relation to the standard "sicca". It is a curious fact, worthy of note, that even at the end of the 18th Century, Government revenue was being paid in some places in "cowrie" shells, and the following extract from the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 6th October, 1791, is self-explanatory :—

"Notice is hereby given that on or before the 1st November next, sealed proposals of contract for the remittance in Dacca of the courles received on account of the revenues of Sylhet, which may, at the expiration of each month, remain in balance in the Treasury of the Collector to be paid into the Treasury of the Collector of Dacca in silver, will be received at the office of the Secretary to the Board of Revenue. All persons, who may deliver in proposals, are desired to specify the rates per Cowan or Cowans of Courles at which they will engage to make the remittances proposed."

It was in the year 1792, that we find a long Notification issued by the Government relating to the minting of coins, recalling of coins other than siccas, and fixing the exchange value of the different species of coins. The Notification appeared in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st November, 1792, and I am quoting some portions of it :—

"The following Regulations for the conduct of the several Mints having been adopted by the Governor-General in Council, they are now made public, together with the subjoined table of rates of Batta, for general information :—

1st—that after the 30th Cheyte 1200 Bengali style, corresponding with the 10th April, 1794, only the 19th Sun Sicca Rupee be received at the Public Treasuries, or issued therefrom, on any account whatsoever.

2nd—that public notice be given that Government, with a view to enable individuals to get their old coin or bullion converted into Sicca Rupees without delay, have established Mints at Patna, Moorshedabad and Dacca, in addition to the Mint at Calcutta.

3rd—that for all bullion or old coin of sicca standard delivered into the Mint, an equal weight of Sicca Rupees be returned to the proprietor without any charge whatsoever.

4th—that all bullion or old coin under sicca standard delivered into the Mints be refined to the sicca standard, and that a number of Sicca Rupees equal to the weight of the bullion so refined, be returned, after deducting twelve annas per cent. for the charge of refining.

* * *

9th—that as there may not be a sufficient number of Sicca Rupees in circulation in some districts (notwithstanding the great number of this species of Rupees that has lately been coined in the Mints at Dacca and Calcutta), to enable the Landholders to pay their revenues to Government in Sicca Rupees, as stipulated in their engagements for the Decennial Settlement, that the various species of Rupees current in the several districts be received at the Public Treasuries from the Landholders and Farmers in payment of their revenue until the 30th Cheyte, 1200 Bengali style, or 10th April, 1794, at fixed rates of Batta, to be calculated according to the difference of intrinsic value, which the various species of coins in circulation bear to the Sicca Rupee, as ascertained by assay in the Calcutta Mint.

10th—that all Rupees, excepting Siccas, which may be received at the Public Treasuries agreeably to the 9th Article, be not on any account issued therefrom, but that they be sent to the Mints and coined into Sicca of the 19th Sun."

The reader may probably be puzzled at the term "Sun" as used above; it is merely the Bengali term for "year", and "19th Sun Sicca" means the rupees coined in the 19th year, which were to be taken as standard. We also find from the above Notification that other Mints had been established

at Patna, Murshidabad and Dacca by the Company, and that the different kinds of coins were now being recalled, to be melted down and recoined into Siccas, time being allowed for nearly two years. The table of rates of *batta* or discount, as subjoined to the Notification, is given below, showing the various kinds of coins in circulation at the time :—

Species of Rupee	*Intrinsic value compared with the Sicca Rupee.*	Rs.	As.	P.
Siccas of Moorshedabad, Patna and Dacca	100	100	0	0
Pholy Sonats	"	100	0	0
Dilhy Mahomet Shai	"	99	8	0
Money Surat, large	"	99	8	0
Benares Sicca	"	99	8	0
Bissun Arcots	"	97	14	0
Sonats Sabic and Suckie	"	97	8	0
Forshee Arcots	"	97	6	0
French Arcots	"	97	0	0
Patnaa Arcots	"	96	9	0
Aurungzabee Arcots	"	96	9	0
Gursaul	"	96	9	0
Madras Arcots, new	"	96	4	0
Muslipatam and Shardar Arcots ...	"	96	0	0
Patna Sonats, old	"	96	0	0
Benares Rupees, old	"	95	14	0
Madras Arcots, old	"	95	14	0
Furrackabad Rupees	"	95	12	0
Jehanjee Arcots	"	95	11	0
Chunta Arcots	"	95	11	0
Calcutta and Moorshedabad Arcots ...	"	95	6	0
Old Arcots	"	95	3	0
Dutch Arcots	"	95	0	0
Surat Arcots	"	94	0	0
Benares Trisolie	"	92	6	0
Visiarey Rupees	"	63	0	0
Narrany, new	"	63	0	0

Occasionally there was shortage of silver coins, and in 1791 some people of Calcutta had applied to the Superintendant of Police "to compel the shroffs to furnish silver in exchange for gold coin" and to punish them "if they gave less value than the former market price" which was one Arcot and 15 Sicca Rupees for each Gold Mohur. In response to this the Government simply announced, in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st December, 1791, that the "sale of gold and silver coin shall be as free and unrestrained in every respect as the sale of gold and silver bullion". Similarly, at another period, too much gold and silver had been taken in, and a notice appeared in the *Gazette* of the 26th April, 1791, stopping further intake of the precious metals, as follows :—

"This is to give notice that the deliveries of gold and silver bullion at the Mint upon the advertisements of the 1st December, 1790, and 14th January, 1791, having considerably exceeded the abilities of the Mint, the Governor-General in Council is under the necessity of suspending the permission granted by the orders above referred to, until the bullion in the Mint shall have been coined, of which the public will be duly informed.

By order of the Governor-General in Council,

J. L. CHARNEY,

Secretary.

Coming to the Mint now, it was situated to the west of St. John's Church, roughly on the site now occupied by the Stamp and Stationery Office in Church Lane. The first coins struck here were issued on 19th August, 1757, and the Mint continued to function till 1892.

The present Mint, situated on Strand Road, was the second Mint in Calcutta. The building was designed by Major-General Forbes of the Bengal Engineers, on the model of the famous Temple of Minerva at Athens (Greece), the pillared portico being an exact replica in miniature of that famed temple. Its foundation stone was laid on 31st March, 1824, the building being completed and equipped in 1830 at a cost of about 24 lakhs of rupees. It is said that the building having been erected on the reclaimed bank of the river, very secure foundations were necessary, and these were solidly built for an average depth of 25 ft. below the surface-level of Clive Street. The coinage of the East India Company began to be minted here from the year 1835. It may be mentioned that copper coins were first issued from this Mint in 1865, and nickel coins in 1907.

G. B. S. PLANS TO BE A CENTENARIAN

George Bernard Shaw plans to have to be 100—at least he has joined the Centenarian Club without the formality of waiting for one-hundredth year.

The Club is for those of a hundred or those who aspire to be. Shaw, who is in his ninetieth year, has written to the President of the Club explaining his attitude to old age, but would not be drawn on the subject when questioned, reports the "Sunday Dispatch."

When asked if he wanted to live to be a hundred, he answered : "You wait until you are 90 and see how you feel. At my age individuality matters so very little. If you gave me a few years to write an article on this subject, I might do it, though you would find that I have said it all before."

George Bernard Shaw wants doctors in Britain to be "paid an agreed fee for keeping a family well throughout the year." He writes in "*The Times*" :—

"The monstrosity of the present system of private practices in medicine is that it gives doctors a vested interest in disease, which they are defending desperately. We, the victims, support them because we want doctors of our own friendly choice and not strangers planted on us by the state.

"The solution is simple. In Sweden, the most civilised country in Western Europe, a private doctor is paid an agreed fee for keeping a family well throughout the year. He gains nothing and has more to do when there is illness in the family."

Shaw adds : "My Swedish acquaintance has found no difficulty in inducing English doctors to make this arrangement. Why not make it obligatory and abolish payment by the nob ruthlessly?"

SALE NOTICE

Condemned Stores of the Calcutta Corporation will be sold by public auction by Messrs. Mackenzie Lyall and Co. at the Condemned Stores Yard, 149, Lower Circular Road, Entally, at 8-30 a.m. on Saturday, the 27th April, 1946.

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Bridging Up Distances In Post-War Period

Government Of India's National Highways Scheme

The Government of India have, as a part of their post-war planning, formulated a national highways scheme which includes 37 roads proposed to be classified as national highways with a total length of about 18,000 miles of which about 15,000 miles are to be in British India and 3,000 in the States.

The cost of constructing the missing links bridging major rivers and improving the whole system up to modern standards is roughly estimated at Rs. 70 crores in 10 to 15 years and an annual maintenance cost of between two to two-and-a-half crores.

The roads will be developed to uniform traffic-bearing standards but not extravagantly.

Provincial Governments have been informed that subject to vote of the legislature and an agreement reached on conditions set out, the Central Government would accept full liability for completion and maintenance of the national highways with effect from April 1, 1947.

Roads covered by the scheme include, among others, the Grand Trunk Road north, Grand Trunk Road East, Calcutta-Madras Road, Bombay-Calcutta Road, Bihar-North Bengal Highway, Siliguri-Rangpur-Gangtok Road, Calcutta-Comilla Road, Comilla-Sylhet, Shillong-Gauhati Road, etc.

The post-war transport and communications development schemes of the Central Government are estimated to cost about Rs. 477 crores. The railway programme will involve an expenditure of Rs. 319 crores of which about 20 per cent. is likely to be spent in 1946-47. The civil aviation plan involves an expenditure of Rs. 6 crores of which Rs. 60 lakhs is proposed to be spent in the coming year. Provision of national highways, the responsibility for construction of which will be that of the Centre, will cost Rs. 70 crores. Development of the Posts and Telegraphs will cost Rs. 12 crores.

Survey of lands in different districts in Bengal is now in progress in connection with the construction of five roads to link Calcutta with Assam, Madras, Bombay, Delhi, Darjeeling and Chittagong as a post-war measure.

The proposed Calcutta-Assam road will be about 250 miles long. It will run through Faridpur, Dacca and Mymensingh districts. Starting from Calcutta-Jessore road the important stations it will touch before it reaches the borders of Assam will be Goalundo, Aricha, Tangail and Singjani in Mymensingh.

Bengal part of Calcutta-Madras-Bombay road is expected to be about 125 miles long. Before it reaches the Bihar borders it will touch Pursura and Arambag in the Hooghly district and Midnapore town.

Calcutta-Delhi road will pass through Haripal (Hooghly) and Devipur near Memari (Burdwan). Near Devipur it will join Grand Trunk Road.

Calcutta-Darjeeling road will be about 290 miles long. Its route will be as follows: Calcutta to Devipur (*via* Calcutta-Assam road); Aricha to Narayangunge and Dacca. From the other side of the Meghna the road will run *via* Daudkandi, Comilla and Feni before it reaches Chittagong.

Bridges are proposed to be constructed over rivers and rivulets lying across the route of the national highways and power-driven ferry boats provided for crossing big rivers.

A casualty of World War II, Calcutta's 200-mile road system will soon have a fresh lease of life. On representations by the Bengal Government, the Government of India have agreed to bear a considerable proportion of the expenses to be incurred by the Corporation in repairing roads which have been damaged by heavy military-traffic during the past six years.

CALCUTTA BUSTEES

The First To Be Improved

The first bustee in Calcutta to be improved under the short-term scheme inaugurated last year by Mr. R. G. Casey, late Governor of Bengal, is that at 109-110, *Ultadanga Main Road, having a total population of* 2,650.

The Improvement Trust are undertaking the work. Construction of modern drains and roads to facilitate conservancy, replacement of insanitary latrins, installation of bathing platforms, clearing of tanks and sinking of tubs wells for augmenting the existing water supply are among the improvements to be carried out.

The scheme is estimated to cost Rs. 2,18,860 *of which half is proposed to be borne by the Government and the Improvement Trust in equal proportions and the remaining half will be recovered from the owners of land and huts.*

DACCA MUNICIPALITY

Takes Up Road-Repair Programme

The Dacca Municipality has accepted the tenders for repairing almost all remaining damaged roads of the city at the cost of Rs. 3,12,000 and the work will begin soon. It is understood that the contractors have been directed to finish the work within March, 1947.

Nawabpur Road, one of the main roads in the city has already been repaired.

COOKING MEALS BY TELEPHONE CALL

Cooking a meal by simple making a telephone call home may be as everyday an event as ringing up a friend, according to experts who are working on telephone communications development.

The idea would be a boon to thousands of women who have to be at business during the day or out-of-doors a lot with their children. The only human effort necessary would be to prepare the meal before going out and leave it in the oven. Then at a pre-determined time ring up the house, where a thermostat control from telephone to oven would start it cooking.

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

CALCUTTA TO BE A PORT OF PAKISTAN

"Pakistan must have Calcutta as one of its ports," said Mr. M. A. Jinnah to a foreign correspondent, and advanced in support of that demand that the weight of the Hindu population in Calcutta did not naturally belong to Calcutta, but had been largely brought there by trade. Hindustan had Bombay, Madras and outlets through Ceylon. They could develop excellent ports south of Calcutta if they wished. Pakistan should have a port for each Muslim block presumably Calcutta and Karachi.

WORKERS' PROTEST AGAINST RATION CUT

Some 48,000 industrial workers in Bengal have been on strike as a protest against cut in rations. The men's other demands include increased dearnesses allowances, revision of grades, etc. Of the total, 30,000 are jute workers in and around Calcutta and over 12,000 cotton mill operatives.

BAN LIFTED FROM DR. MOOKERJEE'S BOOK

The Government of Bengal has cancelled its previous order banning the publication of the English pamphlet entitled' "A Phase of the Indian Struggle" by Dr. Shyama Prasad Mookerjee.

The ban, which was imposed on the 19th February, 1943, prohibited all printers, publishers and editors in Bengal to publish the pamphlet or any document containing any reference thereto, within the province of Bengal.

RAJAH OF SARAWAK IN CALCUTTA

Sir Charles Vyner Brooke, Rajah of Sarawak, who on his way to the State to make arrangements for the final cession of the territory to the British, arrived in Calcutta from London by air on Wednesday, the 10th March. The Rajah, who was accompanied by Lady Brooke and two officials of the Colonial Secretary's Department, stayed at Government House and left for Rangoon the next day.

FIRE SERVICE WORKERS' STRIKE

Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose, President of the All-India Trade Union Congress and President of the Fire Service Workers' Union (Bengal) has issued a statement saying that he thinks the strike of Fire Service Workers of Calcutta should be deferred. The Bengal Ministry is in the course of formation and it will not be difficult for the Government to absorb retrenched personnel.

SIR CHARLES AUGUSTUS TEGART

The death is reported to have occurred in England of Sir Charles Augustus Tegart, son of the late Rev. J. P. Tegart of Dunboyne, Co. Meath, and the late Police Commissioner of Calcutta. He was educated at Portora Royal School, Enniskillen, and Trinity College, Dublin.

He joined the Indian Police in 1901 and retired in 1931. He served in the R.A.F. as Pilot in World War I.

From 1932-36 he was a Member of Council of India and in 1937 went to Palestine to advise the Government on police organization.

He was awarded the M. V. O. in 1912 and made a C. I. E. in 1917. He was created a knight in 1926 and K. C. I. E. in 1937.

DINABANDHU ANDREWS DEATH ANNIVERSARY

Warm tributes were paid to the memory of Dinabandhu C. F. Andrews at a public meeting held under the auspices of the Tagore Study Circle, in observance of the sixth death anniversary at the Students' Hall, College Square, on the 5th March last. Mr. Hemendra Prasad Ghosh was in the chair.

Mr. Kedar Nath Chatterjee said that India owed a deep debt of gratitute to Dinabandhu Andrews. His love for the down-trodden and the underdog led him to devote his life to alleviate their sufferings.

Rev. A. R. Macbeth, Superior, Oxford Mission, said that the whole life of Dinabandhu was spent in the service of humanity.

Mr. Hemendra Prasad Ghosh said that it would be a matter of national shame if India ever forgot the name of Dinabandhu.

HOWRAH WATERWORKS STRIKE

Over 100 workers of the Howrah Waterworks at Serampore, struck work on Wednesday, the 10th April, demanding increase of pay and other servivce amenities.

The Chairman of the Howrah Municipality, Mr. Sailakumar Mukherji, said in an interview that considering other essential needs of the town it would be a heavy burden on the Municipal finances to agree to the workers' demands involving a recurring expenditure of more than a lakh of rupees.

CALCUTTA MORTALITY

Nineteen unknown persons who had no addresses in Calcutta and who are presumably destitutes according to the Health Officer, Corporation of Calcutta died in Calcutta during the week ending the 6th April.

The total number of deaths due to various causes during the same week was : 679 *against* 711 *the previous week. Cholera claimed* 43 *deaths against* 44 *the week previous* : *Small-pox* 3 *against* 4, *and, Malaria* 17 *against* 24. 6 *persons died of starvation in Calcutta during the period* 16th *March to* 2nd *April*,

To avoid confusion between 'unknown' and 'pauper' deaths, the Corporation Health Department has decided not to publish any longer deaths under heading 'pauper'.

SIR G. S. RANKIN DEAD

Sir George Claus Rankin, one of the greatest authorities on Indian jurisprudence and Chief Justice of the Calcutta High Court from 1926 to 1934 is reported to have died in Edinburgh on Monday, the 8th April. He was 68.

He was appointed member of the Judical Committee of the Privy Council in February, 1935.

Formerly a barrister in London where he practised mainly in commercial counts, he accepted an Indian judgeship in 1911.

In 1919 he was appointed member of the Hunter Commission which enquired into the Amritsar incidents.

CONGRESS POSTER EXHIBITION

A parade of Bengali *Swadeshi* songs and poems which once stirred the length and breadth of the country was the unique feature of the evening programme arranged by the

Congress Sahitya Sangha at Kumarsingh Hall on the 6th April last, the first day of the national week.

The Congress poster exhibition which was opened by Dr. B. C. Mookerjee remains open to the public daily from 12 noon to 8 p.m. till to-day, the fateful day on which the Jallianwalla Bagh crime was perpetrated.

BANKIM CHANDRA DEATH ANNIVERSARY

The death anniversary of Bankim Chandra was observed on Tuesday, the 9th April, at the Bangiya Sahitya Parisad Hall. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Bangiya Sahitya Parisad and was presided over by Sir Jadu Nath Sarkar.

Sir Jadu Nath Sarkar in course of his presidential speech said that Bankim Chandra's name would be really commemorated if every people of India tried to translate the ideals of Bankim Chandra into practice. His ideal was to develop the full manhood in every Indian through science, culture, unity and physical courage and intellect.

Messrs. Makhan Lal Sen, Pravat Ganguly, Narendra Nath Seth, Pramatha Nath Chattopadhyaya discussed at great length about Bankimchandra's contribution towards Bengali literature and national consciousness.

BENGAL CONGRESS PARLIAMENTARY PARTY

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DEATH BY ELECTROCUTION

A middle-aged Bengali was electrocuted on Chowringhee, near Lower Circular Road crossing, when the city was swept by a storm on Tuesday night, the 9th April. Branches of a tree snapped and in falling brought down the overhead electric tram wires. A boy passing beneath was trapped and the man went to his rescue. He succeeded in freeing the boy, who was unhurt but touched a 'live' wire and was killed instantaneously.

SUBHAS CHANDRA'S ASSOCIATES EXPECTED

Col. A. Hassan and Maj Swamy of the I. N. A. who travelled with Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose from Germany to Japan are expected to arrive in Calcutta shortly.

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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 13th April, 1946.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN & SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 651 against 679 and 711 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 269. The general death-rate of the week was 12.95 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 13th April, 1946, was 519 against 564 and 596 in the two proceeding weeks. There were 46 deaths from cholera against 39 and 36 in the two preceding weeks. There were 2 deaths from small-pox during the week against 3 in the previous week. There were nil deaths from influenza against 8 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 56 and 83 respectively against 47 and 91 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 11.79 per mille per annum.

There were 29 imported deaths Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 11.13.

There were 67 deaths from respiratory diseases against 91 in the previous week.

There were 41 deaths from tuberculosis against 30 in previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 132 against 115 and 115 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 3 were from cholera, 1 from small-pox, nil from influenza, 14 from fevers, 23 from bowel-complaints and 24 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas was 21.12 per mille.

There was 1 imported death. Excluding these, the death-rate was 20.96.

There were 14 deaths from tuberculosis against 5 in the previous week.

MR. SUBHAS CH. BOSE

"Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose is in Manchuria and doing well" said Mr. K. E. Ganapathi, Secretary of the Publicity and Propaganda Department of the Azad Hind Government and Director of the Azad Hind Press, on his arrival in Madras on Thursday, the 4th April, from Singapore. Mr. Ganapathi added that *Sevika*, a vernacular paper of Malaya, recently carried a news item from London dated the 27th March which said that Mr. Bose was heard on the radio from Manchuria.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
C—11	0 4 0				

GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—1 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-142	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
„ 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 46	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
„ 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	„ 49	1 5 6	
„ 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	„ 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	„ 44	1 12 6	
„ 149	0 4 0	Do.	„ ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	„ 86-5	1 2 0	
„ 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	„ 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	„ 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
„ 152-153	0 8 0	Do.						
„ 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	„ 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 12 0	
„ 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.				„ 13	2 4 0	
„ 158-½160	0 12 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
„ ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
„ ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
„ ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	„ 114	0 10 0	
						„ 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

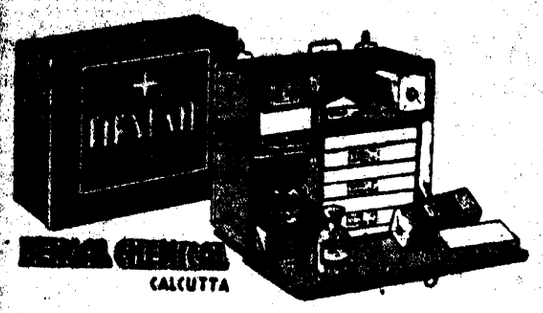
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)								
„ 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	...	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						„ 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*P. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	P. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	„ 8	2 12 0	Do.
						„ 9	1 12 0	Do.

*Shops temporarily occupied.

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1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a white arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 500 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-3-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 9th April, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 4 0	1 12 0
Pona per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Bhanguar ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor ...	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Crab each ...	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...		1 10 0
Fowl's eggs ...		1 10 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (Deesah) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,, ...	0 5 0	0 7 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 4 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each ...	0 2 0	0 6 0
*Tomato per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cucumber per score ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer ...	0 6 0	
Garlic ,, ...	1 0 0	
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ...	0 5 0	0 8 0
Pea (Deesah)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country) ...	0 2 0	
*Potato ...	0 3 0	0 10 0
*Carrot ...	0 2 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot ...	0 4 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 4 0	0 5 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Mangoes (Langra) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	0 3 0	0 9 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—3 ...	1 0 0	
Grapes ...		
Alubokhora per seer ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Dates per seer ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score ...	1 0 0	
Oranges 8 to 16 ...	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ...	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree ...	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,, ...		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer ...	0 0 0	
Atta (White) No. 1 ...		
Atta (Brown) per seer ...	0 3 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 6	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer ...	1 2 6	(Contd.)
Sugar ,, ...	0 3 6 (Con.)	
Tea per lb. ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer ...	0 10 0	1 2 0
,, (Sugarcandy) ,, ...	0 10 0 (Ration Shop)	0 12 0 (Con.)
Suji ...	0 3 0	
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Chana ,, ...	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ...	0 3 0	0 9 0
Bhanga ,, ,, ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Kalai ,, ...	0 3 6	
Biuli ,, ...	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 12 0
,, (Sona) per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,, ...	0 3 0	0 9 0
Salt (Controlled) ,, ...	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md. ...	1 6 0	
Coal ,, ...		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle ...		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do. ...		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley ...		
Colins Best Pudish ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly ...		

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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	1 12 0	2 0 0	1 4 0	1 8 0
Curry Beef —	1 8 0	1 14 0	1 4 0	1 10 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 0 0	4 4 0	2 4 0	3 4 0
Hump per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rib —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Round ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
Sirloin ,, —	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
Suet (Kidney) —	2 12 0	3 12 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 8 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	3 4 0	3 12 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Saddle ...	3 4 0	3 12 0		
Leg per seer ...	3 0 0	3 12 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0		

ARTICLES.	1st Class.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.				
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 12 0		
Breast ,, ...	3 8 0	3 12 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	3 8 0	3 12 0		
Leg per sr. ...	3 8 0	3 12 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	3 8 0	3 12 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	3 0 0	3 4 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 6 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Salted Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer —	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer —		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 0 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bail chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 8 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — —	3 0 0	4 4 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

Prices of foreign articles as well as Indian commodities are liable to fluctuate daily without notice and not controllable at present on account of War and hence approximate prices are given.

Silicate of Soda

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 2 0	1 4 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Capon ,, ...	5 8 0	6 8 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 4 0	3 10 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 8 0	2 10 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	3 12 0	3 0 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	30 0 0	35 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	1 14 0	2 4 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. (special) per score	3 12 0	3 0 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Portridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	30 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	30 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling seer	0 12 0	
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per seer ...	0 14 0	
Do. Agra —	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
*Do. French Darjeeling	1 4 0	
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Cabbage each ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,,	1 4 0	
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 0 0	
Do. (Allahabad) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 12 0	0 14 0
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 2 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. s.	1 0 0	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Country each		
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. sr.	0 10 0	
Ladies finger per seer ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per seer ...	1 1 6	
Lettuce each ...	0 2	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 14 0	2 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 5 6	0 7 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 6	0 6 6
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...	1 4 0	
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
Do. Simla ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)	0 10 0	
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 4 6	0 5 6
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per seer ...	1 0 0	
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle		
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Squash per seer —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Country Spinach per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling per seer	1 4 0	
Do. Country ,,	0 10 0	0 14 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
*Turnip p. seer Darjeeling	0 10 0	
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red ,, per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Taral per seer —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Kankrole per seer —		
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	3 4 0	3 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.		
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	3 4 0	3 12 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 8 0	0 14 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	4 0 0	4 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gousebery per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	9 0 0	10 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Jack Fruit each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...		
Locket per score ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mask Melon per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mask Melon ,, lb. (Lucknow)	0 14 0	1 2 0
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)		
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie ...		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Do. Golapkhash ...		
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 8 0	4 8 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 8 0	4 12
Oranges Sylhet ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. *Madras per doz. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Nagpur 6—10 ...	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 10—12	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,,		
Do. Ceylon ,,		
Do. Madras ,,	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Comilla ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,,		
Plantain Champa Bunch	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban ,,	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritasagar ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul ,,	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya Jasore each	0 10 0	2 0 0
Do. Country ,,	0 10 0	1 0 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul)	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Country per score		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country)	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each	0 10 0	1 4 0
Prunes Fresh per lb.		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do.		
Do. Delmonte do.		
Malasia do.		
Pears (Kulu) per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb.		
Do. Peshwar per doz.		
Do. Australian per lb.		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Cashmere	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb.	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Punjab ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score	1 4 0	1 8 0
Sofata 8—10	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score	0 12 0	0 14 0
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz.		
Surdah Kabul per lb.	0 10 0	0 12 0
Tamarind per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each		
Do. Goalund each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Kabul	4 8 0	5 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,,	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. Bhagalpur each	3 0 0	4 0 0
Water fruit per seer		
Water Melon Kabul per lb.	0 5 0	0 6 0
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb.		
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet		
Almond Salted (large) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Almond Kabul per lb.	1 2 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb.		
Almond Salted (small) per lb.		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb.	1 0 0	1 8 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 4 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb.	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb.	2 0	2 8 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb.	2 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet	3 0 0	
Chestnut per lb.		
Dates Arab per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb.	1 4 0	1 8
Figs 1 lb. per packet	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb.		
Khurma per seer	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb.	0 6 0	1 0 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb.		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb.		5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb.		
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb.	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.		
Prunes dry per lb.		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet	1 4 0	1 12 0
Do. (red) per lb.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb.	1 8 0	1 8 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet		
Do. American 1 lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet		
Do. (Sankist) per lb.		
Cake Raisin per lb.	0 12 0	1 0 0

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
A. 1 & 2	Per day. As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	Per day. As. 4 each	Potato.
E. 3	,, 6 ,,	Do.			
,, 5	,, 6 ,,	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	,, 3	Betel leaves.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	1 8 0	2 8 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	3 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		3 8 0
Dinapur	-	
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	3 14 0	4 8 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) „	4 14 0	5 8 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Rohi per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Butter fish per seer	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 4 0	4 0 0
Lobster —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 12 0	3 8 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 4 0	4 12 0
Mackerel —	2 12 0	3 4 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp per seer —	0 14 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed. „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
*FLOUR	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundnashi)		0 5 6
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 6 0
*RICE		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 6
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 6	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
*SUGAR		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
*DAL Etc.	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		0 12 0
Arahar „ ...		0 8 0
Chola „ —		0 12 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 10 0
Khasari „ ...		0 12 0
Ming (Bhaja) „ ...		0 8 0
*Salt —		
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
5 lb. „ ...	5 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 5 0	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 2 0	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 6	
*KEROSENE OIL		
Kerosene Oil (Superior)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (Inferior)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 stick each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
*COAL AND COKE		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 8 0
Haldi „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin ... —		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie —		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 8	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 8
Petit Beurre —	0 12 0	
School ...	1 10 6	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 8	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 8	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 8
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Prices	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0	
Derecska per packet ...		0 4 0
Salsor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	2 0 0
„ „ (magnum)		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
*Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ ...		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ ...		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cococa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 36 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt.		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb, per pkt. ...	3 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Redgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 0
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	1 12 0	
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 2 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Sloan's Liniment ...	2 11 0	
*Kruschen Salt ...		
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dudkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patna) whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...		0 8 0
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 3 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Biswaswar) (Sree Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		5 0 0
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 3 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		0 5 6
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 0
Do. (white) ,, ...		
Suji ...		0 5 6
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas ...	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 2 0	0 3 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 3 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 3 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 3 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) ...	1 3 0	2 0 0
Other ...		
Hilsa ...	1 3 0	1 8 0
Prawns ...		
Parsey ...		
Bagda ...		
Bhetki ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi ...	1 3 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kasha)	0 9 0	0 10 0
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...		0 7 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Sanchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ,, ...	4 12 0	
Khurja (controlled) ...		3 14 0
Bhaduwa do. ...		3 14 0
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)	3 14 0	
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 3 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) ...		0 6 0
*Atta ...		0 5 0
*Do. B ...		
Gur (Beli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head ...		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid ...		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer...	Contld.	1 2 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer ...		
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—32 ...	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...	8 0 0	
Dates Arab ...	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		2 8 0
Naspati ...		
Mango 6—10 ...	1 0 0	
,, (Langra) ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
VEGETABLES		
Patal per seer ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Potatoes New (Desi) ...		
Potatoes (Nanita) ...	0 3 6	0 5 0
Brinjal ...	0 5 0	0 6 6
Ginger ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Onion ...	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage per seer ...		
FISH		
Parsey per seer ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pona ,, ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut-pieces) ,, ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Bagda ,, ...	2 8 0	
Bhetki ,, ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 2 0
Koi per seer ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish ...	1 4 0	1 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 3 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 3 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 14 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 14 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Poison's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. ...	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. ...		
Household per tin ...		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice ...		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. ...		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats ...		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each ...		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 3 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 27th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From Rs.A.P.	To Rs.A.P.
MUTTON		
Mutton 1st class per seer		2 0 0
Do. 2nd " "	2 8 0	
Goat per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls "	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	
Ginger "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay "		
Do. Country "	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled)		
Do. Madrasi "		
Do. Gauhati "		
Country	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Dist per seer		
Do. Hilly "		
Cabbage "	0 4 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer		
Do. Darjeeling "	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi "		
Beans "	0 10 0	
Squash "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each	0 1 0	0 2 0
Bit per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—8	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari		
Do. Nainital		
Alubokhara per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot "	2 0 0	
Batavia each	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza "	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab "	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Bagdad "	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta "		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi "		
Khobani " "	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts "		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score		
Papaya Country each	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb.		
Jamrul " "		
Golapjam		
Panital per seer		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score		
Shunk Alu per seer	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safata 8—10	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel		

ARTICLES	From Rs.A.P.	To Rs.A.P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Mango Sukul		
Do. Sepia		
Do. Begamfully		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra		
Do. Bhastara		
Do. Madras 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut		
Do. Fazli		
Do. Nilambari		
Do. Totapuri		
Do Sapeda		
Do. Golapkhas		
Do. Himsagar		
Do. Kissen Bhogh		
Kharbuza per seer		
Orange Ichanagore		
Do. Madras		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—12	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay		
Pesta Bagdad per seer		
Do. Multan	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul		
Peara 4—10	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local)	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer		
Pomegranate per seer		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul)	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna "	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando		
Do. Deshi each		
Do. Farukabad		
Do. Quetta	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer		3 0 0
Do. Shelled "	2 0 0	
Nut Ground "		
Sharifa 6—8		
Nona (each)		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb.		
Bombay " "	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh " "	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore " per seer	4 0 0	
Dinapur " "	3 8 0	
Pabna " "	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga " "		
Mazafferpur		
Cow's Ghee		6 0 0
Do. Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer	3 8 0	3 0 0
Bhetkee per Sr.	2 0 0	3 0 0
Prawns "	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa "	0 12 0	1 4 0
Rohi "	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) "	3 8 0	3 12 0
Small fish "		1 8 0
Chetal "		
Crab per pair	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small)		
Do. (large)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From Rs.A.P.	To Rs.A.P
RICE		
Rice		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog		
Deshi (Nagra) per md.		
Do. (Medium) "		
Patnai (Atap) " md.		
Hilly (old) per md.		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md.		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni		
Balam (old) per md.		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old)		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund		
Kamini per maund		
Peshwar Rice per md.		
Dhaki Chata "		
Fine per seer		
Coarse "		
Medium "		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer		
Java "		
Cocoanut Oil "		
Mustard Oil "		
Salt per seer		
Flour "		
Atta "		
Sujee "		
Atta fresh per seer		
Chandausi Atta per md.		
Til Oil per seer		
Fine per seer		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal "	0 10 0	
Arhar "	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai "	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari "	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split)		0 8 0
Do. (khari) "		0 10 0
Mator "	0 6 0	
Chana Dal "	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb.	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb.	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb.	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
" " Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin		
" " Bulk		
Monkey Brand per tin		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White)	0 8 0	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red)		
Snowflake per tin		
Soft Coke per md		1 0 0

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PRICES IN THE BARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 26th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)		
Silong	2 4 0	2 8 0
Lobster	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bagda	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhangnar	2 0 0	2 8 0
Shetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey	1 12 0	2 0 0
Crab each	0 1 6	0 2 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer	—	2 8 0
Mutton ,,	—	2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score	1 8 0	1 12 0
Fowl's eggs	1 8 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cucumber per score	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer		3 8 0
Garlic ,,		0 12 0
Green Chilly	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,,		0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling)	0 8 0	
Potato (Naintal)		0 6 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score		
Squash per seer		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4		
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each	0 1 6	0 3 0
Dates per packet	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score		
Orange		
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 3 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Sugarcane each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer		
Apples		
Green Cocoanut	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa		
Do. Sree		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do.	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do.	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A"	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B"	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C"	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed)	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled)	0 3 6	
Tea per lb.	1 5 0	2 3 0
Gur per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 3 0	
Masoor ,,	0 3 0	0 12 0
Bhanga		
Khasaree	0 3 0	
Kalai ,,	0 7 0	
Biuli ,,		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md.		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,,	2 3 0	
*Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 9th April, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pona per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (cut pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangnar	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each)	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,,	2 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,,	2 0 0	
Beef	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each	1 8 0	2 8 0
Chicken each	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon		
Duck's Eggs per score	1 8 0	
Fowl's Eggs ,,	1 8 0	
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled)	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage ,,	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflower (English) ,,	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lahore) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly ,,	0 3 0	0 12 0
Onion ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,,	0 3 0	0 5 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,,		
Raddish ,,	0 3 0	
Squash ,,	0 0 0	0 3 0
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 12 0	1 3 0
White ,, ,,	0 3 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer		Contd.
Do. (Country)	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer		
Alubokra ,,		
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Beel each	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,,		
Lime per score	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,,	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,,		
Do. Bhadwa ,,		
Do. Sree ,,	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative) per seer	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer	0 3 0	
Wheat ,,	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Do. (Atap) ,,		
Rangoon per seer		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md.		
Deshi (Boiled) per md.		
Golap Soru		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb.	1 5 0	2 3 0
Gur per seer		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contd.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 3 0	
Khari Masoor ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,,	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,,	0 3 0	0 10 0
Do. (Bona) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,,		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin.	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin.	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley		
Jelly	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET.

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1944.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chickens ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Rona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Ilisong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Naimital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—8	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosberry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Koshia Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora)		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Desi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 8 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 14
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8
Bhanga		0 6
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 3 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 0 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
28-30	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	SIR Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
28A	0 4 0 ,,		26-28 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
24 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		26 ,,	0 2 0 ,,	
23 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
27 ,,	0 1 6				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

R. K. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
4—6		
7		
12	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
24	2 0 0	Do.
25	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
,, 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do.
,, 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 89C	0 10 0	Do.
Coconut		
Range 13	0 4 0	Coconut.
,, 27	0 4 0	Do.
,, 29	0 4 0	Do.
,, 31	0 10 0	Potato.

Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
West Range (New) 3	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	24 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	30 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 32	25 0 0	
,, 33	45 0 0	
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	28 0 0	Do.
,, 49	32 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do.
58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
,, 35-36	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-56	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-120		
,, 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do.

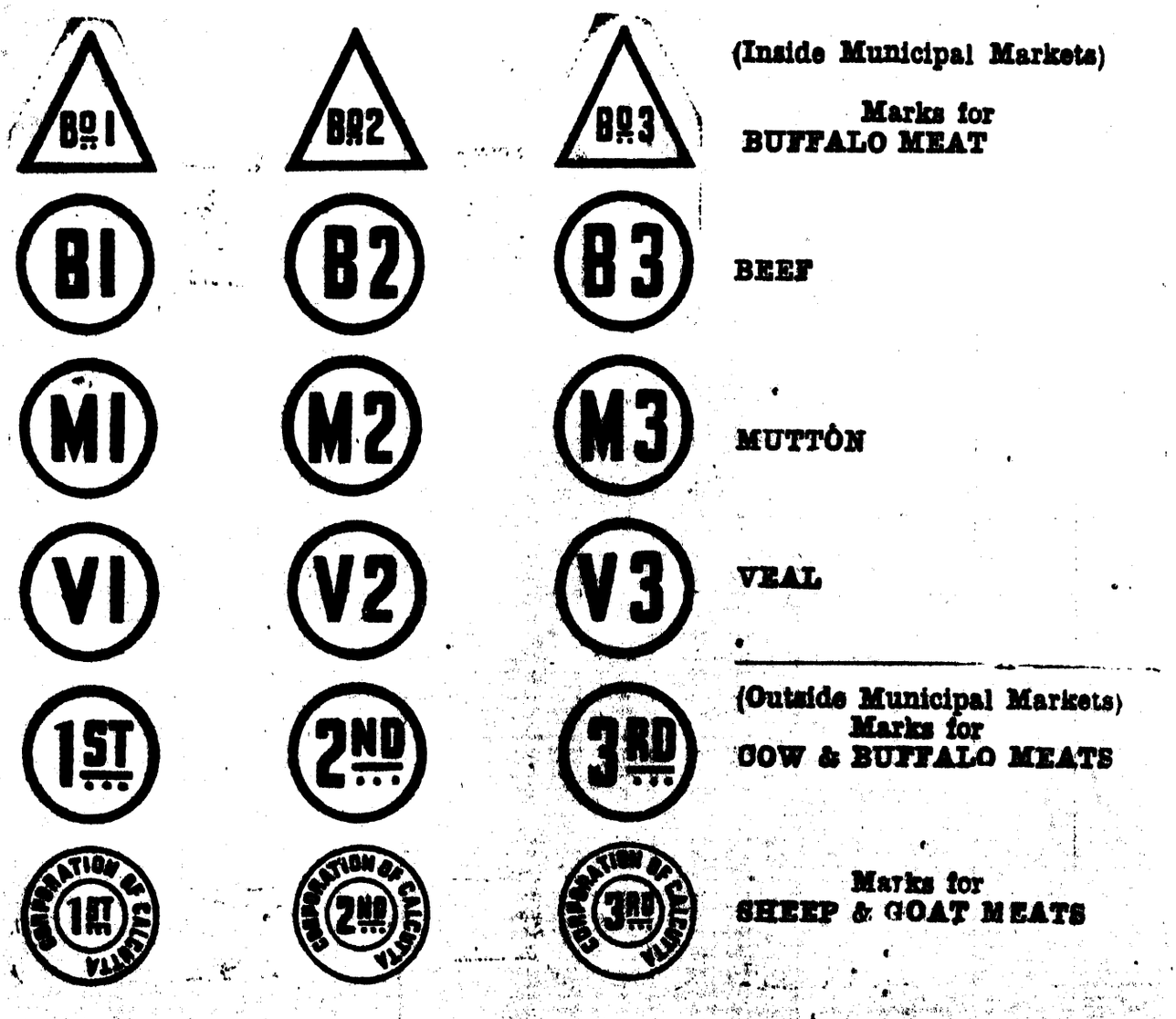
Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, 9	0 8 0	Do
,, 10	0 8 0	Do
,, 18	0 8 0	Do
,, 19	0 8 0	Do
,, 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,,		
,,		
,,		
,,		
,, 35	0 4 0	Do
,, 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting Goods.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
,, 57	0 5 6	Do.
,, 72-73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 3—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet		Suet
,, 5 & 6	0 4 0	Do
	0 8 0	Do
,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range ,, 2	0 8 0	Betel

RETAILY MARKET.—Shops To Let.

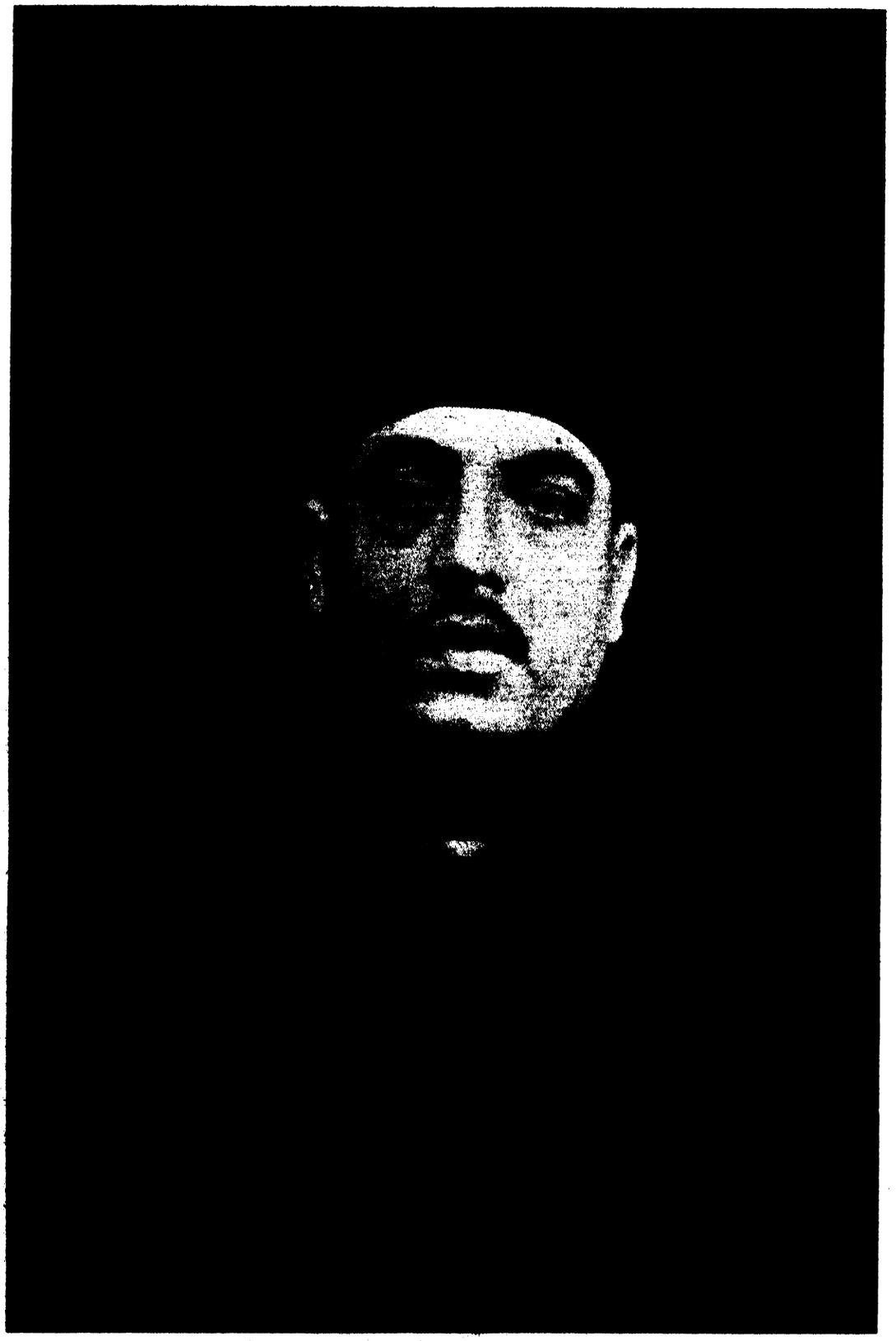
Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 8 0	Vegetables
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff.	30 „	0 8 0	„
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do			Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's store. Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	„			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	„	15 W. B.	1 0 0	„			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	„	16 W. B.	1 0 0	„	50 „	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	„	64 „	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	„	65 „	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	„	21 W. B.	1 0 0	„	68 „	0 8 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	„	22 W. B.	0 15 0	„	69 „	0 4 0	„
22 S. B.	0 12 0	„	23 W. B.	0 15 0	„	75 „	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	„	24 W. B.	0 15 0	„	76 „	0 5 0	„
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	„	77 „	0 5 0	„
			Chandney					
Pork 5	0 9 0	Pork.				78 „	0 4 0	„
„ 6	0 8 0	„	17 „	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 „	0 4 0	„
„ 6	0 8 0	„	18 „	0 7 0	„	80 „	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
„ 7	0 8 0	„						

MEAT MARKS




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THE NEW MAYOR

Mr. S. M. USMAN

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MAYORAL ELECTIONS

CALCUTTA had its new Mayor and Deputy Mayor elected for one year on Monday, the 29th April

Since Deshabandhu Chittaranjan Das had been the first Mayor of Calcutta in the New Corporation, this high position had gone to leaders of the people,—mostly to politicians and legal luminaries. This practice definitely took a different turn when Mr. Hem Chandra Nasker adorned the Mayoral Chair. He proved beyond doubt that the first citizen of Calcutta need not belong to the upper ten of the city's social life. Mr. Nasker was followed by Mr. Badrudduja, who did not also trace his descent from aristocracy. But next to him came Mr. Anandi Lal Poddar, a merchant prince of the city. Though the election of Mr. Poddar as the Mayor of Calcutta sounded a note of reversion to the old ways, an equally interesting step was taken thereby in giving recognition to a fairly large, and mostly wealthy, section of the rate-payers of Calcutta.

Against this background is to be seen the election of Mr. S. M. Usman as the new Mayor of Calcutta, seeking to continue the agreement that Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose had entered into with the most important and influential minority party in the Corporation,—that is, the Muslim League.

The election of the New Mayor should reflect the amity of the leading political parties in Bengal. Though this hope may only appear to be a pious one, yet we feel that such rapproachement, however temporary, have a permanent value, as it looks forward to the attainment of an ideal which is uppermost in the minds of all who have the good of India at heart.

"I am the first Mayor, who is a proletariat, and I assure you that I have no piece of land here nor do I own any building. I have been brought up in the slums.....I have lived with the masons and day-labourers," said the new Mayor, while replying to the felicitations offered to him by the Aldermen and the Councillors.

In the advent of a new era in power-politics of the world, in the rise of the masses in every individual country, this election of the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor,—a unity between the mass and the class,—is fraught with significance in the context of the general civic life of Calcutta, the amelioration of the living conditions of the masses in the slums and the *bustees* of the city and also the rights and privileges of the People's Corporation against all undue interference from any quarter whatsoever.

We offer our respectful welcome to Mr. S. M. Usman and Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee, the New Mayor and the Deputy Mayor respectively, to their high office. We have no doubt that they will be able to maintain its high traditions, in a manner which will reflect credit on them and

the Corporation as well. Mr. Usman's inaugural speech augurs well, and his Deputy, Mr. Mookerjee, with his long and intimate experience of Corporation affairs and suave personality will be able to afford very substantial assistance to his "Chief." The combination, if we may say so, has been excellent,—a combination of youth, energy and capacity for work at a high level. Calcutta expects much and expects not to be disappointed.

In bidding farewell to the retiring Mayor and the Deputy Mayor, we shall be failing in our duty if we did not pay our tribute to the retiring Mayor and the Deputy Mayor. Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee has borne his heavy burden wisely and worthily and steered the ship of our Corporation and the City's affairs in general during a year of singular storm and stress and fateful history clear of eddies and shoals and rocks. Calcutta will remember it.

TWO DISTINGUISHED FRIENDS OF RABINDRANATH

With a heavy heart we have received reports of the deaths of two very distinguished foreigner friends of Poet Rabindranath Tagore: Count Hermann Von Keyserling and Dr. Edward Thompson.

Count Keyserling was a famous philosopher and had been a host to Rabindranath at his famous school of Darmstadt when the poet visited Germany.

Dr. Thompson, who was a poet himself, wrote the best book on the life and works of Poet Tagore.

Calcutta is proud of Rabindranath and also of the associations through which the poet made this city, and the country as a whole, known to the great minds of the world.

WELCOME TO UTTAMCHAND

In the issue of the *Gazette*, dated the 18th April, 1946, referring to the occasion of a party of welcome accorded to Mr. Uttamchand, the well-known Indian merchant of Kabul, who afforded shelter to Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose at the time of his mysterious disappearance from India and his sojourn in Afganisthan it has been brought to our notice, we most inadvertently missed reference to the facts that it was the then Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, who gave that party to Mr. Uttamchand, and also that the Mayor, while offering welcome to the honoured guest, on behalf of himself and the Corporation, expressed gratefulness to Mr. Uttamchand for having given protection to Netaji Bose during his adventurous disappearance for the achievement of India's independence. For such unwilful and merely circumstantial ommissions we offer our sincere regrets to Mr. Mukherjee.

DEREQUISITIONED HOUSES

The city of New York has faced acute dearth of living rooms for the inflated population that it has at present to accommodate. Whether this scarcity of accommodation in New York has been equally distressful as in Calcutta may not be affirmed, but the present situation in this city cannot be imagined to be worse than ever in the near future.

When new houses are not to be easily built for want of materials, it should be the duty of the authorities to see that the existing living spaces in the city are properly used to their best advantages. It has been brought to our notice that some new houses have been constructed by the Government—Central or Provincial, for use by their officers and staff. But how many of these houses have been properly occupied by those for whom they have been built? Filling up of such houses will certainly create some vacuum in other parts of the city, which the people, who are now living in unhygienic living rooms, can profitably fill in.

It has also been brought to our notice that some scores of big mansions, mostly made up of flat-tenements, have been vacated by the military personnel, who used to occupy them sometime ago, but strangely enough they have still been kept under lock and key, thus denying entry to the persons, who are madly roving about in search of any "damned" living space. Who? and Why? are our pertinent questions to the authorities in connection with these deserted yet denied houses. On the other hand, we find occassional reports of a swelling number of derequisitioned houses. Where these houses go and how are they being used?

It has further been brought to our notice that the landlords have now learnt better ways to avoid the Rent Controller. Their ways are

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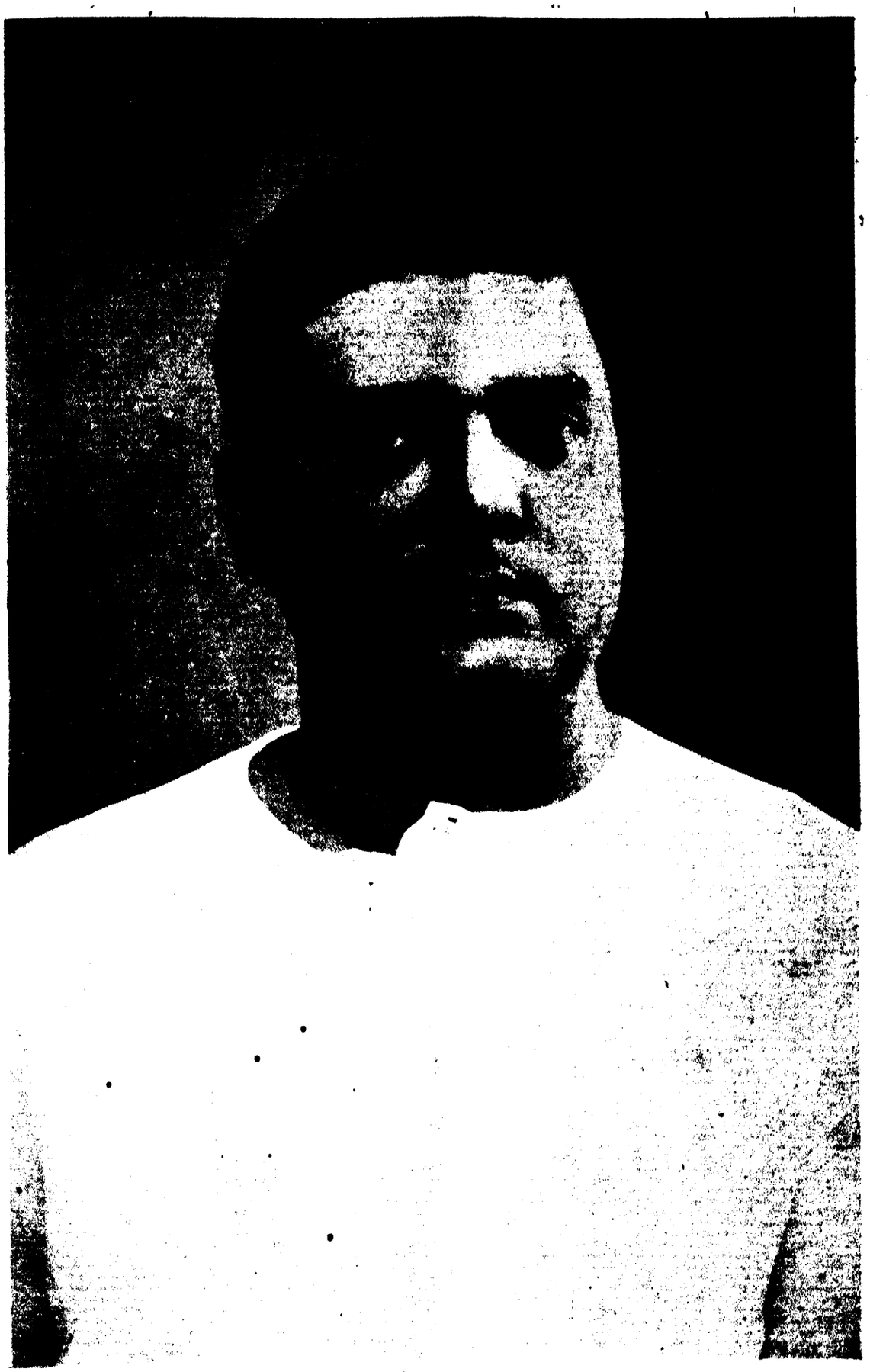
His Message Of Appreciation

Coimbatore.

Your striking success with the "*Municipal Gazette*" is unparalleled in India, and I have always in my heart congratulated you on it. That you should continue this career with even greater credit is the wish of

Your sincere friend
V. S. Srinivasa Sastri

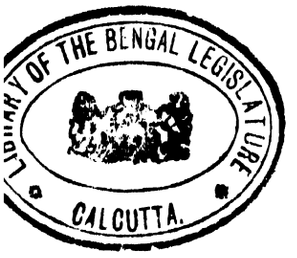
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THE NEW DEPUTY-MAYOR

Mr. NARESH NATH MOOKERJEE

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The Week In The Corporation

New Mayor And Deputy Mayor Elected

The First Meeting In The Year 1946-47

MR. S. M. Usman and Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee were elected Mayor and Deputy Mayor respectively until the first meeting of the Corporation in 1947-48 *at the meeting, being the first in* 1946-47, *held on Monday, the* 29*th April,* 1946.

After the new members had taken the Oath of Allegiance, the name of Mr. S. M. Usman was proposed by Mr. Abdur Rezak and seconded by Mr. S. A. Habib, while the name of Mr. Shamsul Haque was proposed by Dr. M. N. Sarkar and seconded by Dr. S. N. Sinha.

*At first the voting was by show of hands; later poll having been demanded, the result of voting upon the name of Mr. Usman was as follows:—*71 *"for"; 10 "against"; 2 "not voting."*

The name of Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee was proposed by Mr. Purnendu Sekhar Basu for election as Deputy Mayor, until the first Meeting of the Corporation in 1947-48. *Mr. Jogindra Lal Saha seconded. No other name having been proposed, Mr. Mookerjee was declared elected.*

After the elections, the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor were conducted to their chairs on the dias by the retiring Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee.

SHORT SKETCH OF LIFE
The New Mayor

Mr. S. M. Usman hails from a village in the Patna district of the province of Bihar. But in his boyhood he was brought up in Calcutta, at Mirzapur quarters in Ward No. 9. *He graduated with distinction from the Islamia College, Calcutta, and obtained his M.A., and Law degrees from the Calcutta University.*

In 1920 *he joined the Non-co-operation Movement and suffered imprisonment twice in* 1921 *on account of participating in the Civil Disobedience Movement. He took active part in politics during the Round Table Conference in* 1930 *and* 1931.

Mr. Usman is the founder and president of the All-India Muslim Youth League which was established in 1930. *He is also the Chief Organizer and Secretary of the Calcutta District Muslim League.*

In 1944 *he was elected as Councillor to the Corporation of Calcutta from Ward No.* 9.

He is also the Organizer, founder, Secretary and Headmaster of the Presidency Muslim H. E. School at 26, *Zacharia Street.*

He is also an honorary lecturer in economics at the City College, Commerce Department.

Mr. Anandi Lal Poddar was elected to preside over the meeting.

The Corporation offices, schools and workshops remained closed on Tuesday, the 30th April, in honour of the election of the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor.

While replying to the felicitations, offered by the Councillors and Aldermen the new Mayor styled himself as the first "proletariat" Mayor for Calcutta, who did not possess a house nor a piece of land in the city. He, having lived for twenty-five years of his early life in a "*bustee*" of Calcutta with the masons and labourers, was keenly alive to the miserable conditions of the *bustee* people. The *bustees* and slums were, according to him, like a blot on the fair face of the city of Calcutta,—a scourge and a festering sore.

"I assure you that I will zealously guard the rights and privileges of the Aldermen and Councillors of this House. I, from my boyhood, have felt proud of this unique self-governing institution and I shall try my level best, with your active support and co-operation, to see that there is no undue interference in the civic rights and liberties which our predecessors have gained after great sacrifice," added Mr. Usman.

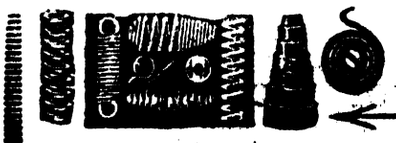
SHORT SKETCH OF LIFE
The New Deputy Mayor

The new Deputy Mayor, Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee, has been representing Ward No. 20 (*Beniapukur*) *in the Corporation since* 1936.

A well-known businessman, he was a member of the Bengal Legislative Council for one term. He is the President of the Ward 20 *Congress Committee.*

The new Deputy Mayor, Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee, while replying to the felicitations said that although he could not promise to do miracles he could assure the House that he would leave no stone unturned to render all possible help and co-operation to the Mayor in the discharge of his duties.

The detailed report of the meeting may be found in the "supplement" to this issue of the Gazette.



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strange and circuitous. They take *salami* of exorbitantly tall sums; they receive higher rents and render receipts for smaller amounts. Poor seekers of living rooms, they fall easy prey to such obnoxious tricks of the landlords! Where are ways to control these?

Going in search of the causes for such a state of affairs, we have found two in the main. *First* until uniform rationing is introduced all over the province, people from various parts of Bengal will be flowing in into the city to avail themselves of the advantages of full rationing in Calcutta *Secondly*, the Burma evacuees, who first took shelter in villages and mofussil towns, have flocked in Calcutta, more particularly at present when the males are returning to Burma leaving behind the families in more secured conditions.

This much for the present. We shall be dilating upon the subject at any next opportunity. In the meantime we shall be earnestly expecting to see the vacated houses, as referred to in the above, really derequisitioned.

Middles

Memorial To Deshapriya J. M. Sen-Gupta

Foundation Stone Laid By The Mayor

THE foundation stone of the memorial to Deshapriya J. M. Sen-Gupta to be built at Keoratala burning ghat was laid by the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, on Sunday, the 28th April.

Mr. Mukherjee said that the foundation stone of the Memorial had formally been laid by the late Dr. Charu Chandra Chatterjee in 1942. He recalled that during the Mayoralty of Mr. Anandilal Poddar about two years ago, Rs. 7,000 was collected for building the memorial. Of this Rs. 5,000 was paid by the late Dr. Charu Chandra Chatterjee and Rs. 2,000 by the Chittagong Union. The whole of this money, Mr. Mukherjee said, was with Mr. Anandilal Poddar. Mr. Mukherjee added that the cost of the building had been estimated at Rs. 12,000, and the late Dr. Charu Chandra Chatterjee made in 1942 a promise to pay the balance himself, if necessary.

It was a matter of disgrace that the memorial building was not yet an accomplished fact for want of funds, though fifteen years had elapsed since Deshapriya passed away, and though he fought for the country to the very last day of his life.

The President then announced that Mr. Satya Ranjan Chatterjee, son of the late Dr. Charu Chandra Chatterjee, who was present at the ceremony would fulfil the wishes of his father.

Placed by the side of Deshbandhu's mausoleum, this memorial, the Mayor pointed out, would be a source of inspiration to generations of his countrymen. Deshapriya had dedicated his life and sacrificed all he had for the cause of his country. His patriotism, sacrifice and courage would keep his memory ever green in the hearts of his countrymen.

Among those present were the Deputy Mayor, Mr. Samsul Haque, Mr. Anandilal Poddar, Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen, Sj. Provangshu Kumar Sett, Mr Purnendu Sekhar Basu, Mr. Mrigendra Kumar Majumdar, Mr. Dhirendra Kumar Majumdar, Mr. Jagannath Kolay, Dr. Bhupendra Nath Bose, Mr Gosto Behary Sett, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, Mr. D. N. Ganguli, Mr. M. Ray, and Dr. Arabinda Barua

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THE RETIRING MAYOR

Mr. DEBENDRA NATH MUKHERJEE

FIVE-FOLD PROBLEMS OF THE CORPORATION

The Out-Going Mayor's Analysis

In the course of a Press interview Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, the out-going Mayor, has sent a request to the citizens of Calcutta to exercise economy in the use of both filtered and unfiltered water. The Corporation equipments, in his opinion, are not sufficient for more than 30 lakhs of people.

The citizens should keep the roads and streets neat and clean and should not throw garbage on the streets after 9 in the morning and before 3 p.m. and after 6 p.m.

Referring to Corporation administration, he observes :—

"If there is any defect in the administration, it is not so much for the subordinate staff as for the lack of vigilant control and supervision by departmental heads and principal officers.

"Principal officers should work hard to see that their staff put in their services in right earnest by punctual attendance and by faithful discharge of duties entrusted to them."

According to the out-going Mayor, the problems of the Corporation, crying for immediate solution, have been five-fold :—

(1) Adequate Water Supply—both filtered and unfiltered;

(2) Proper Drainage in Cossipore and Manicktolla areas;

(3) Proper Maintenance of the Kulti Outfall;

(4) Reforms of 'Khatals (cowsheds); and

(5) Slum Improvement.

"The cowsheds in the various parts of the city are growing to be more and more a serious nuisance. As also the milk problem in Calcutta is perhaps more acute than in any other city.

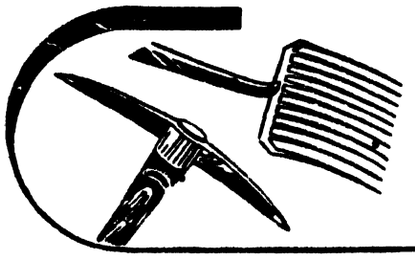
"Slums should be cleansed daily instead of once a fortnight as currently done. Government should immediately open out paths inside the 'bustees', provide for electric posts and construct privies."

"The Corporation to do all that is wanted of it needs more money from the Government", he adds.

Expressing the hope that the Government will soon make available to citizens an infectious diseases hospital, the retiring Mayor remarks, "Health of the city is much better now than when I took office last year."

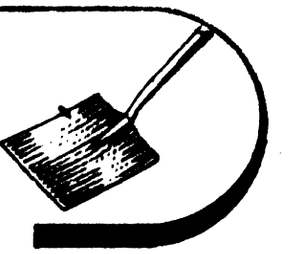
"My term of office has been one of the most eventful. During this period twice broke out what is now known as 'Calcutta Disturbance'—once in November, 1945, and again in February this year—the former synchronising with an all-out municipal employees' strike, involving stoppage of water-supply, transport and conservancy."

Mining Equipment

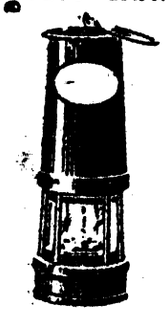


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Some Calcutta Problems Reviewed

Street Accidents : Derequisitioning Of Houses : Food Economy : Slum Improvement

Street accidents, derequisitioning of houses and Army's food economy campaign were the subjects dealt with at a Press Conference held by the military authorities in Calcutta during the week before last.

Dealing with traffic accidents, Maj. Gen. F. R. R. Busher Commander, 308 (Bengal) area, said, "We have now taken all possible safely-first measures on the military side, and we expect the public to assist us by educating itself in traffic sense."

The General said that a large number of military-type vehicles to be seen in the city are not the property of the Defence Services. The Central P. W. D., the C. and W. Dept. and Civil Supplies Department of the Provincial Government, and the Calcutta Corporation all possess military-type vehicles, and their drivers are often the offenders. The General said that he had verified this from personal observation, and added: "We are arranging for our vehicles to be given a distinctive colour on bonnets and tail-boards."

According to the General, the standard of military driving in Calcutta is no worse than that of the average civilian driver, or in comparison to military driving in many other large towns.

The General said that little is done to educate the public on the highway code. Pedestrians walk in the middle of the street instead of on the pavements. They cross the road without looking in the proper direction. There are few 'islands', and these only on the main thoroughfares. The different types of vehicular traffic using the Calcutta thoroughfares—bullock-carts, rickshaws, wheel-barrows, tram cars, etc., all travelling at different speeds, and, in the case of the first three, observing no rule-of-the-road, create a traffic problem not encountered in many other great cities.

"Generally, the Calcutta public is the worst in traffic sense that I have come across. I have been in Cairo, Basra, Baghdad, Teheran, Bombay, Madras and in many other places during the war, so I speak from knowledge."

The fastest drivers of military-type vehicles in Calcutta, according to the General, were U. S. F. Negro troops and Indian civilians driving large six wheel lorries. This is a conclusion come to, the the General said, as the result of his own tours around the city.

Derequisitioning Of Houses

On the question of derequisitioning, Maj.-Gen. J. S. Ballentine, in-charge of Administration, Eastern Command, said, that the total number of requisitioned properties was 1757. Of these, recommendations had been made for the release of 849, while 275 had been actually released. He admitted that there was sometimes delay between vacation of a property by the Defence Services and its being handed over to its rightful owner. This was due to shortage of trained staff in the Lands, Hirings and Disposal Directorate.

In reply to a question, the General said that requisitioning was done under the D. I. Rules. So the order would automatically lapse from October 1, 1946, that is six months after the official declaration of cessation of hostilities. He, however, proposed to derequisition all properties held by the Army by October 1, 1946.

Food Economy

Speaking on Army's food economy, the General said that the military authorities had imposed an arbitrary cut of approximately one-sixth of the total ration of *atta*, rice, flour, sugar and other less important items of the soldier's diet in view of the world shortage of foodstuffs.

Foodstuffs saved by the Army all over India for four weeks in February last were 945 tons of *dal*, 630 tons of *atta*, 263 tons of sugar and 83 tons of flour. The cut in flour and sugar rations supplied to the Services' canteens effected a saving of 3,035 tons of flour and over 5,000 tons of sugar at the beginning of March. The quantity had been surrendered to the Food Department for reallocation to civil needs.

The ban on the slaughter of cattle as imposed by the Central and Provincial Governments, the General said, during the war was still in force and it had now been decided that troops overseas in S. E. A. C. would no longer be supplied with sheep and goats from India. The percentage of cattle killed for Army to the total cattle population stood at .11 in 1942. In 1945, it had come down to .05.

Military transport had also been made available in the distribution of food for the civil population. The four civil G. T. Cos. raised in Bengal and Behar had been offered as complete units to provincial governments but the offer had been rejected.

Slum Improvement

Mr. Bhupesh Gupta, Barrister-at-Law, Honorary Legal Adviser, and Mr. Hrishi Banerjee, Secretary to the Ultadanga Bustee Committee, in a statement referring to the quit notice served on the Ultadanga bustee dwellers uder the Bengal Slum Improvement Act say :—

Under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act, 1945, the Chairman of Calcutta Improvement Trust has served notices upon about 250 owners of bustee huts, affecting roughly 1,000 families. It is understood that similar notices will shortly be served on many others.

Before preparing the present scheme, the authorities of the Calcutta Improvement Trust did not bother to ascertain the views of the actual inhabitants of these bustees with the result that the scheme is full of drawbacks and in some measure, directly against the interests of the tenants. The scheme provides that a sum of Rs. 40,473 only shall be spent toward the cost of demolition and as compensations to be paid to the owners of the huts. There is no provision, however, as to how much the actual occupants of these huts shall get.

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HEALTH & HYGIENE

Modern Conception Of Health Requirements

Dr. B. C. Roy's Broadcast Talks

"It may take 40 years or more to implement fully the Long-Term Programme, but once given effect to, it will secure for the people, a reasonably well developed service based on the newer and extended conception of modern health requirements," said Dr. B. C. Roy, Member of the Bhore Health Committee, in a broadcast talk on the Committee's Report, from All-India Radio, Calcutta.

He said that such a long term of years would be necessary to give full effect to the scheme because,

(1) the total number of personnel required for implementing the scheme for the whole of British India was not now available. It may take 30 years and more to do so;

(2) the money necessary for giving effect to this scheme, both recurring and non-recurring, may be difficult for this country to afford immediately; and

(3) the technique for providing the health services should be developed in reference to the existing social and economic conditions of the people.

Emphasizing this third reason, Dr. Roy pointed out that it should be a tragedy if the techniques developed in other countries were to be applied to India.

He also mentioned the short-term scheme covering two periods of five years each which the Committee had considered along with the blue print of the long term.

Two Types Of Services

As Chairman of the Medical Relief Committee, Dr. Roy prepared a plan for medical relief of people covering health services of two types *viz.*, personal and impersonal. The figures collected for this purpose brought out the fact that death rate in India was perhaps the highest in the world except Egypt. Infant mortality was also the highest and the expectation of life was the lowest. It was estimated that 60 per cent. of deaths could be and should have been prevented, if provision was made to create healthy environment to provide adequate nutrition and to undertake preventive and curative measures for all members of the community irrespective of their ability to pay for the same and to enlist the active co-operation of people in the maintenance of their health.

In British India the total number of Doctors was 47,000, Nurses 7,000, Health Visitors 750, and Midwives 5,000, *i.e.*, 1 Doctor for every 6,300 people, 1 Nurse for 43,000 people, 1 Health Visitor for 4 lacs people and 1 Midwife for 60,000 people. As compared with this in England there was one Doctor for 1,000 people, 1 Nurse for 300 people, one Health Visitor for 4,000 and one Midwife for 580.

The total number of Hospital beds available in India was about 73,000, that is to say, 24 beds per thousand population whereas it was 10.4 in America and 7.11 in England. According to Dr. Roy absence of planning, apathy of Government and want of health consciousness among the people were the three reasons for the present state of affairs in India.

The combined expenditure on medical relief and public health activities in India in 1944-45 amounted to - 519 per capita per year whereas the corresponding figure for the United Kingdom was Rs. 54-8 in 1935-36 and in the United States of America Rs. 51-6 in 1938. A moderate calculation showed that not more than 5 to 6 per cent. of the total provincial revenue was meant for health services.

Health Service For Future

Dr. Roy observed, "For the first time, the Bhore Committee has made a serious attempt to draw up such a comprehensive plan for every type of health service, in order to secure positive health for the people of the country."

He said that in preparing a plan for health development in the future, the Committee accepted certain fundamental principles.

(1) That every individual had a right to receive from the State free and adequate medical care;

(2) That the health programme must include both curative and preventive measures;

(3) That there was an urgent need to develop and maintain health services for the vast rural population;

(4) That the health services should be placed as close to the people as possible;

(5) That the scheme should be so devised as to secure active co-operation of the people in all stages.

(6) The Ministry of Health in future should contain persons with an intimate knowledge of health matters, who should enjoy the confidence of the public and were thus able to secure their support in matters of legislation and administration.

The countryside was the focal point of the Committee's main recommendations, because therein resided 90 per cent. of the people, who to-day received very little health protection

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I. N. A. MEDICAL MEN

Their Services Requisitioned By U.P. Government

The Hon'ble Mrs. Vijaya Laxmi Pandit, Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government, U. P., disclosed at a recent press conference that the Congress Ministry had requisitioned the services of Indian National Army medical men to fight diseases particularly plague and cholera in the province.

Mrs. Pandit said that 50 nursing orderlies and three doctors of I. N. A. had already been employed temporarily and a request for more medical men had been made to the Central I. N. A. Committee. The Government was considering the question of issuing an appeal to medical men to offer their services to Government in their anti epidemic drive.

Two Fundamental Principles

Dr. Roy also observed that he had raised the following two fundamental issues at the time of the Bhore Committee's appointment and that these principles were accepted by the authorities :—

"*First* that we should be free to overhaul, if need be, the whole of the existing machinery for administration of health services in India as also the policy guiding it, and not be weighed down by any consideration of sectional service, communal or racial interests.

"*Secondly*, that in planning for the future, we should proceed on the basis that the problems belong to an Independent India, an India which would be free to formulate its own Scheme of Health Development and be responsible to carry it into effect, an India where people will give to the plan their free and willing co-operation without which success cannot be ensured."

(II)

The Bhore Committee's Short-Term Programme, divided into five three year periods and providing for a country-wide health organisation, was reviewed by Dr. B. C. Roy during his second broadcast on the Committee's Report from A.I.R., Calcutta.

Pointing out that in this programme emphasis was laid on preventive work in preference to curative, Dr. Roy said that even if all the money and staff at present available were employed for curative purposes, only a small section of the population would be relieved. On the other hand, every health programme should be developed on the foundation of preventive service.

Short-Term Programme

In the Short-Term Programme such measure would be adopted as would produce demonstrable result. Maternity and Child Welfare work was placed on the forefront of the programme because 50 per cent of the total deaths in the year occurred below the age of 10 and 200,000 mothers died at childbirth every year. If the mortality could be reduced by intensive educative propaganda, particularly among women and children and by improving environment condition, water supply, etc.,

TUBERCULOSIS IN NEWS

His Excellency At Tuberculosis Association

H. E. Sir Frederick Burrows, Governor of Bengal, addressing the annual general meeting of the Bengal Tuberculosis Association in Calcutta, referred to the recent incidence of epidemics in the province and the vigorous measures taken by Government to combat them. 'I believe that we have to a large extent been successful," he said.

For good and essential work done, thanks, on behalf of himself and the people of the province, were given by the Governor to the workers and members of the Association. In that connection he said he hoped that the Association would continue to be supported both morally and financially by the public in this province.

After referring to the increase in facilities for treatment made available during the past year, Sir Frederick said it was planned to convert one of the largest American military hospitals in the province into a tuberculosis hospital. This should provide at least 500 more beds for the accommodation of patients.

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H. E. Sir Fredrick Burrows and Lady Burrows visited the Jadavpur Tuberculosis Hospital on the 27th April last. On arrival they were received by Dr. B. C. Roy and Dr. K. S. Ray, President and Superintendent respectively of the hospital. H. E. and Lady Burrows were shown round different wards of the hospital.

Among others present were Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, Chief Minister, Khan Bahadur Muhammed Ali, Finance Minister and Khan Bahadur Abdul Goffran, Minister for Civil Supplies.

Started in 1924 with a bequest of about Rs. 2,00,000 made by the late Mr. Provash Chandra Ghosh of Calcutta and a cottage hospital of four beds, it has now accommodation for 310 patients. The number is insignificant compared to the number of patients afflicted with the disease in Bengal, which is estimated at 1,000,000.

GOVT. VACCINE LYMPH DEPOT

Reply To Press Criticism

The Government of Bengal in the course of a *Press Note* says :—

Certain observations made in the report of the Health Survey and Development Committee, popularly known as the Bhore Committee, have led to comments in a section of the Press in respect of the administration of the Government Vaccine Lymph Depot and the Cholera Vaccine Laboratory in Calcutta.

It is perhaps not realized that the Bhore Committee report, which has been published only recently, is actually based on inquiries made a considerable time ago; in fact the Committee's impressions in regard to the Lymph Depot and the Cholera Vaccine Laboratory were formed during a visit to these institutions on May 7, 1944.

Even before the Committee's visit, however, Government had apointed a Sub-Committee of the Sanitary Board to examine the whole position, and steps were taken on the recommendations of this Sub-Committee to rectify defects. The improvements effected included the construction of separate quarantine sheds, a revision of the manufacture of lymphs on the lines followed at Belgaum, purchase of new equipment and the installation of a more efficient refrigeration machinery. Field tests were introduced to test the potency of lymphs which were issued for use only if found suitable.

In 1945 another Sub-Committee of experts was appointed by Government to make a further report and this Sub-Committee certified that defnite improvements had been made and production was being carried out in accordance with accepted methods.

For several months now the Vaccine Depot in Calcutta has been manufacturing lymphs sufficient not only to meet the demands of Bengal but also the requirements of Indian and British troops in the S. E. A. C. area. Similarly the Vaccines prepared at the Cholera Vaccine Laboratory are meeting the demands not only of Bengal and other provinces but also of some of armed forces overseas.

the value of the programme would be demonstrated both to the public and to the authorities.

The Programme would aim at :—

(1) Increasing provision for training of Doctors, Technician Nurses, Midwives, Pharmacists, Health Assistants, Social Workers, etc. Not only must a larger number of Doctors be trained, but should be trained as "social" physicians with a bias for preventive work so as to ensure personal and community health.

(2) Perfecting the technique of health administration in the country by actual demonstration of health services over certain areas.

(3) Educating the public in health matters, mobilising the goodwill and rousing their health consciousness by letting them participate in local health programme through the creation of village, Sub-division or District Committees. Such health education would enable the people themselves to discard social customs, habits and prejudices detrimental to health.

Due to insufficiency of funds and of trained personnel, at the outset no District Health Centre Organisation was provided in the Short-Term Programme. One Secondary Centre and 5 Primary Centres would be started in the District with a smaller hospital and staff than that under the Long-Term Programme. The staff in the Primary Centre would attend to preventive work like sterilisation of water supply, vaccination, checking of vital statistics, anti-malaria field operation, etc. As experience grew, the number of Primary and Secondary Units would increase in a District and eventually, as more money, trained personnel and tested techniques became available the District Health Centre and Hospital would be established and the complete 3 million plan worked

Dr. Roy emphasised that a widely distributed machinery of this type could work satisfactorily only if there was some authority to guide and supervise and to co-ordinate the activities of the constituent units. The Committee had visualised that there would be a Ministry of Health at the Centre and Ministries of Health in the Provinces There would also be Local Area Health Administrations while the Central Authority was necessary to control interprovincial spread of communable diseases, the sanitary control of interprovincial traffic, the enforcement of standards regarding food and drugs, it would at the same time recognise the autonomy of the Provincial Health Authorities.

Health Services Personnel

Dr. Roy further pointed out that all the personnel employed for the various health services during the Long and Short-Term periods would be whole-time officers. Part-time workers or honorary workers may have some place in the District and Secondary Health Centres. In creating this combined health service, a complete overhauling of the present system of having Imperial, provincial or subordinate services was suggested and a policy was laid down for making these appointments.

The per capita expenditure per year under the long-term would be about Rs. 10 whereas during the first three 5 year periods the estimated cost per capita would be Re. 1-4 for the first quinquennium, Rs. 2-7 for the second and Re. 1-14 for the third. These figures represented an expenditure of 4 to 6 times the amount spent to-day. Dr. Roy observed: "To those who consider this to be excessive, I can only say that health programme demands a very high priority in the allocation of available financial resources, because the carrying out of the health measures proposed is one of the most effective ways of ensuring the economic prosperity of the country and of materially raising the level of national income. Who can assess accurately in terms of money, the effect of ill health on the community, who can estimate the financial loss which the country suffers as the result of decreased productivity through sickness?"

Long-Term Programme

Dr. Roy also gave an outline of the Long-Term Programme which would take years to mature and would require 2,33,000 doctors, 6,70,000 nurses including health workers, 1,15,000 midwives and 77,000 Pharmachists. The countryside was the focal point of this planning. The aim was to place the health services as near to the people of the villagers as possible and to make the ultimate unit health administration as small as practicable. Thus under the Long-Term Programme, there would be Primary Units under the guidance, advice and control of Secondary Units, with District Units at the top. Thus there would be a net work of units from the Centre to periphery along which would flow currents of co-operative efforts, guidance and counsel.

Concluding his talk Dr. Roy said: "The task is stupendous. We need money, we need men, we need developed technique. The Bhore Committee has given the blue print for the future workers to fill in the details, give it a shape and make it a growing, living programme for the generations yet unborn."

SOME CALCUTTA PROBLEMS REVIEWED

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Obviously, the compensation provided for is much too inadequate, especially in respect of those, who are using their houses for trade and business purposes. Moreover, there is no provision that alternative housings shall be found for those, who are going to be eventually evicted from the bustees.

The notices have not allowed sufficient time for the persons affected to consider the plans and state their suggestions and the manner in which they have been served falls far short of what is known as "reasonable notice."

But what is most objectionable is that the Chairman of the Calcutta Improvement Trust refuses to answer the communications sent to him by our Committee and would not otherwise negotiate with it. The Calcutta Improvement Trust is, therefore, acting contrary to the spirit of the Bengal Slum Improvement Act, 1945 and against the best interests of the citizens, specially the bustee-dwellers.

They appeal to all the leading citizens to take up the cause of those poor bustee people and see that the Calcutta Improvement Trust may not function in such authoritative manner.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

[The Editor does not hold himself responsible for the views expressed by the correspondents]

"NORTHERN PARK" AS "NETAJI PARK"

To, the Editor, "Calcutta Municipal Gazette",

Sir,—People will naturally think that "Northern Park" is situated somewhere in the northern part of the City. Really, it is not a happy naming when a park in South Calcutta is called "Northern Park". May I, therefore, suggest through the medium of your esteemed journal, that if the said park (Northern Park in Bhowanipur), which is very close to Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's residence, be called "Netaji Park" in hallowed memory of the greatest patriot and martyr, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, Supreme Commander, Indian National Army (Azad Hind Fouj), the first Chief Executive Officer and former Mayor of the Corporation of Calcutta, an inhabitant of this place, whose sublime self-sacrifice at the altar of his country's freedom has brought a new national inspiration to the hearts of the Indian people and has awakened a feeling of respectful gratitude to him throughout the length and breadth of India and even abroad, it will not be an unhappy naming after all.—Yours etc.

RADHA RAMAN MANNA.

8, Balaram Bose 2nd Lane,
P.O.—Elgin Road, Calcutta
30th April, 1946.

ROAD ACCIDENTS AND SAFETY MEASURES

To the Editor, *Calcutta Municipal Gazette*

Sir,—It seems that despite the termination of the war and the consequent absence of necessity for high speed, the carelessness of the drivers of military and Government vehicles and of bus and taxis in Calcutta has increased.

A large majority of recent fatal accidents have, however, been caused by military vehicles. I cannot induce myself to believe that citizens, who had in the past taken great interest in safety education, wilfully violate highway codes and fail in front of these vehicles. The case of the young and popular headmaster of the Keshub Academy is an instance in point.

A multiplicity of factors is responsible for the street accidents, of which careless driving at high speed is only one. I deprecate the tendency of military and other authorities to throw the onus on the drivers of civilian vehicles and on lack of road sense among the public.

The Bengal Provincial Branch of the Safety First Association of India is trying its best to educate the public in the highway code, in co-operation with the Police and other departments of the Government and the Calcutta Corporation. Lectures, exhibitions and special drives have been organized. Before safety education can permeate every age group and walk of life of a population which is taking over from agriculture to industry, a decline in the incidence of accidents cannot be expected. The Education Departments of Government and of local authorities have a great responsibility in this regard.

But safety education can neither attend to road engineering nor to the removal of footpath obstruction by stationary hawkers, beggars and destitutes and unnecessary road furniture. It is not the fault of pedestrians that he walks in the road under these circumstances. The poor pedestrian has been blamed far too much for any preventible accident that occurs.

In a study undertaken last year it was shown that drivers of civilian cars were the least responsible for rash driving and for causing accidents. Tests for driving licenses, whether for the military or for civilians, must be made more stringent. They must be asked not to exceed a speed of 15 to 20 miles an hour within the town; to go slow before educational institutions and hospitals and near crossings; and to halt behind a stationary tramcar or bus until all the passengers have cleared off the street.

More military and police patrols are indicated; recalcitrants should be heavily punished. The Traffic Control Department needs to be strengthened to attend to all important road junctions.—Yours, etc.

A. C. UKIL,
Chairman,
Bengal Provincial Branch,
Safety First Association of India.
Calcutta, 24th April, 1946.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST LEPROSY

A 20-Year Programme For Southern India

A 20-year war against leprosy in India is being planned in England, it is revealed by Dr. R. G. Cochrane of Vellore, South India, who is giving a course of lectures on leprosy to students at the School of Tropical Medicine in Liverpool.

Dr. Cochrane, Honorary Director of a Government sponsored campaign against leprosy in Southern India, is returning to Vellore in June to establish a Medical College of the University grade.

He said, he hoped to provide teaching facilities about leprosy and to build up adequate preventive units in every district where leprosy is prevalent.

Experiments for ridding the country of the disease have been remarkably successful, Dr. Cochrane claims for in three out of four villages, there has been a marked decrease in the disease, while in one village that had not yet received medical attention, the disease had spread five times in five years.

"The Medical College, which will be the only wholly residential Medical College in India, will integrate the teaching of medicine with rural needs and conditions will be studied in the affected villages themselves," Dr. Cochrane said. "The method of waging war on leprosy is to prevent it from spreading. There is a belief that it is inherited. That is wrong. The disease is contracted in childhood and if we can prevent the children from becoming lepers, then the battle can be won in 20 years."

Dr. Cochrane said that the cost of the war against the disease would be in the region of 2,00,000 pounds.

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

GEN. SHAH NAWAZ AND COL MAHBOOB AHMED

Major-General Shah Nawaz and Col. Mahboob Ahmed, Military Secretary of the Supreme Headquarters of the Azad Hind Fauz arrived in Calcutta on Monday morning, the 29th April, by the B. N. R. Bombay Mail.

The I. N. A. volunteers and a band party along with a large crowd waited at the Howrah station to receive the two soldiers of the Azad Hind Fauz. When the train arrived, Major-General Shah Nawaz and Col. Ahmed could not get down for nearly 15 minutes from the train on account of rush of the crowd before the train door.

Major-General Shah Nawaz and Col. Mehboob visited the Bengal I. N. A Relief and Enquiry Committee at Bowbazar. They were shown round the various departments of the office by Amiyanath Bose, Secretary of the Committee.

Major-General Shah Nawaz explained the main line of operation followed by Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose on a map of India-Burma theatre of war.

The time for talks was gone. The British were now gasping for life. They would have to answer one question—whether or not they would part with power in good grace or be made to quit India, declared Maj-Gen. Shah Nawaz addressing a mammoth gathering at Sraddhananda Park on Tuesday evening last.

The story that there was extortion in the matter of contribution to the Azad Hind Fund which financed the Provincial Azad Hind Government was downright false propoganda of the British, asserted Gen. Shah Nawaz and added that contributions were purely voluntary.

This propaganda, the General continued, was carried out only to bring Netaji into disgrace. People ought not to be deceived by British bluff and take this stuff lying down.

Gen. Shah Nawaz addressed the meeting in Hindusthani.

Syed Nausher Ali, President, I. N. A. Relief Committee, Bengal, presided.

Col. Mahboob Ahmed Military Secretary to Netaji, who also addressed the meeting said that as members of the I. N. A. they had taken the vow that until freedom was achieved they would take no rest and continue their fight. Whatever might be the outcome of the leaders' talk with the Cabinet Mission they did not mind. They for themselves were always ready to fight for winning their freedom.

During their short visit to Calcutta, the sum of Rs. 1,613 besides some gold ornaments were presented to them towards the I. N. A. Relief Fund. They also called on Sarat Chandra Bose.

CONFERENCE OF FORWARD BLOC WORKERS

Resolutions demanding the immediate release of all political prisoners and urging upon the workers of the Forward Bloc to accept "the ideology, technique and programme" laid down by Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose were adopted at a conference of the Forward Bloc workers at the Indian Association Hall on Saturday, the 27th April last under the presidentship of Prof. Jyotish Chandra Ghosh.

Presiding over the function Prof. Ghosh said that the Forward Bloc was still under ban because it was the only powerful body in India that the Government was afraid of. If they could follow the ideals of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, they would be able to achieve independence in no time. Forward Bloc was a party within the Congress and not a separate organization. "We have ideological differences with the Congress but we would like to convert the Congress to our own ideology," said Prof. Ghosh.

NEW COMMISSIONER OF POLICE

Mr. D. R. Hardwick, I. P., Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Intelligence Branch, has been appointed Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, in place of Mr. R. E. A. Ray, C.I.E., I.P., who is due to retire shortly.

MR. JAMINI ROY'S PAINTINGS

An Exhibition Held In London

An exhibition of paintings and drawings of the famous Indian artist, Mr. Jamini Roy, was recently opened in the Arcade Gallery in London. The ceremony was performed by Mr. E. M. Forster, well-known novelist and writer on Indian affairs.

Over a hundred people present at the opening included the Indian High Commissioner, Sir Samuel Rungamadhan, and leading British writers and artists.

Forster told the audience that during his recent visit to India he appreciated Indian art, specially the work of Bengalee artists, and it was his interest, while in India, that was mainly responsible for exhibition being arranged in London—the first time that Roy's work has been exhibited outside India.

Nearly eighty paintings and drawings are on view.

HYDERABAD MUNICIPALITY

Suspended For Three Years

A Sind Government *Press Note* announces that Hyderabad Municipality has been suspended for three years. Unsound finances, inefficient administration and unhealthy conditions in the town are among the 13 charges brought against the municipality.

An I. C. S. officer has been appointed to take over the administration and carry out certain improvements.

Calcutta Mortality

Deaths from all causes in Calcutta during the week ended April 27 showed a rise of 78 over the previous week's figure of 574. Causes other than the 49 classified diseases and accidents mentioned in Calcutta Corporation's weekly vital statistics report were responsible for the loss of 205 lives against 167 the week before. During the corresponding week last year there were 874 and 929 deaths from all causes.

Of the total mortality during the week, 14 persons had no permanent address in the city. In 10 of these cases, the cause of death is reported to have been specific diseases, while in 3 it has been certified as "natural" and in 1 as "unknown."

Cholera attacks and deaths were 78 and 28, respectively, against 128 and 39 the week before. During the corresponding weeks last year there were 592 and 422 attacks and 175 and 186 deaths.

There were 6 attacks and 4 deaths from small-pox against 8 and 5 in the preceding week. Figures for the corresponding weeks last year were 65 and 116 attacks and 52 and 101 deaths.

Deaths from malaria totalled 23 against 22 the week before. In the corresponding weeks last year the disease claimed 36 and 30 lives.

DR. RADHA BINOD PAL

Dr. Radha Binod Pal, *ex*-Judge of Calcutta High Court and a former Vice-Chancellor of Calcutta University, has been appointed a judge on the United Nations War Crimes Tribunal in Tokyo for the trial of major Japanese war criminals, according to information received in Calcutta.

Dr. Pal will shortly leave for Tokyo.

PROF. MEGHNAD SAHA

Prof. Meghnad Saha is expected to leave for London by the end of May to attend the Empire Scientific Conference.

GEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE ANNIVERSARY

The view that India could not thrive without industrialization and industrialization called for an extensive geological survey and that unfortunately India had not gone beyond the graduate stage geologically and therefore extensive research and exploration works connected with geology was imperative, was expressed by Dr. M. N. Saha, speaking at the 42nd Anniversary Meeting of the Geological Institute on the 27th April last in the Geology Department of the Presidency College

Referring to his recent visit to Moscow in connection with the Jubilee Celebration of the Soviet Science Academy where he met a former Director of Geological Survey as also a member of the Viceroy's Executive Council who had advised him to visit the Minerological Museum of Russia, he said, that the Museum impressed him as an exemplary institution, of earthly science where 10,000 geologists were employed in connection with geological research besides innumerable geophysicists and geochemists. There he saw a geological map of Russia which gave a vivid account of the minerals of economic use Thereafter he had asked the former Director of Geological Survey of India as to why he was not able to advance geological research in India when he was in a much privileged position. The Director had replied that all through he was obstructed by the Indian Civil Service, particularly the Finance Department, in all of his plannings for geological survey.

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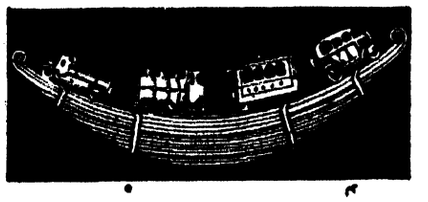
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LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

RENT CONTROLLER'S AUTHORITY

Justice Clough of the Calcutta High Court held that the appointment of the Controller of Rent under the Calcutta House Rent Control Order, 1943, was not *ultra vires* Rule 81 (2) (bb) of the Defence of India Rules

The question was raised in the suit brought by the plaintiff, Butto Kristo Shaw, to recover possession of a premises, in Calcutta, from the defendant, Panchu Gopal Shaw.

The plaintiff's contention was that Clauses 9A and 9B of the Calcutta House Rent Control Order set up an officer called the Rent Controller who was given the duty to determine private rights between H. M's subjects concerning laws relating to property and contract. The Controller performed judicial functions and was, therefore, a "court" and a "tribunal." Such a court could not be created under Section 14 of the Defence of India Act. Further, Clauses 9A and 9B were *ultra vires* the powers of the provincial Government.

His lordship held that the Rent Control Order was not an ouster of the jurisdiction of the Court. It seemed to him that the Controller was set up to act not in a judical but in an executive capacity. The Order merely changed the existing law relating to landlord and tenant. His lordship also found it impossible to say that Clauses 9A and 9B did not come within the words used in Rule 81 (2) (bb).

His lordship, accordingly, refused the plaintiff's prayer for possession of the premises but granted him a decree for arrears of rent, etc., with costs.

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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 27th April, 1946.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN & SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 652 against 574 and 651 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 222. The general death-rate of the week was 12.97 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 27th April, 1946, was 534 against 477 and 519 in the two preceding week. There were 25 deaths from cholera against 33 and 46 in the two preceding weeks. There were 4 deaths from small-pox during the week against 5 in the previous week. There was no death from influenza against 3 in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 47 and 84 respectively against 46 and 74 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 12.13 per mille per annum.

There were 22 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 11.63.

There were 86 deaths from respiratory diseases against 81 in the previous week.

There were 53 deaths from tuberculosis against 28 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 118 against 97 and 132 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 3 were from cholera, nil from small-pox, nil from influenza, 13 from fevers, 24 from bowel-complaints and 20 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 18.88 per mille.

There were 3 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate was 18.40.

There were 5 deaths from tuberculosis against 9 in the previous week.

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A proposal to institute two Intermediate Doctorate degrees in Arts and Science is receiving the attention of the University authorities, it is further learnt.

VACCINATION AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS

The Ministry of Health in Moscow has ordered vaccination of new-born infants against tuberculosis. The vaccination of children in kindergarten schools will be on a large scale. According to Moscow officials Bolshvik infants are immunized six weeks after vaccination.

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2. Construction of garage way at 17/1, Bethune Row—Rs. 40/- dated 29th April, 1946 (15 days).

K. L. DE,
District Engineer I.

District I Eng'g. Office,
The 2nd May, 1946.

District No. II Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers superscribed "Tender for....." on Tuesday, the 14th May, 1946 up to 2 p.m.

The Petty Improvement Contractors are requested to call at this office to note the items and descriptions of works for which tenders are to be submitted, from a copy kept in the District Engineer's room for inspection.

2. Constructing lamp hole off 14, Harin Bari Lane Rs. 175/- dated 29th April, 1946, (15 days).

3. Providing a collapsible gate at the Mullickghat Pumping Station Rs. 638 dated 23rd October, 1945 (1½ months).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics "7 days' notice as printed in Clause 6 of the conditions of contract should be read as "3 days' notice."

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II.

District II Eng'g. Office,
The 29th April, 1946.

District No. III Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Wednesday, the 8th May, 1946, up to 2 p.m.

15. Repairing the sparred iron shelves in Beef and Mutton Ranges in S S Hogg Market—Rs. 844 dated 29th April, 1946, (1 month).

16. Repairs to G. I. Guttering and table frames in Fish Ranges in S S Hogg Market—Rs. 947 dated 29th April, 1946 (1 month).

17. Repairs to the Kitchen attached to Malies' Shed at Tiljala Cemetery in Ward No. 18 Rs. 130 dated 29th April, 1946 (2 weeks).

18. Repairs to the delapidated compound wall (southern side portion) at Topsia Hindu Burial Ground in Ward No. 18—Rs. 900/- dated 29th April, 1946 (1 month).

19. Repairs to surface drain in Moti Jhil Lane in Ward No. 19 Rs. 381 dated 17th July, 1945 (3 weeks).

20. Repairs to footpath of Dr. Suresh Sarcar Road in Ward No. 19—Rs. 391 dated 17th July, 1945 (3 weeks).

21. Repairing western boundary wall in Central Garage Rs. 333/- dated 29th April, 1946 (3 weeks).

22. Repairs to surface drain in Meat Cart repairing shed in Entally Workshop —Rs. 169 - dated 29th April, 1946 (2 weeks).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics (7 days' notice) as printed in clause 6 of the Tender and Agreement Form for piece work should be read as "3 days' notice."

S. C. GHOSE,
District Engineer III.

Central Municipal Office,
The 29th April, 1946

District No. IV Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer, in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Thursday, the 16th May, 1946 up to 2 p.m

10. Construction of privy at Soleana Burial Ground, Ward No. 25—Rs. 423/- dated 17th January, 1946 (1 month).

11. Repairs to compound Wall at Soleana Burial Ground, Ward No. 25—Rs. 592 dated 9th August, 1945 (1 month).

12. Repairs to Kerb and Channel Stone in Chetla Road, Ward No. 24—Rs. 388/- dated 19th May, 1945 (15 days).

13. Repairs to the retaining wall attached to the surface drain opposite 35, Diamond Harbour Road, Ward No. 25—Rs. 414/- dated 26th September, 1945 (15 days).

14. Repairs to kerb and channel stones at the junction of Bridge Road and Chetla Road, Ward No. 24—Rs. 376 dated 8th May, 1945 (15 days).

A. F. NABI BAKSH,
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Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.				F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	,, 18	2 4 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.						
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

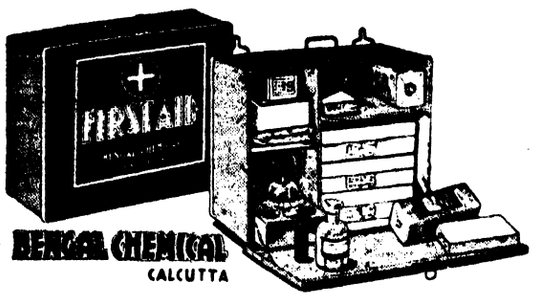
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)						H. 1-3	8 0 0	Refreshment Room.
*,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.			
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a white arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 500 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 16th April, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bilong	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster	2 8 0	3 0 0
Baghda	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhangnar	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa	1 12 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer		2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score		1 10 0
Fowl's eggs		1 10 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal "	0 5 0	0 6 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each		
*Tomato per seer	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4-0
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	
Garlic "	1 0 0	1 8 0
Green Chilly per seer	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
Pans (Bauchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 4 0	0 5 0
" (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 6	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond "	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 8 to 12	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras "		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk "		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
RICE.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 0	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 2 6	(Contd
Sugar "	0 8 6	
	(Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
" (Sugarcandy) "	0 10 0	0 12 0
	(Ration	Shop)
Suji	0 3 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Chana "	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 8 0	0 9 0
Bhanga " "	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree "	0 6 0	0 7 0
Kalai "	0 6 6	
Biuli "	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 10 0
" (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar "	0 8 0	0 9 0
Salt (Controlled) "	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal "		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 "		
Do. 2 "		
Corn Flower 1 "		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET
Rates quoted on the 2nd May, 1946.

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	2 0 0	2 4 0	1 8 0	1 12 0
Curry Beef —	1 12 0	2 2 0	1 8 0	1 14 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 4 0	4 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0
Hump per seer —	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
Rib —	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0
Round ,, —	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0
Sirloin ,, —	3 0 0	4 0 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
Suet (Kidney) —	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (s)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Saddle ...	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Leg per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0		

ARTICLES.	1st Class	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON.			
Chops per seer ...	3 0 0 — 3 12 0		
Breast ,, ...	3 0 0 — 3 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	3 0 0 — 3 8 0		
Leg per sr. ...	3 0 0 — 3 8 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	3 0 0 — 4 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 0 0 — 3 8 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0 — 0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6 — 0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0 — 2 4 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 4 0 — 0 6 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0 — 0 14 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0		
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0 — 0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —.	1 4 0 — 1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0 — 2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat —	2 12 0 — 3 0 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lunchoon Sausage per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 0 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 8 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — —	3 8 0	4 4 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

Prices of foreign articles as well as Indian commodities are liable to fluctuate daily without notice and not controllable at present on account of War and hence approximate prices are given.



Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 2 0	1 4 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Capon ,, ...	5 8 0	8 0 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	25 0 0	30 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	18 0 0	20 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ..	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	2 12 0	3 2 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling p. lb.		0 3 6
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per lb. ...		0 5 0
Do. Agra —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
*Do. French Darjeeling		0 3 6
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage each ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling lb.		0 4 9
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per lb.		0 5 6
Do. (Allahabad) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 12 0	0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. lb.	0 7 6	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Country each		
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ..		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. lb		0 3 6
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per lb. ...		0 6 6
Lettuce each ...	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 5 6	0 7 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 9 0	0 10 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 6	0 6 6
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 12 0	2 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, lb. ...		0 5 6
Do. Hazaribagh , ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
Do. Simla ,, ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...		
Potatoes (Nainital) ,, ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital ..	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)		
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 4 6	0 5 6
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per lb. ...		0 5 0
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle		
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Squash per seer —		
Country Spinach per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per lb.		0 6 0
Do. Country ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	
*Turnip p. lb. Darjeeling		0 4 6
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red ,, per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Tarai per seer —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Kankrole per seer —		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.		
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 12 0	3 8 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 2 0	0 10 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 8 0	4 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples —		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	8 0 0	10 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Looket per score ...	0 14 0	1 0 0
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mask Melon per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mask Melon ,, lb. (Lucknow)	0 14 0	1 0 0
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)	6 0 0	7 0 0
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...	0 12 0	1 8 0
Do. Golapkhash —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 0 0	4 0 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...		
Do. Nagpur 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 10—12	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
lum per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
neapple Country each —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore „ —		
Do. Ceylon „ —		
Do. Madras „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Comilla „ —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling „ —		
ntain Champa Bunch —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban „ —	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritasagar „ —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul „ —	0 12 0	1 0 0
apaya Jasore each —	0 10 0	2 0 0
Do. Country „ —	0 6 0	0 10 0
ams per lb. (Kakul) —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb. —		
Do. Country per score —		
omegranate Bhowanagore per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar —	3 0 0	3 8 0
uamalo each (country) —	0 6 0	0 8 0
uamalo balbar each —	0 10 0	1 2 0
runes Fresh per lb. —		
runes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do. —		
Do. Delmonta do. —		
alasia do. —		
ears (Kulu) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital) —	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4 —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb. —		
Do. Peshwar per doz. —		
Do. Australian per lb. —		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. —		
Do. Cashmere —	2 0 0	2 8 0
eaches America dry p. lb. —	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb. —		
Do. Punjab „ —	1 8 0	2 0 0
ineapple per tin —	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ..		
Rose Apple per score —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Sofata 3—10 ...	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score —	0 5 0	0 8 0
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Surdah Kabul per lb.	0 8 0	0 10 0
Tamarind per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each	0 12 0	1 4 0
Do. Goalund each —	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul —	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad „ ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Bhagalpur each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Water fruit per seer —		
Water Melon Kabul per lb.	0 5 0	0 6 0
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb. ...		
Do. „ 1 lb. packet ...		
Almond Salted (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb. ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Almond Kabul per lb. ...	1 2 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb. ...	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb. ...		
Almond Salted (small) per lb. ...		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (Salted) „	2 4 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb. ...	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb. ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet ...	3 0 0	
Chestnut per lb. ...		
Dates Arab per seer ...	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb. ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb. ...		
Khurma per seer ...	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb. ...		0 6 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet ...	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet ...	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb. ...		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb. —		5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb. ...		
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb. ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.		
Prunes dry per lb. ...		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Do. (red) per lb. —	1 4 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet...		
Do. American 1 lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. „ per packet ...		
Do. (Sankist) per lb. ...		
Cake Raisin per lb. ...	0 12 0	0 14 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
A. 1 & 2	Per day. As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	Per day. As. 4 each	Potato.
E 8	„ 6 „	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	„ 3	Betel leaves.
			Meat 8, 9 & 10	„ 3	Meat

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	1 8 0	2 8 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ... —	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. —	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	4 8 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ..	5 0 0	5 12 0
Cutla per seer ...	1 12 0	2 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Rohi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Butter fish per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 0 0	3 12 0
Lobster —	2 8 0	3 4 0
Sea fish ...	2 4 0	3 8 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 4 0	4 12 0
Mackerel —	2 12 0	3 4 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Ladies finger ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 8 0	0 8 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed. „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundasi'd)		0 5 6
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 6 0
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 6	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolsi manja per md.		
Do. per seer ...		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ...		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 8 0
Chola „ —		0 10 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 8 0
Khasari „ ...		0 8 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 12 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 5 0	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 2 0	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 sticks each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer „	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Haldi „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb. — ...		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
Peak Freans Biscuits.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
Huntley Palmer.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
Britannia		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie —		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 8	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 8
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 8	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 8	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 8
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Pepperments per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0	
Dereszke per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk. (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0 0
„ „ „		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ —		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ ...		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb. —	2 5 0	2 6 0
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb. —	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ ..	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. ...		
Isinglass per pkt. ..		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
King Cocoanut Hair Oil	1 2 0	4 8
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0
*Bisurated Magnesia,large	2 4 0	3 15
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment —	1 6 0	1 14
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

* Controlled Price

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial payment for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Veg. 4, 5, 6, 12, and 14	0 8 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 8 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 8 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 8 0	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boilee ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ..		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...		0 8 0
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 4 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Biswaswar) (Sree		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled	Price)	
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Con		
Do. (Brown Java) } trol.		0 8 6
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole m eal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,, —		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanita' ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P
Patal —		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas —	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —	1 8 0	1 8 0
Prawns —		
Parsey —		
Bagda —		
Bhetki —		
Crab per pair —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi —	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st May, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
DAL.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 9 0	0 10 0
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...		0 7 0
Do. (Khari) ..		0 8 0
Mattor Dal —	0 7 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		
Ranchi ,, ...		6 0 0
Sree (Mark) ...	4 12 0	
Khurja (controlled) ...		3 14 0
Bhaduwa do. ...		3 14 0
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)	3 14 0	
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) —		0 6 0
*Atta		0 5 0
*Do. B .. —		
Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
BUTTER.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	2 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —		
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—82 ...	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...	8 0 0	
Dates Arab —	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		2 0 0
Naspati —		
Mango 6—10 ...	1 0 0	
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —		
VEGETABLES		
Patal (Desi) ...	0 12 0	
Patal per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Potatoes New ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Potatoes (Nanita) —	0 3 6	0 5 0
Brinjal —	0 5 0	0 6 6
Ginger —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Onion ...	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage per seer —		
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona ,, }	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }		2 8 0
Bagda ,, —	2 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 12 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat —	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 14 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 14 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Nelson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) —		
Quaker's Oats ...		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

continued

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PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 27th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ —		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country — —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...	0 1 0	0 2 0
Bit per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Alubokhara per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „ ...	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul „ „ —		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Seore ...		
Shunk Alu per seer ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeta 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan —	9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Mazafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) —		
Do. (large) —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda —	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. —		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose, Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 3 6	Controlled sher
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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The largest quarry owners in the Mirzapore District
Supply Mirzapore and Chunar Stones of every description.

PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rates quoted on the 26th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pena per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ...		
Silong —	2 4 0	2 8 0
Lobster ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bagda —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhangaur ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhetki ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsay ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Crab each ...	0 1 6	0 2 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	2 8 0
Mutton ,, ...	—	2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 8 0	1 8 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —		
Brinjal ,, ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each —	0 6 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer —		0 3 0
Garlic ,, —		0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,, ...		0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) —	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...		0 6 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 3 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 3 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 3 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) ...	0 3 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ,, ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, —	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 24th April, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pena per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	2 0 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 8 0	
Fowl's Eggs ,, —	1 8 0	
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 3 0	0 5 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 12 0
Ladies finger —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 3 0
White ,, ,, —	0 3 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —		
Bedana per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,, —		
Lime per score —	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per doz.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —		
Sugarcane each —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —		
Do. Sree ,, —	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —	4 3 0	
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer —	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katcha ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Shong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 8 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 8 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Martaban) per dos.	0 3 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12
BREAD.		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
26-30	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
36A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
33 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 38	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

N. M. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Sell

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
" 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 89C	0 10 0	Do.
Coconut		
Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
West Range (New) 3	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be
" 32	35 0 0	approved by the
" 58	43 0 0	Committee.
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	28 0 0	Do.
" 49	28 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-130		
" 75-76	1 4 0	Do.
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg * 4	0 8 0	Egg
" * 9	0 8 0	Do
" * 10	0 8 0	Do
" * 18	0 8 0	Do
" * 19	0 8 0	Do
" * 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
"		
"		
"		
" * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
" 57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72—73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet		Suet
" 3 & 6	0 4 0	Do
	0 5 0	Do
" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range	0 8 0	Beef
" 2		

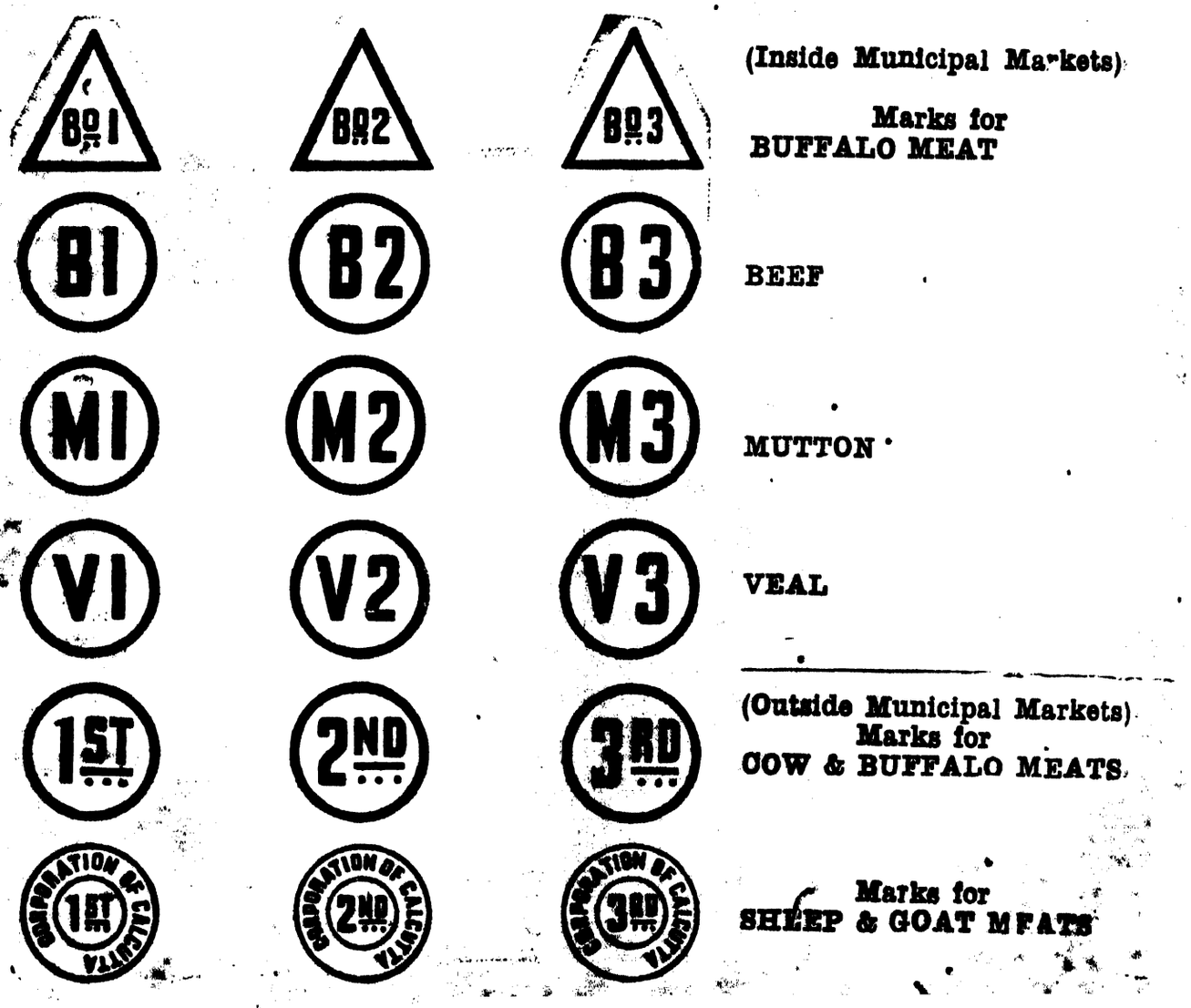
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BENTALY MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms in this as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables.
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.	30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 3 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 3 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 3 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 3 0	,,						

MEAT MARKS





"Uttarayan"
Santiniketan. Bengal
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Cities are organic expressions of culture. Until today our cities have grown up, as much of our exterior life has, chaotically. They have been imitation of Europe and their lives have flowed in channels which have been sometimes at tangent, sometimes parallel to our own. Now that India is slowly coming to her own our towns should mirror our national culture and artistic sensibility. I look forward to a Calcutta which will reflect this ideal.

Rabindranath Tagore

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RABINDRANATH

WE cannot paint the lily, nor deck the stars, and we shall not make the vain attempt at appraising Rabindranath, which so many among us seemed to have attempted on the occasion of his eighty-fifth birth anniversary. We could not do that. Nor should we only stress the obvious, trying to emphasise what others said on the occasion in dwelling on Rabindranath's greatness. We shall not dwell on it.

What could we really say of Rabindranath? We are all his creations. His majestic figure forms the entire background of all that is abiding and significant in Bengali life of today and yesterday. Eighty long years took him through all phases and all stages of Bengal's creative life as seen against the world's social forces. In his works, more than in anything else, they are reflected to their full. One stage gradually merges into the next, sometimes anticipating the latter, sometimes continuing the past through the next. His creative life had been a life of eternal flux, and since it was so, it had a dynamic character, which is very often missed when he is read only in parts and viewed only by bits.

Rabindranath cannot be approached narrowly and parochially. We have to take him in his entirety, in his comprehensiveness and see him whole. We should not be led away by dogmas and creeds—however challenging and from whatever quarters they may come. Slogans and shibboleths may very well serve their purpose elsewhere, but they should not encroach upon our approach to Tagore. No creed could ever bind him; nothing could cramp his creations. We may very well say of him: "Thou art free!"

There is one thing which is often overlooked or missed by the rest of India. Rabindranath was no flash in the pan of Bengal. He was the climax and the crown of a long and honoured poetical tradition. Love of Nature and God was all along the most distinctive quality of the Bengali lyric from the earliest ages. It not only manifested itself in the intimate passion of Vaishnava Romanticists, from Chandidas and Vidyapati onwards, but also formed the core of the enraptured muse of Sakta poets like Ramprasad, whose exaltation of the Motherhood of Power had its roots deep in the wonderland of Bengal's landscape. From the studied classicism of the cloisters where *Pandits* intoned their age-long dreams, to the folk-music of the fields and the market-place, Rabindranath collected material for his muse and blended them with the majestic store-house of Sanskrit song. He was also the inheritor of the Iran-Arabic culture, which, for well nigh six centuries, had pulsed and moulded the life of medieval Bengal. Here—in the flat vast plains of Bengal banked by swift-flowing majestic rivers—the domes of Ispahan with their magic moonlights of unceasing dalliance mingled with the hard glitter of Arabia's league upon league of echoing sands. Finally, came Europe with its multitude of influences, pouring into his soul, like the waters of the open sea. Whatever touched him, whether it was the turbid violence of Byron or the magic of Keats, the raptures of Shelley or the vehement mind of Browning, or the lovely lilt of Swinburne, he chastened all his Western influences in the austere crucible of his Eastern discipline.

Tagore thus derived from his cosmopolitan upbringing a richness which he utilized to the full for the benefit of his country's literature. He brought to the service of his Muse all the varied currents of the world's experiences and rescued his own language—from what had hitherto been its most destructive blight,—its maddening monotony of

theme. It was the fate of Bengal before Rabindranath came to rule in her literary firmament, that she could express herself, and do it well, but that she had *little* to express. Tagore gave to Bengal matchless variety and wondrous lyrical resources.

And not *only* this. Tagore's poetry represents the union of the Romantic spirit—with its high adventure, its yearning for unfollowed ways, its thrills of whelming passion, its storms and thunders,—with the classic austerity of outline of the antique life, the epic grace and poise, the serenity of its idealism, its rationality and calm,—the perfect equivalence of its thought and expression.

Tagore has spanned for India the ages with his song.

Bhulabhai Desai

India is distinctly the poorer by the death of Mr. Bhulabhai Desai. As a lawyer, he was eminent; as a parliamentarian, he was pre-eminent; as a patriot he was peerless. His allegiance to his party he did not sacrifice to his convictions. The so-called Liaquat-Desai Pact fully brought out this trait of his character. He had, perhaps, to pay for it but he did not mind. He knew he was working for the good of his Motherland and whether he lost or won, came up or went down, it was all the same to him. He was a fearless knight *sans la reproche*.

Government Grant To Corporation

The Bengal Government have sanctioned a grant-in-aid of Rs. 13,51,200 to Calcutta Corporation for the quarter ending June 30, 1946, being 80 per cent. of the estimated cost of dearness allowance to the Corporation employees and the estimated loss on account of sale of subsidized foodstuffs to certain grades of employees during the period.

Municipal Elections In Turkey

A crisis has arisen in Turkey on the eve of Electoral reforms enabling new Parties to be elected by universal suffrage.

The Government decided to hold municipal elections this month instead of in September "to avoid the municipal elections clashing with the general elections which will probably be held this autumn."

The Opposition consider this a political manoeuver and say it does not leave sufficient time for the New Parties to organize.

The Democratic Party has decided not to participate in the municipal elections and hint that they may not stand for the general elections. It is understood that a third Party—the National Recovery Party—is taking similar action.

TAGORE MEMORIAL

APPEAL FOR CONTRIBUTIONS

Mr. S. C. Majumdar, General Secretary, All-India Rabindranath Memorial Committee, has issued the following:—

"The birthday anniversary of poet Rabindranath Tagore falls on the 8th May (Baisakh 25). We have no doubt that this day will be observed in a fitting manner as in previous years by our countrymen all over India. But in celebrating this occasion we must not forget that our duty towards the poet has not yet been fulfilled. More funds are still to be raised for perpetuating his memory in a worthy manner. It will not, therefore, do if his birthday is observed in empty ceremonials. We, therefore, earnestly appeal to all organisations and literary societies to make an all-out effort on this occasion for securing contributions for the All-India Rabindranath Memorial Fund so that his memorial may be accomplished without further delay. Funds so far raised are inadequate for the purpose. If our countrymen are all alive to their sense of obligation to the poet, we may still hope to reach the figure of Rs. 25 lakhs on this occasion."

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Calcutta's Homage On Tagore Birthday

Eighty-Fifth Anniversary Celebrations

ON the occasion of the eighty-fifth Birthday Anniversary of Rabindranath Tagore Calcutta,—the city of his birth where he woke up to his poetic self and destiny, where came to him the "Great Awakening" when he seemed to witness all humanity in his vision,—paid homage to his memory on Wednesday, the 8th May, when various organizations, literary and cultural, observed the day by holding meetings where poems from Rabindranath were recited and Rabindra songs were sung and speeches were made dwelling on his multi-sided achievements.

In the morning, a divine service was held at the Poet's ancestral residence in Dwarkanath Tagore Lane, Jorasanko. Flowers and wreaths were also offered at the site in Nimtollah Burning Ghat where the mortal remains of the Poet were consigned to the flames five years ago. In several parts of the city groups of morning singers (*Provat Pheries*) paraded the streets singing inspiring national songs from Rabindranath.

Men and women in large numbers also flocked to the Poet's ancestral home and visited the room where he breathed his last.

The spacious compound where the service was held was profusely decorated with flowers and foliage. The fragrance of flowers and the burning incense and the chanting of "Mantrams" created an atmosphere of deep solemnity and sanctity.

The function commenced with the recitation of Vedic *Slokas* by Mr. Tapan Mohan Chatterjee and singing of the Poet's songs.

Addressing the gathering assembled there Mr. Atul Chandra Gupta said that posterity would look with amazement at the genius of Rabindranath when it would try to fathom its depth. What was remarkable in Rabindranath was that he was in intimate touch with the life and activities of mankind all the world over.

Rabindranath was not, Mr. Gupta said, simply a poet living in a dreamland. He was also a great worker and organiser. The task of carrying out his unfinished work in the Visva-Bharati devolved on his countrymen. On this occasion of the Poet's birthday they should take the vow that they would faithfully carry out this task with unflinching devotion inspired by the ideal which the Poet had set up in the Visva-Bharati.

"India must live,—not for herself alone but for salvation of the world. The liberation of the world depends on the liberation of India.

"Those who work for the liberation of India work also for the salvation of the whole world.

"This is the India that Poet Rabindranath had dreamt of,—the unity of India and the world in the supreme unity of the soul."

This statement was made by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose presiding at a great public meeting convened by the All-India Rabindranath Memorial Committee at the Senate Hall in the evening of Wednesday, the 8th May.

It was announced at the meeting that the total collections so far made by the Committee amounted to Rs. 12,80,000.

Mr. Bose appealed to the people to contribute their mite to enable the Committee to raise the target figure of Rs. 25 lakhs.

"TAGORE DREAMT OF A UNIFIED AND SELF-CONTAINED INDIA": MR. SARAT C. BOSE'S TRIBUTES TO THE POET

Addressing the meeting Mr. Bose said :—

To-day is the twenty-fifth of Baisakh. This day has been engraved in immortal letters in the calendar of India's life history. The glory of the Poet, born eighty-six years ago in a Bengali home, shone forth brighter and brighter in every hour of his life till it surpassed the furthest limit of world-genius. His life's cycle being over, he has now vanished beyond the horizon of fullness. The whole of our country has been beautiful and green and loving by the warmth and radiance, by the beauty and vitality of his genius; the whole of our country has been filled with a new spirit of youth.

We doubt if so far-reaching a change has ever occurred in course of the life-time of a genius. A few years before Rabindranath's birth, Company-rule in India had ended and now just after his demise, we are seeing British rule in its last throes. It would not be far wrong to say that Tagore's birth belongs to past history; and now about the time of his passing we find a new India sending her message to the world through her poets, saints and selfless heroes.

All these have happened during our life-time and before our eyes. That is why we are not always conscious of the glory and grandeur of these events.



A HEAD BY EPSTEIN AT BIRMINGHAM MUSEUM.

The change that we have witnessed may be claimed to be the greatest revolution in India.

Revolution certainly it is, a revolution in the soul of India, a far-reaching revolution in the world.

Tagore's Transcendental Glory

Tagore's transcendental glory has with the rainbow radiance of his genius bridged these two epochs, the past and the present, in Indian history. We ourselves have witnessed almost all this. Within this period, we have seen the Poet of Bengal sending out his call to fulfil the truth, to cherish the worth of "Bengal's earth, Bengal's water, Bengal's resolve and Bengal's hope." We have seen the Poet of India inviting all to fill the holy receptacle of our worshipped Mother with the waters of the Indian Ocean, hallowed by the touch of all. Again, we have seen the same Bengali Poet chanting—

"Oh Lord of the Universe!
In what attire have you revealed Yourself to me to-day?

I have seen You in the Eastern sky
I have seen You in my Motherland."

The Poet of Bengal has been transformed into the Poet of the world, and to him the Motherland and the Universe, India and the world abroad, have blended and merged into one vast Cosmic scheme. What an astonishing revolution? I do not know if such an event ever occurred in the history of any other country.

"Swaraj of the Spirit."

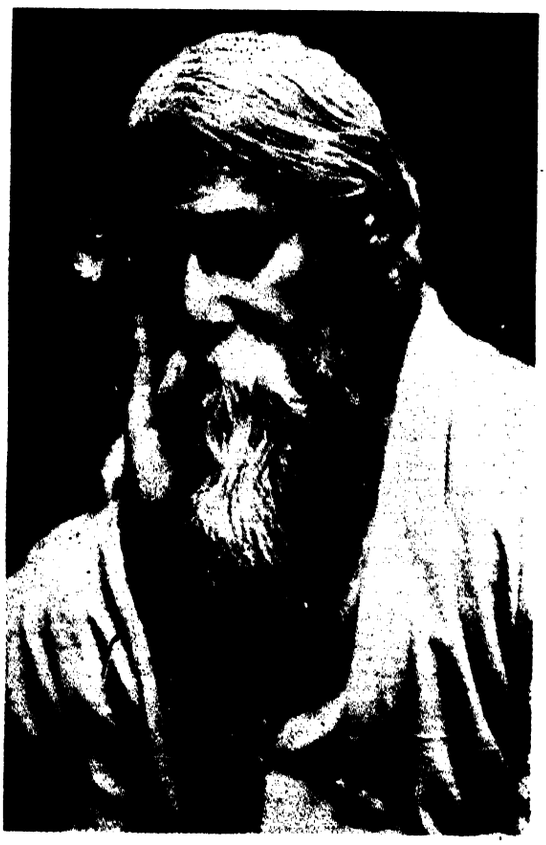
In the beginning of his youth, the young Poet enduring the melancholy sight of his suffering Motherland sang thus:

"By chanting verse win your place in the world at large." The prophecy which sounded impossible then finally came to be true in the Poet's own life. Even with his songs only Tagore has won an honourable place for us in the world. The greatest Poet of India, the Vyasa of our new Mahabharata, has installed his birth-place, Bengal, his Motherland, India, in a place of high honour by the strength of his genius. He has linked India for ever with the world with the golden thread of his unrivalled genius, free from all the limitations of class, caste, creed and country. Long before the consummation of our struggle for political 'Swaraj' Tagore has for us founded the Swaraj of the Spirit.

A Pilgrim of the World

Like India, Tagore has a thousand eye. No mystery of life and death has escaped his piercing glance. This is not the day for discussing those philosophical aspects of Tagore's genius. I shall discuss today Tagore in relation to India. Tagore complimented Ram Mohan as a Pilgrim of India. Following his own hint we may call Tagore a pilgrim of the world. In the spiritual vision of this pilgrim of the world India reveals herself in such a light that there is no conflict between nationalism and internationalism, no animosity between Indians and foreigners.

For, the India of our pilgrim of the world is viewed in the world perspective. For us all and for the posterity for ever, Tagore, the pilgrim of the world, has rediscovered India. The India we live in, the air which invigorates our blood, and energises us every minute, the India which is not a mere geographical sign but a grand idea of unity—that India is Tagore's discovery. We have all received that immortal gift from him, and we are indebted for it not only to him, but to the posterity, to humanity at large and to India also.



FROM A PHOTO TAKEN IN GERMANY IN 1926.

Dream of A United India

It is our task to enrich India materially and spiritually. It is our task to break all the fetters of Body and Spirit that keep her in chains. It is our task to set new and newer gems on the immortal crown of India. What a heavy debt do we owe to the Poet! The very thought of it makes one feel hesitant. Yet when one remembers that the Poet alone has nearly completed this arduous task, then one's heart overflows with wonder, courage and pride.

Dante once dreamt the dream of a United Italy. Italy had then been torn into pieces, divided and ruled by foreigners. Dante's dream was not realised during his life-time. But what of that? Despite the seeming failure of Dante's dream, unified Italy is Dante's spiritual offspring.

Our Tagore too dreamt of a unified and self-contained India. In his case the difference with Dante is that Tagore's dream took shape into reality even during his life-time. As with Sivaji, so was it with Tagore—the desire to bind together divided and scattered India into a holy kingdom.

Tagore's vocation as a poet was to bring about an ideal unity of thought. Is not India today—India where Tagore was born, where we live in—hostile to the ideal of unity? There is no end of difficulties, and the greatest amongst them is foreign rule.

Problem of Humanity

Tagore was no visionary: he did not take shelter in the ivory tower of poetic imagination. To remind all these is superfluous today. Tagore succeeded in harmonizing the Ideal and the Real, in blending dream with life, and for that reason it was possible for him to keep one eye fixed upon the ideal, and another on the real. To him no problem of humanity, nation and politics, could hold back its secret. The ideal India which he cherished in his dream and the real India which he saw all around—these both he saw and how much pained he was at the sight of the insuperable gulf between these two, we all know.

A few months before his death Tagore wrote a message on the "Crisis in Civilisation." What a melancholy picture of the actual problem of the country it gave and how grimly gloomy were the colours which painted this mournful picture of the death of all hopes:—

His Last Message

"Today I complete eighty years of my life. As I look back on the vast stretch of years that lie behind me and see in clear perspective the history of my early development, I am struck by the change that has taken place both in my own attitude and in the psychology of my countrymen—a change that carries within it a cause of profound tragedy.

"The wheels of Fate will some day compel the English to give up their Indian Empire. But what kind of India will they leave behind, what stark misery? When the stream of their century's administration runs dry at last, what a waste of mud and filth they will leave behind them! I had at one time believed that the springs of civilization would issue out of the heart of Europe. But today when I am about to quit the world that faith has gone bankrupt altogether.

"As I look around I see the crumbling ruins of a proud civilization strewn like a vast heap of futility."

MAHATMA'S TRIBUTE TO GURUDEVA

Mahatma Gandhi speaking at the prayer meeting in the evening of the 8th May, at Simla said that as it was Gurudev's (Rabindranath Tagore's) birthday he could speak on nothing but on him.

A picture of the poet had been put on the dias.

Drawing the attention of the audience to it, Mahatma Gandhi said that the inscription under the portrait was "The light that never failed."

Gurudev's body, he said, was reduced to ashes but the radiance that had been within him was like the sun which would shine so long as life on this earth lasted. But the light, he said, was for the soul as the sun's was for the body.

Continuing Gandhiji said:—

"He was a poet and a literary star of the first magnitude. He wrote in his mother tongue and all Bengal was able to drink deep at the fountain of his poetry. Translations of his works existed in many languages. He was a great writer in English too, perhaps almost without knowing it."

Mahatma Gandhi added:—

"He had school education, but he could boast of no University degree. He was just Gurudev. One Viceroy had called him 'The Poet of Asia,' a title that no one before him had had. He was also a world poet, and what was more a 'Rishi.' He had left us 'Gitanjali,' the poems which brought him world fame. The great Tulsidas left us his immortal 'Ramayana'. The renowned Vedvyas left us a history of mankind.

"They were not mere poets. They were teachers. Gurudev too wrote not only as a poet but as a 'Rishi'. Writing, however, was not his only gift. He was an artist, a singer with all the sweetness and purity that art in its finest sense should contain. His creative genius has also given us 'Santiniketan', 'Sriniketan' and 'Visvabharati.'

"These breathe his spirit and are a legacy not only to Bengal but to India. Santiniketan has become, as it were, a place of pilgrimage to us all. He was not in his life-time able to make of these institutions what he had dreamed for them. What can man do? Fulfilment of man's purpose is in God's hand. But they are monuments to his endeavour and are a constant reminder to us of the passionate love he had for his country and the service he rendered to her.

"They had just heard the national song he wrote, a song which has found a place in our national life."

Mahatma Gandhi ended by exhorting the people to learn the lessons of love of country, love of the world and selfless service from the noble example which Gurudev had left.

Faith In Humanity

And it is Britain's lack of faith in humanity that is at the root of the problem known as Hindu-Muslim differences in our country. For this lack of faith in humanity, there has appeared in British character a conflict between material and spiritual values. This conflict the British have tried to present in the shape of a got-up quarrel between the Hindus and Muslims. It is the sword of this conflict that is flashing out now and then for splitting India into fragments.

The Poet has deeply and vividly seen and appreciated the real problem of India. Yet he has not allowed the crudities of reality to overcome his faith in humanity, and with that faith to sustain him in his last journey, he has left us.

"And yet I shall not commit the grievous sin of losing faith in Man.

"I would rather look forward to the opening of a new chapter in his history after the cataclysm is over and the atmosphere rendered clean with the spirit of service and sacrifice. Perhaps that dawn will come from this horizon, from the East where the sun rises. A day will come when unvanquished Man will retrace his path of conquest, despite all barriers, to win back his lost human heritage."

The genius and the insight of the Poet we lack. We must nevertheless say that we shall not lose faith in humanity, for no worse insult to humanity can even be conceived of.

Real And Ideal India

Real India has been portrayed in the "Crisis in Civilisation." Therein has been set forth the abiding faith of the Poet in the ultimate solution of that crisis. The ideal India of the Poet has similarly been portrayed in the novel, "Gora". I have described Rabindranath as the discoverer of India. It is in his "Gora" that he has discovered this world of the soul.

Rabindranath's "Gora" like Columbus, the great sailor, has carried to us the message of a new and worderful continent. So vast is that continent, so sublime its message that it is difficult to believe that it exists at all. But it is no unreality, no illusion.

Do we not get today in the history of India a glimpse into the undivided and indivisible abstraction of the ideal India beyond the ocean of material reality? We all may not even now declare the abiding faith in our heart that having been born in the affectionate lap of India we have known in full the joy of the loving support of mother's lap.

Dawn of A New Age

We all may not possess the faith of Gora, but is not such faith the ideal of our Nationalism? Is it not under the inspiration of this faith that lakhs of men and women of this country have undergone persecution and even laid down their lives? Has not the army of India's children been inspired by such faith confidently to look forward to the dawn of a new age for India? Has not the prophetic vision of the Poet witnessed in the leader of that army of children the embodiment in faint outlines of the glory of India that is to blossom forth in future?

Faith In Subhas Chandra

What an unflinching faith did the Poet have in Bengal's noble son, Subhas Chandra! It was to him that Rabindranath had addressed the following words. "You shall carry to the field of Bengal's life that banner of hope which is free from all doubts and conflicts and which marks the triumph over Death. It is in such hope that I welcome you today to the seat of the leader of the country. Let the people of Bengal declare today in a voice that does not falter in hesitation that they have prepared the seat for your enthronement..... Those are never alone who are the real and the natural representatives of the people. They are for all and for all times. From the crest of the mountain of the Present they offer their first salute to the blossoming dawn of the Future. It is in this hope and belief that I welcome you today to the exalted position of the leader of Bengal and I summon the whole country to your side."

It was not for Bengal alone that the Poet had called Subhas Chandra in these words. It was for the whole of India, it was for establishment on the summit of the worker's reality the imagination and the dream of the Poet.

India And World Salvation

India must live,—not for herself alone but for the salvation of the world. The drug that can revive the mortally-stricken world is there only in the wisdom of India of yore. The liberation of the world depends on the liberation of India. The world can fulfil its destiny only after India has come to her own. Those who work for the liberation of India work also for the salvation of the whole world. This is the India that the Poet had dreamt of—the unity of India and the world in the supreme unity of the soul.

'Oh thou Lord of the world
Thou art at one with
the eternal land of my own.'

On the broad canvas of the Future the prophetic vision of the Poet has been the radiant image of India, the country of his soul. In paying my respectful tributes to him on behalf of the people of India I can do no better than recite the words of the Poet himself:

"I know not in what unborn years,
I heard with my eyes closed,
India joyfully blow thy sacred shell.
Drowning the world's war cries,
And the jingle of merchants' coins,
Under the spacious sky
The deep-toned sound of 'Om'
Rises high, defying all obstacles."

Tributes By Others

In paying his tribute to the work of the Poet Mr. Tara Sahkar Banerjee said that his genius had transcended the boundaries of his country and times.

Prof. Dhurjati Prasad Mukherjee said, that though the Poet was born in Bengal, he could not be claimed exclusively as a Bengali. He was a product of Indian culture and culture of the East though the medium through which he had expressed his thoughts was Bengali.

Mr. Sitaram Sakseria said that Rabindranath had enhanced the prestige of India in the international world.

Referring to the talks of division of India, Mr. Chapala Kanta Bhattacharya said that it was a matter of joy that Rabindranath had not lived to see these attempts to divide India. It was a matter of regret also that he was not in their midst today at this critical juncture in the history of the country.

A Noble Gift

Announcing the collections made so far by the Committee Mr. Sajani Kanta Das said that Mr. Birendra Kishore Roy Chowdhury of Gouripore had that day donated Rs. 10,000. He expressed the hope that other rich people would follow his example and contribute handsomely to the memorial fund. It was a matter of satisfaction to them that the bulk of the collections made had been contributed by poor and middle class families.

A Few More Functions

A function was held at 20, Jagannath Datta Lane under the auspices of Agranee and presided over by Mr. Kumudendu Bhattacherjee. Collections towards the Rabindra Memorial Fund were made.

The birth-day anniversary of Rabindranath Tagore was celebrated in the Jitendra Narayan Ray Infant and Nursery School solemnly under the presidency of Mrs. Mrinmayee Ray. The students, whose ages ranged from 2 to 8 years decorated the photo of the Poet with flowers, *chandan*-paste, etc. Songs composed by the late Poet were sung by some of the students. They also received poems of Rabindranath.

The Kamalalaya Stores Ltd., observed as usual, Rabindranath's birth-day in a fitting manner. A portrait of the Poet was placed at the central hall. Selected records of songs and recitations, in the Poet's own voice were played.

CORPORATION CONDOLES THE DEATHS OF MESSRS. DESAI AND SASTRI

The Corporation of Calcutta at its first meeting on Wednesday, the 8th May, condoled the deaths of Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai, a lawyer of international reputation and former Leader of the Opposition in the Central Legislative Assembly and the Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri, the first non-official Agent of the Government of India in the Union of South Africa, and adjourned its business as a mark of respect to their memories.

Both the resolutions, moved from the chair, were tabled by Councillor Birendra Kumar Ganguli.

The text of the resolution upon the death of Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai being published elsewhere in this issue, the text of the other resolution upon the death of the Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri may be given as follows:—

(a) That this Corporation places on record its deep sense of sorrow at the sad demise of the Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri at the ripe old age of 76 at Madras—who as a genuine patriot, as the President of the Servants of India Society founded by Gopal Krishna Gokhale, as the first non-official Agent of the Government of India in the Union of South Africa, as a distinguished member of the liberal party, as an erudite scholar, as an orator of international fame—proved to be one of the most outstanding personalities that India has recently produced and is of opinion that the void caused by his death will be difficult to fill up and prays to the Almighty that his soul may rest in peace.

(b) That a copy of the resolution be sent to the members of the bereaved family.

Indians In South Africa

Calcutta Citizens Record Protest Against Asiatic Land Tenure Bill

A TIME will shortly come when the South African whites ought to be made to feel that they are transgressing the new spirit for which the World War had been waged and that they are condemning themselves to be handed down to posterity as neo-barbarians of this age," said Hon'ble Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, Chief Minister of Bengal, addressing an all-party public meeting held at the Muslim Institute Hall on the 2nd May last to meet the South African delegation who had been in Calcutta. The Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. S. M. Usman presided.

Resolutions condemning the Asiatic Land Tenure and the Indian Representation Bills and the attitude of the South African Government towards the Indian settlers there were adopted.

Mr. Kiron Sankar Roy said that if India had freedom and sword, India would have drawn it out to-day against South Africa. Continuing Mr. Roy said that although they had their differences in internal politics, but in a matter like this the Indians stood united.

Sir B. P. Singh Roy expressed hope that before long the South African Government would be forced under the combined dictation of the members of the United Nations Organisation to give up their present policy of discrimination.

Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, *ex*-Mayor and General Secretary, Bengal Provincial Hindu Mahasabha, said that everybody knew that racial discrimination was a thing of the past and that the South Africans were themselves violating their own jurisprudence—their own system of law by introducing these Bills.

Mr. S. M. Usman, the Mayor of Calcutta, said that General Smuts was one of the founders of the League of Nations and the same General Smuts was also one of those who had formulated the Charter of the U. N. O. He assured that these were camouflage these were tricks that the European and Whites were playing to keep down the Asiatics.

Concluding the Mayor said:—"We want to give a note of warning to the world that very soon, if racial discrimination is not removed, if the shabby treatment which is being meted out to Indians is not stopped, there will be a third Great War and even if other great nations of Asia do not wage it, at least India will wage it. We, the younger generation of India, refuse to take this insult lying down."

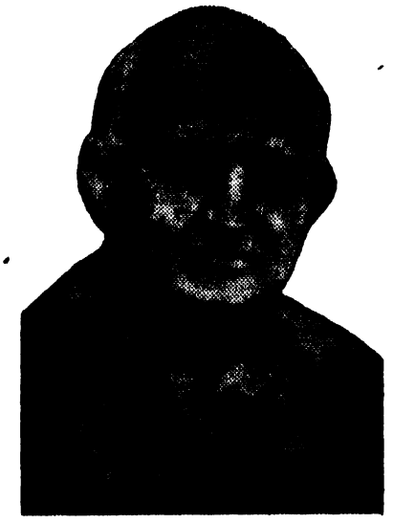
Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai Passes Away

A Great Patriot : A Reputed Lawyer : A Big Personality

Mr. Bhulabhai Jivanji Desai, former member of the Congress Working Committee, former leader of the Congress Party and leader of the Opposition in the Central Legislative Assembly and leading defence counsel in the first I.N.A. trial, passed away at his residence in Bombay in the early hours of Monday morning, the 6th May, at the age of about 69.

Mr. Desai had been ailing for the last four months and after a crisis some time ago had rallied round. His condition took a sudden turn for the worse on the 4th May last.

All offices of the Calcutta Corporation were closed on Monday after 12 noon as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Bhulabhai Desai.



THE LATE MR. BHULABHAI DESAI

The Calcutta Stock Exchange, the Indian Chamber of Commerce and some other institutions also remained closed on Monday.

The Bombay Municipal Corporation adjourned on the same day without transacting any official business as a mark of respect to the memory of Mr. Bhulabhai Desai

Mahatma Gandhi paying tribute to the memory of Bhulabhai Desai says :—

"It was the heroism and travail of Bardoli that brought to public life men like Shri Bhulabhai Desai. He might otherwise have remained a distinguished Government servant and ended his career as a judge of the Bomaby High Court. He reached the heights of fame when his forensic talents resulted in the release of the I. N. A. prisoners."

Maulana Abul Kalam Azad says :

"His death leaves a void in our national life which cannot be easily filled."

Pandit Nehru says :

"A big personality has gone, overworking himself to death."

Mr. M. A. Jinnah says :—

"I had very close relations with him at the Bombay bar. I knew him for over 30 years and as one of the leading members of the bar his death is a great loss to the profession."

SHORT LIFE-SKETCH

Born on October 13, 1877, Mr. Desai received his early education in Bulsar (Surat District), matriculated from New High School, Bombay; graduated from Elphinstone College and took his M.A. Degree. He secured the James Taylor Prize in Economics in B.A. standing first in the subject.

He was Professor of History and Economics in Gujrat College, Ahmedabad for two years. Afterwards, taking the LL.B. Degree from Bombay University he joined the Bombay Bar as an advocate.

Mr. Desai took an active part in the Home Rule League until he resigned in 1919. He acted for sometime as the Advocate-General of Bombay.

He appeared on behalf of the Bardoli peasants before the Brommfield Enquiry Committee in 1925 and again before the Bardoli Enquiry Committee after the Gandhi-Irwin Pact in 1931.

He organised the Swadeshi Sabha during the Civil Disobedience movement in 1930. He served on the Public Debt

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CORPORATION CONDOLES HIS DEATH

The Corporation at its meeting on Wednesday, the 8th May, condoled the death of Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai.

The text of the resolution is as follows :—

(a) *That this Corporation places on record its deep sense of sorrow at the sad demise on 6th May, 1946 at Bombay of Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai, a lawyer of international reputation, a former Advocate-General of Bombay, a former Leader of the Opposition in the Central Legislative Assembly, a great patriot and statesman, who by his manifold public activities and services and by his recent brilliant defence of the three I. N. A. Officers viz., Shah Nawaz, P. K. Sehgal, and G. S. Dhillon in the Red-Fort trials at Delhi had endeared himself to all and had become a veritable idol for the millions of people of India and is of opinion that the void caused by his death will be difficult to fill up and prays to God that his soul may rest in peace.*

(b) *That a copy of the above resolution be sent to the members of the bereaved family.*

The resolution was moved from the chair at the instance of Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli.

The House also condoled the death of the Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri (the text of the resolution being given elsewhere in this issue of the *Gazette*), and adjourned its business as a mark of respect to the revered memories of the late Mr. Desai and the late Mr. Sastri.

Free And Compulsory Elementary Education

Programme Before National Planning Committee

A PROGRAMME for a universal system of compulsory, free elementary education of six to eight years' duration and for conscription of qualified persons as teachers to carry out the plan has been proposed to the National Planning Committee by its Priority Sub-Committee, dealing with education.

The Sub-Committee declared that "education of the children of the community up to a given minimum standard must be accepted as the absolute and inescapable obligation of civilised society and, therefore, of the State representing it."

The huge programme, whose basic cost was estimated at not less than Rs. 200 crores annually, could be financed over a period of 10 years or more and chiefly paid for by the funding of private agricultural debt through the State at a lower interest rate, the Sub-Committee added.

The Chief points in the education plan include:

(a) A required elementary education period for children of six to eight years' duration.

(b) An adult literacy programme for both sex, both for those past-school age and those "remaining illiterate because of wastage or stagnation in their school period."

(c) Free nursery or kindergarten classes for children under school age at the expense of employers, local governing bodies and voluntary associations.

(d) Free books, stationer and other equipment.

(e) Conscription of qualified persons as teachers, and special provision for training one lakh of teachers annually, along with increases in salaries as well as other facilities and amenities.

(f) Serving of free mid-day meals in elementary schools.

(g) Use of the radio and motion picture as part of the educational programme, especially for adult illiterates.

The Sub-Committee specified that the education programme should be integrated with the national master plan, particularly in regard to financing.

Of the financing plan for the basic schooling and combating adult illiteracy, the Sub-Committee said:

"It is a well-known fact that the agriculturists in India labour under a heavy load of indebtedness—all the more heavy because the rate of interest was variously reported at 12 per cent. onwards to 75 per cent. or even more.

"If all this debt of the individual agriculturists is consolidated and taken over by the State—in each Province or State by Central Provincial Bank—and funded at 10 per cent. simple interest to be paid to the State, the burden on the cultivator would be very substantially lowered.

"The total of agricultural indebtedness in this country has been variously estimated. The aggregate would not be excessive if we put it at 2,000 crores per annum in all provinces and states. The annual interest burden on this cannot possibly be less than 250 crores per annum.

"The difference between the rate that the State receives from the debtor agriculturist (10 per cent.) and that the State pays to the creditor namely, five per cent., would amount on a total debt of 2,000 crores to over 100 crores per annum in British India, while in the states, at least half that amount may be added.

"The aggregate would be about Rs. 150 crores per annum, available almost at once."

With regard to the conscription of teachers, the Sub-Committee had this to say:—

"The personnel for giving effect to this item must be found in some system of social conscription of those already educated up to a given standard, say, men who have completed the secondary stage of education. Whether they intend to go up for higher education or take to some occupation, these persons, numbering about 2,50,000 in all India, should be drafted into the national social service, as conscripts have hitherto been drafted for military service. This must be regarded as a sort of poll tax paid in kind by those best able to afford it."

It must be a condition precedent to their admission in any occupation, or entrance to any university for prosecuting their own studies further or acquiring specialised qualifications that each should have discharged this social duty," the Sub-Committee continued.

"It must be a universal obligation from which no exemption should be allowed to anyone except on grounds of permanent invalidation or specific disability," it added.

A compulsory training course would be given to such conscript instructors in the last year of their high school career. They would be fed, housed and clothed at public expense, and given special training to fit them for their tasks.

The plan of social conscription, of which teaching service would form a part, was suggested in 1937 by Prof. K. T. Shah, General Secretary of the Planning Committee, and at that time was approved and endorsed by Mahatma Gandhi in his weekly journal, "Harijan."

The 200 crores, which the Sub Committee estimated would be spent annually, compares with the figure of Rs. 31 crores spent in British India on all stages of education, cited by the Sub-Committee in the report.

"The proportion of illiterates is nearly 90 per cent. of the total population," the Sub-Committee said, "or some 270,000,000 in British India to-day and 350,000,000 all over the country."

It estimated there are 15,000,000 children in school, leaving 55,000,000 "for whom immediate action must be taken if these are not to be a burden—inefficient and inadequate—upon the rest of the community."

"As for the illiterate adults, we may put their number at 25 crores. In their case, besides the ordinary verbal instruction from teachers, measures must be adopted to utilise the screen and the radio for a wholesale programme of immediate action.

"It is an indispensable condition of discharging this obligation that such education should be provided to all at least up to the prescribed minimum standard, free of all cost to the recipient or his or her parent or guardian," the Sub-Committee said.

"Not only no fees should be charged for it: all the equipments, books, paper, etc., etc., needed for giving and imbibing such instruction, training or education, must be free and provided at public expense."

The providing of a lakh of teachers per year would require 1,000 training schools, the Sub-Committee estimated, adding that "the woman teacher will have to be given a special importance and would have to be recruited in larger and larger numbers," whether boys and girls trained togeher or separately.

The Sub-Committee estimated that at present there are something like 225,000 educational institutions of all grades in India. Of these, it said, primary, special and middle account for nearly 88 per cent. or 200,000, and these can be extended and remodelled to meet the requirements of the national education programme.

The building programme cost was estimated at not less than 100 crores to be financed by a loan to be repaid over either 10 years or 15 years.

The figures are intended to be rather illustrative than accurate to the last digit.

CORPORATION CO-OPERATIVE INSURANCE SOCIETY LIMITED

Annual General Meeting

The Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting (being the Second Meeting of the Delegates) of the Society will be held on the 15th May, 1946 at 5-15 p.m., in the office room of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association, 1, Hogg Street, Calcutta, to consider the following agenda :—

(1) To elect the Chairman of the meeting (As customary the retiring Chairman shall preside for the purpose of electing the Chairman of the meeting).

(2) To confirm the minutes of the Proceedings of the 11th Ordinary General Meeting held on 1st May, 1946 and the adjourned meeting held on 22nd June, 1945 (Minutes as usual will be laid on the table).

(3) To receive and adopt the report of the Board of Directors on the working of the Society, to receive and adopt the report of the Auditors and the audited Balance Sheet and accounts for the year 1945 (The report as usual will be laid on the table).

(4) To elect 18 Directors as provided in Bye-laws No. 38 and 29.

(5) To consider the Budget Estimate for the year 1946.

(6) To consider motions from Delegates received up to 13th May, 1946.

(7) Any other business that may be brought forward.

LT-COL. S. P. JAMES

Tropical Diseases Authority Dead

The death was announced at London on the 18th April last of Lt-Col. Sydney Price James, the eminent authority on tropical diseases.

He joined the I. M. S. in 1896 and later became statistical officer to the Government of India Medical Department. He travelled all over the world studying malaria and was engaged for many years in research work on yellow fever and kala-azar.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

[The Editor does not hold himself responsible for the views expressed by the correspondents]

IMPROVEMENT OF EKBALPORE LANE AND MOMINPORE ROAD

To The Editor, Calcutta Municipal Gazette

Sir,—We, the undersigned hut-owners of Ekbalpore Lane and Mominpore Road localities, request the favour of your publishing the following in your esteemed journal.

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We, therefore, fervently pray that the authorities in question may be pleased to give some thought over the question and minimise our sufferings keeping in view the fact that we are already over-taxed and over-drained.—Yours Etc.

M. Yeakub
S. Abdul Latiff
Abdul Hakim
Nuruddin Khan

32/1B, Ekbalpore Lane.
Kidderpore, Calcutta.
Dated, the 2nd May, 1946.

RENAMING OF A CITY LANE

To The Editor, Calcutta Municipal Gazette

Sir,—Thank God, the ill-famed Harkata Lane in Ward 9, is now no more the headquarters of the brothels of Central Calcutta. But though the unfortunate women have been removed from there the name "Harkata Gali" is still odious. The newcomers there feel very shy to think that they live in Harkata Lane.

About eighty years ago lived in that locality a number of artisans whose occupation was to cut bones to make buttons etc., therewith. Hence came the name "Harkata Lane." But now there is none doing that work. So it is now a misnomer.

For reasons stated above I would suggest that the impersonal and repulsive name of Harkata Lane be changed into some other name, and in the absence of a more suitable name I would suggest the name of Lall Chand Boral, who was one of the most famous musicians and who used to live nearby.

Yours faithfully,
M. N. Auddy.

18/1A, Gobinda Sarkar Lane.
Calcutta, 29th April, 1946.

CALCUTTA CORPORATION COLLECTION DEPARTMENT

Employees' Union

The Third Annual General Meeting of the Calcutta Corporation Collection Department Employees' Union to elect the Office-Bearers and members of the Executive Committee will be held on Monday, the 20th May, 1946, at 5-15 p.m., at Division VII. The Secretary of the Union requests all members to be present on that day.

—MR. BHULABHAI DESAI PASSES AWAY

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Enquiry Committee appointed by the Congress in 1931.

He was for some time the President of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee.

Mr. Desai plunged himself into the Civil Disobedience movement in 1932, was arrested and sentenced to a year's imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 10,000. His health broke down during imprisonment. On release, he went to Europe.

On his return from the Continent in 1934, Mr. Desai took a prominent part in the re-organisation of the Congress till then under ban and in the formation of the Congress Parliamentary Board, being elected to its Secretaryship.

Since then he had been in the forefront of the Congress and took part in the individual Satyagraha movement started by Mahatma Gandhi in 1940. On December 1, that year, he was arrested and detained in the Yerveda Central Prison under the Defence of India Rules.

Just before the introduction of the Government of India Act, 1935, Mr. Desai was elected to the Central Assembly from Gujrat with an overwhelming majority. He was the leader of the Congress Party in the last Central Assembly.

An erudite scholar and top-ranking parliamentarian, his speeches drew the attention of the whole country. He was the bitterest critic of the Government all through.

Of the many civil cases with which his name is associated as the successful advocate, perhaps the most famous was the Dumraon Raj case

First, the case was taken up by the late Deshabandhu C. R. Das who handed it over to late Motilal Nehru. Ultimately it was taken up by Mr. Desai who conducted it very ably.

He was considered to be an authority on constitutional and international laws. The most monumental of his achievements was his able defence of Maj-Gen. Shah Nawaz, Col. Dhillon and Col. Seghal of the I. N. A before a Special Court Martial at Delhi Fort.

His masterly arguments in that case on international law will remain written in letters of gold in the annals of history.

He leaves behind him his only son Mr. Dhirubhai Desai, a barrister, practising at Bombay High Court. His wife predeceased him by ten years.

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CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

MR. JAI PRAKASH NARAIN IN CALCUTTA

A warning against complacence and undue optimism about the outcome of the present talks between the Cabinet Mission and Indian leaders was given by Mr. Jai Prakash Narain addressing a mass meeting at Deshabandhu Park on Tuesday evening, the 7th May.

While asking his countrymen to refrain from doing anything that might jeopardise the success of the talks, as desired by Mahatma Gandhi and Rashtrapati Azad, he stressed the need for preparation and consolidation of strength for the struggle that was bound to come should the negotiations fail.

The meeting was organized by the Bengal Provincial Congress Committee. Mr. Surendra Mohan Gosh, President of the B. P. C. C., who was in the chair, welcomed Mr. Jai Prakash Narain and his wife Mrs. Pravabati Debi

NEW HIGH-COURT JUDGE

The Governor-General has appointed Mr. K. C. Chunder District and Sessions Judge, to act as a Judge of the Calcutta High Court, *vice* Mr. Justice Roxburgh, with effect from the date on which the latter proceeds on leave to the 21st August, 1946, or until further orders, says a press *communique*.

FIRE BRIGADE WORKERS' STRIKE ENDS

A settlement was reached on the 3rd May last in the dispute which led to a strike by the personnel of Calcutta Fire Services, and to certain subsequent developments. The terms of the settlement, based on a formula acceptable to the Government and the Workers' Union, were enforced with immediate effect.

Following the termination of the strike the men resumed duty on the 4th May last.

Workers' representatives who had a prolonged discussion with the Minister for Local Self-Government on the 1st May last stated that their talks with the Minister had reached the final stage and a settlement was expected to be reached shortly.

MAJ-GEN. SHAH NAWAZ LEAVES CALCUTTA

Major-General Shah Nawaz left for Delhi by Toofan Express on the 2nd May last.

Earlier he was entertained at a tea-party given in his honour by Nationalist Muslims at the residence of Maulavi Ashrafuddin Ahmed Chaudhury.

In reply to the address of welcome by Maulvi Syed Badrudduza on behalf of Nationalist Muslims, Major-General Shah Nawaz said that he was glad to find Bengalee Muslims joining in the struggle for the independence of India.

"It is my firm conviction that we are bound to succeed in the struggle for the independence of India if we work unitedly. We must live for and achieve Netaji's ideal," Major-General Shah Nawaz said.

NEW MINISTERS FELICITATED

Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy and the newly appointed Bengal Ministers were felicitated by Mr. P. N. Banerji, Vice-Chancellor, at the Calcutta University Senate meeting on the 4th May last. Mr. Suhrawardy, the Vice-Chancellor said, was a figure well-known to them not only as the Premier of Bengal but also as a former member of the Senate and ex-professor of the University Law College.

Referring to Khan Bahadur Mohammed Ali, a member of the Senate, Mr. Banerji expressed the hope that his inclusion in the Cabinet as Finance Minister would be of lasting benefit to the University.

Mr. Banerji also welcomed Khan Bahadur Moazzemuddin Hossain, Education Minister, who attended the meeting as *ex-officio* member.

Replying, Khan Bahadur Mohammed Ali assured the Senate that the interests of the University and education in Bengal would be safe in the hands of the Ministry.

MR. PALME DUTT IN CALCUTTA

Mr. Rajani Palme Dutt, Vice-President of the Communist Party of Great Britain, left Calcutta for Simla by air on the 4th May last. Before his departure Mr. Dutt issued a statement urging Indian patriots and supporters of Indian freedom to give active assistance to the efforts of the pre-Reforms Political Prisoners Release Campaign Committee for the release of pre-Reforms political prisoners of Bengal.

A suggestion that Indian journalists should form an organization like the National Union of Journalists in England based on trade union laws by which both the interests of journalists and the fulfilment of their responsibilities could be upheld against the views of millionaire newspaper proprietors was made by Mr. Dutt speaking in reply to a reception given him by the Indian Journalists Association at the Indian Association Hall, Calcutta, on the 1st May last. Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose presided.

Mr. Dutt dwelt at length on the monopoly control of the British Press by big business interests and emphasized the role of the National Union of Journalists in fighting the menace. He pointed out that recently the Union had passed a resolution asking for the appointment of a Royal Commission to investigate the ownership and control of the press in Britain and consider the best methods of raising the standard of presentation of news in newspapers.

He noted with concern the development of monopolist tendencies in the Indian Press also.

STORM OVER CALCUTTA

A nor'wester, reaching a maximum speed of 80 m.p.h. and accompanied by heavy rain and lightning, swept over Calcutta in the evening of the 1st May last. The storm lasted for over half an hour.

Many shop signs and temporary constructions of corrugated sheeting and thatch were blown from their positions. Telephone and tramway overhead wires were snapped in many parts of the city by uprooted trees and broken branches. Several low-lying areas were flooded.

CONFERENCE OF COLLEGE PRINCIPALS

The conference of Principals of Bengal and Assam colleges under the presidency of Mr. P. N. Banerjee, Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University, which concluded its deliberations on Tuesday, the 7th May, agreed that the University regulation regarding students' attendance in classes should henceforward be strictly enforced.

The conference felt that greater emphasis should be laid on tutorial system and to make it effective the percentage of attendance in the tutorial classes for students sent up for final consideration.

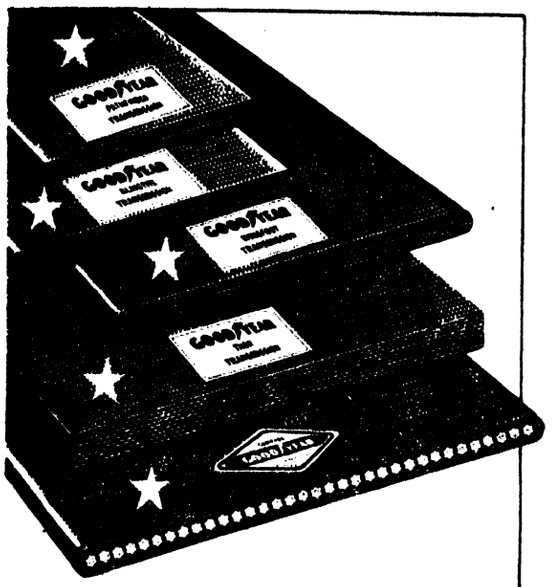
The conference accepted a suggestion of the Vice-Chancellor that a minimum uniform tuition fee of Rs. 8 should be charged by all Calcutta colleges, while mofussil colleges should increase their present fees by Re. 1.

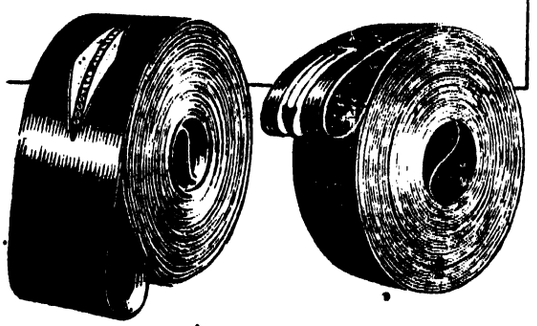
MR. SIDDIQI ON TO-DAY'S MUSLIM WORLD

Mr. Abdur Rahman Siddiqi addressed the members of the Noakhali Muslim Workers' Association at the Islamia College Hall on Tuesday, the 7th May evening. Prof. Taher Jamil of the Islamia College presided.

Mr. Siddiqi after giving a picture of the downfall of Islamic Governments in the latter half of the 19th century, dilated at length on the appalling conditions prevailing in the Muslim countries. From Indonesia to Morocco on the Atlantic coast, the Muslims, economically, educationally and politically, were not in a happy position. The war, however, had set in motion new forces which, if harnessed properly by Muslim leaders all over the world, would bring about a resurgence that promised a general betterment of the world. The fraternity of Islam has a lesson which the fighting nations of the world could learn advantageously even from the suppressed and depressed Muslims of to-day. The time had come when

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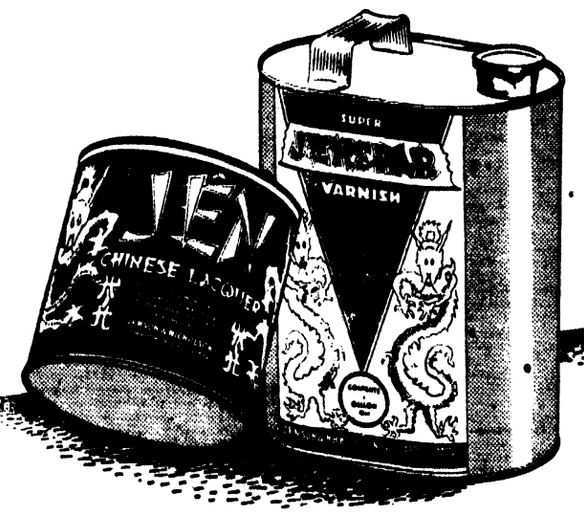


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the new forces reverbrated in different parts of the Muslim World should be made to run jointly in the Islamic channel, for alone through joint effort, the Muslims would regain their lost position and teach the world the lesson of freedom, brotherhood and equality. Islam made no distinction between the black and the white, between the Europeans, Africans or Asiatics.

Islam could teach the world a lesson of toleration and mutual accommodation which would lead to peace and prosperity the U. N. O. will never be able to obtain under its present one-sided, selfish and unjudged constitution, the results of which are already observable in the cat and dog fight in the Foreign Ministers' Conference and the Security Council formed under it. Islam alone could find the remedy for ailments of mankind of every description everywhere.

"MAY DAY" IN CALCUTTA

A resolution demanding that the future constitution of India be framed on the lines of a socialist State to ensure material well-being of people, was adopted at a workers rally held on the occasion of "May Day" at the base of the Ochterlony Monument, Calcutta, on the 1st May last. Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose, President of the All-India Union Congress, was in the chair.

In another resolution the rally urged the Central and Provincial Governments to take immediate steps for the alleviation of distress of labourers due to low wages and other disadvantages. It also emphasised the need for the solution of labour employment.

Mr. Bose, Mr. R. Palme Dutt, Dr. Maitreyee Bose and several others spoke.

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For the city of Calcutta for the week ending 4th May, 1946.

CITY OF CALCUTTA (TOWN & SUBURBS)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 590 against 652 and 574 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 259. The general death-rate of the week was 11.74 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 4th May, 1946, was 488 against 534 and 477 in the two preceding weeks. There were 27 deaths from Cholera against 25 and 33 in the two preceding weeks. There were 2 deaths from small-pox during the week against 4 in the previous week. There was no death from influenza against nil in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 34 and 85 respectively against 47 and 84 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 11.09 per mille per annum.

There were 23 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 10.57.

There were 96 deaths from respiratory diseases against 86 in the previous week.

There were 32 deaths from tuberculosis against 53 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 102 against 118 and 97 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 7 were from cholera, nil from small-pox, nil from influenza, 15 from fevers, 17 from bowel-complaints and 16 from respiratory diseases. The rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 16.32 per mille.

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Notice To Petty Improvement Contractors

District No. II Engineer's Department.
(Manicktolla.)

Tenders for the following work are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Tuesday, the 14th May, 1946, up to 2 p.m. :—

1. Refixing glass doors, windows and glass planes in Corporation Office and Dispensary at 109, Narikeldanga Main Road and Manicktala Maternity Home, Ward 29. Rs. 584, dated 22nd January, 1946, (3 weeks).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics "7 days' notice" in Clause 6 of the conditions of contract should be read as "3 days' notice."

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II.

District II Eng'g. Office,
The 3rd May, 1946.

District No. II, Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers superscribed "Tender for....." on Tuesday, the 21st May, 1946 up to 2 p.m. :—

The Petty Improvement Contractors are requested to call at this office to note the items and descriptions of works for which tenders are to be submitted, from a copy kept in the District Engineer's room for inspection.

4. Repairing the outhouse (workshop) C. F. P. Model School at 34, Wellington Street.—Rs. 757, dated 3rd July, 1945, (2 weeks).

5. Repairs to the gate of Malanga Square, Ward 10.—Rs. 39, dated 8th May, 1946, (15 days).

6. Construction of a lamphole at Malanga Lane, Ward 10.—Rs. 274, dated 8th May, 1946, (1 month).

7. Supplying earth at Malanga Square, Ward 10.—792, dated 8th May, 1946, (1 month).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics "7 days' notice" in clause 6 of the conditions of contract should be read as "3 days' notice."

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II.

District II Eng'g. Office,
The 8th May, 1946.

District No. III Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Wednesday, the 15th May, 1946 up to 2 p.m. :—

23. Repairs to Sergeant Chatterjee's quarters at Fenwick Bazar Street in S. S. Hogg Market.—Rs. 723, dated 7th May, 1946, (3 weeks).

24. Repairs to Fish Tables Nos. 10-13 and 28-31 in Fish Ranges in S. S. Hogg Market.—Rs. 938, dated 7th May, 1946, (1 month).

25. Repairs to the office rooms in the Municipal Gazette Department in the Central Municipal Office Buildings.—Rs. 363, dated 7th May, 1946, (10 days).

26. Earth work in flank by the side of the tank opposite L. P. No. 14, Topsia Road South in Ward 18.—Rs. 378, dated 20th November, 1945, (1 month).

27. Repairs to Cheritable Dispensary at Tangra (situated at Chingrighatta Road).—Rs. 478, dated 7th May, 1946, (3 weeks).

28. Repairs to Superintendent's quarters at Pig Slaughter House in Ward No. 18. Rs. 949, dated 7th May, 1946, (1 month).

29. Repairs to the retaining wall at Paymental Garden Lane between Tangra Road South and Meajan Lane in Ward No. 18.—Rs. 870, dated 7th May, 1946, (1 month).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics (7 days' notice) as printed in clause 6 of the Tender and Agreement Form for piece work should be read as '3 days' notice."

S. C. GHOSE,
District Engineer III.

District III Eng'g Office,
The 7th May, 1946.

District No. IV Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer, in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Thursday, the 23rd May, 1946, up to 2 p.m. :—

15. Relaying channel stones at Dover Lane (portion) in Ward 27.—Rs. 749, dated 25th April, 1946, (1 month).

16. Repairs to kerb and channel stones at Harish Chatterjee Street.—Rs. 951, dated 22nd April, 1946, (1 month).

17. Repairs to kerb and channel stones in Kalighat Road portion) South of Hazra Road.—Rs. 599, dated 22nd April, 1946, (15 days).

18. Repairs to kerb and channel stones at Sadananda Road, Ward 23—Rs. 303 dated 23rd April, 1946 (15 days).

19. Maintenance of sewer at Lansdowne Road between Lansdowne Place and Monoharpuker Road in Ward 27.—Rs. 458 dated 25th April, 1946 (1 month).

20. Covering up the nikashi surface drain on the south of 91, Tollygunge Road in Ward 27.—Rs. 890, dated 24th April, 1946, (1 month).

21. Repairs to the paved footpath at Ramesh Mitter Road in Ward 22.—Rs. 935, dated 22nd April 1946, (1 month).

22. Repairs to footpath of Rashbehary Avenue (portion) in Ward 27.—Rs. 930, dated 24th April, 1946, (1 month).

23. Repairs to footpath of Russa Road (portion) South of Rash Behary Avenue.—Rs. 586, dated 24th April, 1946, (15 days).

24. Repairs to footpath at Circular Garden Reach Road (portion) in Ward 26.—Rs. 919, dated 23rd April, 1946, (1 month).

A. F. NABI BAKSH,
District Engineer IV.

District IV Eng'g Office,
The 4th May, 1946.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Messrs. Ajodhya Prosad Bajpai and Kalka Prasad Bajpai, the recorded occupiers of the stalls Nos. 34—35 in Block B, in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market to carry on the business of jewellery in addition to the existing business of cloth carried on in the above stalls.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date this notice first appears in the *Municipal Gazette*.

P. C. BHATTACHARJI,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market,
The 7th May, 1946.

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Mr. Sudhir Ranjan Shaoo, the recorded occupier of Stall No. 48 in Block B in the S. S. Hogg Market for permission to change the nature of business carried on in the above stall from Books and Picture Post cards to stationery and perfumery.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from date hereof.

P. C. BHATTACHARJI,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market,
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	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.				F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.						
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.			Mudikhana			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½164-169	1 7 9	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
						,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

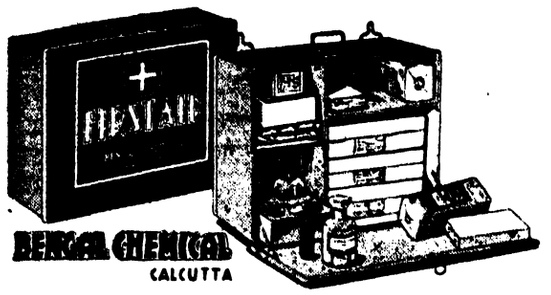
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)								
*,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	3 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-2	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 6	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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MARKET NOTICES

1. It is recommended that coolies should be paid at the following rates :—10 Minutes—Two pice. ½ Hour—One anna. 1 Hour—Two annas. Every succeeding hour or part of an hour—One anna.

2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a white arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 500 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 16th April, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bilong	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster	2 8 0	3 0 0
Baghda	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhanguar	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa	1 12 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer		2 8 0
EGGS.		
		1 10 0
Duck's eggs per score		1 10 0
Fowl's eggs		
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each		
*Tomato per seer	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	
Garlic ,,	1 0 0	1 8 0
Green Chilly per seer	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
Peas (Baichi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 4 0	0 5 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 2 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 6	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 8 to 12	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,,		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	(Con.)
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 0	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 2 6	(Contd
Sugar ,,	0 8 6	
	(Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
,, (Sugarcandy) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
	(Ration	Shop)
Suji	0 8 0	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Chana ,,	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor ,,	0 8 0	0 9 0
Bhanga ,, ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Kalai ,,	0 6 6	
Bluli ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 10 0
,, (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,,	0 8 0	0 9 0
Salt (Controlled)	0 2 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal ,,		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

N.B.—*Control.

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PRICES IN THE SIR STUART HOGG MARKET
Rates quoted on the 2nd May, 1946.

ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	2 0 0	2 4 0	1 8 0	1 12 0
Curry Beef —	1 12 0	2 2 0	1 8 0	1 14 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 4 0	4 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0
Hump per seer —	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
Rib —	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0
Round ,, —	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0
Sirloin ,, —	3 0 0	4 0 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
Suet (Kidney) —	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
SALT PROVISIONS.				
Brisket per seer —				
Lump ,, —				
Round —				
Tongue each —				
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per lb. —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Saddle ...	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Leg per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0		

ARTICLES.	1st Class	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
MUTTON			
Chops per seer ...	3 0 0 — 3 12 0		
Breast ,, ...	3 0 0 — 3 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	3 0 0 — 3 8 0		
Leg per sr. —	3 0 0 — 3 8 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	3 0 0 — 4 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	3 0 0 — 3 8 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0 — 0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6 — 0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0 — 2 4 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 4 0 — 0 6 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0 — 0 14 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0		
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0 — 0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0 — 1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0 — 2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat —	2 15 0 — 3 0 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Lunchoon Sausages per lb —	3 4 0	3 8 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 8 0	5 0 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 0 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 8 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — —	3 8 0	4 4 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

Prices of foreign articles as well as Indian commodities are liable to fluctuate daily without notice and not controllable at present on account of War and hence approximate prices are given.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
*POULTRY.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 2 0	1 4 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Capon	5 8 0	8 0 0
Duck (curry)	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do (roasting)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (special)	3 0 0	3 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Goose	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock	25 0 0	30 0 0
Do. Hen	18 0 0	20 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ..	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	2 12 0	3 2 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge		
Peacock	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ..		
Do. Lahore ..	0 14 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. lb.	0 7 6	
Do. Fyzabad ..	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Country each		
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ..		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. lb		0 3 6
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per lb. ...		0 6 6
Lettuce each —	0 2 0	0 3 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...		
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ..	0 5 6	0 7 0
Do. .. white ..	0 9 0	0 10 0
Do. Country red ..	0 5 6	0 6 6
* Parsnip per seer ..	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 12 0	2 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling .. lb. ...		0 5 6
Do. Hazaribagh	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A.
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0
Apples (Cooking) .. —	2 0 0	2 4
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 8 0	4 8
Do. Quetta ...	2 8 0	3 8
Do. Delicious per seer.		
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 .2 0	3 8
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 2 0	0 10
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 8 0	4 8
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	8 0 0	10 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8
Anar per seer —	3 8 0	4 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	2 8 0	3 0
Jack Fruit each ...	1 8 0	2 8
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12
Khurbanee	1 4 0	1 8

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Quail		
Rabbit	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large)	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	30 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen)	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling p. lb.		0 3 6
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per lb. ...		0 5 0
Do. Agra —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
*Do. French Darjeeling		0 3 6
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal .. seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage each ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
*Do. Darjeeling lb.		0 4 6
Do. (Ranchi) ..	0 12 0	0 14 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per lb.		0 5 6
Do. (Allahabad) ..	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Simla	1 12 0	2 4 0
Do. Country		
Snake Coil		
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 8 0	0 9 0
*Do. Darjeeling		
Do. Country do. ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital ..	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)		
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 4 6	0 5 6
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
Rhubarb per lb. ...		0 5 0
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle		
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Squash per seer —		
Country Spinach per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato per seer ..	0 12 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per lb.		0 6 0
Do. Country ..	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Ranchi ..	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Shillong ..	0 14 0	1 0 0
Tamarind (Green) ..	0 3 0	
*Turnip p. lb. Darjeeling		0 4 6
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Red .. per seer	0 7 0	0 8 0
Terai per seer —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Kankrole per seer —		
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	1 4 0	1 8
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...	1 4 0	2 0
Locket per score ...	0 14 0	1 0
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer	0 8 0	0 10
Mask Melon per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10
Mask Melon .. lb. (Lucknow)	0 14 0	1 0
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)	6 0 0	7 0
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...	0 12 0	1 8
Do. Golapkhash —	2 8 0	3 0
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfull ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...	3 0 0	5 0
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 0 0	4 0
Poona	3 0 0	3 12
Bombay	3 0 0	4 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 8—4	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...		
Do. Nagpur 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do (Squeezing) 10—12	1 0 0	

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At present Peas and Cauliflowers are the only varieties available on controlled rates this week.

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,,		
Do. Ceylon ,,		
Do. Madras ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Comilla ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,,		
Plantain Champa Bunch	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban ,,	1 0 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritasagar ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul ,,	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya Jasore each	0 10 0	2 0 0
Do. Country ,,	0 6 0	0 10 0
Plums per lb. (Kakul)	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Country per score		
Pomegranate Bhowanegore per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumalo each (country)	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumalo balbar each	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb.		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do.		
Do. Delmonta do.		
Kabuli do.		
Pears (Kulu) per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Nainital)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb.		
Do. Peshwar per doz.		
Do. Australian per lb.		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Cashmere	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches America dry p. lb.	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Punjab ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score	0 14 0	1 0 0
Sofata 3—10	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score	0 5 0	0 8 0
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Surdah Kabul per lb.	0 8 0	0 10 0
Tamarind per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each	0 12 0	1 4 0
Do. Goalund each	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul	4 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,,	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Bhagalpur each	2 8 0	3 0 0
Water fruit per seer		
Water Melon Kabul per lb.	0 5 0	0 6 0
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb.		
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet		
Almond Salted (large) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Almond Kabul per lb.	1 9 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb.		
Almond Salted (small) per lb.		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb.	1 0 0	1 8 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 4 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb.	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb.	2 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet	3 0 0	
Chestnut per lb.		
Dates Arab per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb.		
Khurma per seer	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb.		0 6 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb.		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb.		5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb.		
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb.	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.		
Prunes dry per lb.		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet	1 0 0	1 8 0
Do. (red) per lb.	1 4 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. pecket	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet		
Do. American 1 lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet		
Do. (Sankist) per lb.		
Cake Raisin per lb.	0 12 0	0 14 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 8 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.
E. 8	,, 6 ,,	Do.

Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.	
Potato—*9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
† Betel— 3 & 4	,, 3	Betel leaves.
Meat 8, 9 & 10	,, 3	Meat

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

† The stalls are temporarily occupied by the stall-holders (Bread and Milk) shifted from the fire damaged portion for repairs.

VALUE FOR MONEY

KEVENTER'S BUTTER

AT STALL Nos. 129-31

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	1 8 0	2 8 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay „ ...		2 8 0
Dinapur — „		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer —	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ... —	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhill) per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	4 8 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ -	5 0 0	5 12 0
Cutla per seer —	1 12 0	2 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) ..	2 0 0	3 0 0
Rohi per seer ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe		
Do. without roe		
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Butter fish per seer ..	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 0 0	3 12 0
Lobster —	2 8 0	3 4 0
Sea fish ...	2 4 0	3 8 0
Other fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 4 0	4 12 0
Mackerel —	2 12 0	3 4 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Ladies finger ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed. „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Broom per lb. —	0 3 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 3 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 6
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 6 0
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		
Rice per seer (retail) —		0 6 0
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 6	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
Banktoolai manja per md.		
Do. per seer ..		
Chinisakkar per md. —		
Do. per seer ..		
Kabul rice per seer		
Golab Soru rice (best) „ ...		
Kamini rice „ ...		
Palmal (table) per seer —		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 8 0
Chola „ —		0 10 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 8 0
Khasari „ ...		0 8 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 12 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. „ ...	2 2 0	
6 lb. „ ...	6 0 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 5 0	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 2 0	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 22 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A. P
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 Sticks each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
60 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 0 0
Haldi „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 6	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin ...		
Nice 2 lb. tin ...		
Petit Beurre tin ...		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese ...		
Gem ...		
Gem Iced ...		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. ...		
* Ko-Nut (Reg.) ...		
Marie ...		
Milk ...		
Mixed (Household) ...		
Nice ...		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 3
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 3	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 3	
Zoological Loose —		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Pepperments per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0	
Deresske per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...		
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	
„ „ (magnum)	0 6 0	2 0 0
Glasgow Mixture per lb.		
Spencer's "Doretto" ... Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ —		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Coccoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt. ..		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
King Cocoanut Hair Oil	1 2 0	4 8 0
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 0
*Bisurated Magnesia, large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment —	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

*Controlled Price

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LAKE ROAD MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial amount for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned Stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Veg. 4, 5, 6, 13, and 14	0 3 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	0 3 0 „	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 3 0 „	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 3 0	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boilee ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...		0 8 0
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		5 0 0
Jessore ,,		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,, —		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal —		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas —	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —	1 6 0	1 8 0
Prawns —		
Parsey —		
Bagda —		
Bhetki —		
Crab per pair —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi —	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 1st May, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kacha)	0 9 0	0 10 0
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits) ...		0 7 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Sanchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...	4 12 0	
Khurja (controlled) ...		3 14 0
Bhaduwa do. ...		3 14 0
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)	3 14 0	
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) —		0 6 0
*Atta		0 5 0
*Do. B ... —		
Gur (Kheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer ...	Contld.	4 2 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —		
Alubokra per seer ...		2 0 0
Oranges 12—82 ...	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pesta ,, ...	8 0 0	
Dates Arat —	1 0 0	
Grapes per seer ...		2 0 0
Naspati —		
Mango 6—10 ...	1 0 0	
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —		
VEGETABLES		
Patal (Desi) ...	0 12 0	
Patal per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Potatoes New ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Potatoes (Nanita) —	0 3 6	0 5 0
Brinjal —	0 5 0	0 6 6
Ginger —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Onion ...	0 8 0	
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage per seer —		
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona ,, }	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }		2 8 0
Bagda ,, —	2 8 0	
Bhetki ,, —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Hilsa Fish —		1 12 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 14 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 14 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) —		
Quaker's Oats ...		
Pascal's Lozenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large) ...		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle ...		

continued. N. B.—Prices not according to supplies.

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 27th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
MUTTON		
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score ...	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	
Ginger „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 6	0 1 0
Onions Patna red per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Bombay „ ...		
Do. Country „ —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi ...		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country — —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Disi per seer ...		
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 10 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 10 0	
Squash „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Green Mangoes each ...	0 1 0	0 2 0
Bit per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere 1—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kulu 1—2 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Alubokhara per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „ ..	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 1 0	0 4 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Chilghoza „ ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Bagdad „ ...	1 0 0	1 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman per box	1 4 0	
Do. Australia per seer		
Khorma per seer „ ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Kesur Deshi „ ...		
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...		5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...		
Do. Mozafferpur per		
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. ...		
Jamrul „ „ —		
Golapjam —		
Panifal per seer ...		
Kancha-Mita Mango per Seore ...		
Shunk Alu per seer —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Safeta 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Sandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully —		
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	
Do. Langra ...		
Do. Bhastara ...		
Do. Madras 3—4 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri —		
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas —		
Do. Himsagar ...		
Do. Kissen Bhogh —		
Kharbuza per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore ...		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling 8—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Nagpur 10—12 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	} 9 0 0	10 0 0
Do. Kabul ...		
Peara 4—10 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 8 0	1 0 0
Peaches ...		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...		
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bedana (Kabul) ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	4 0 0
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. do. large ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...		
Do. Deshi each ...		
Do. Farukabad ...		
Do. Quetta ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Musembi 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa 6—8 ...		
Nona (each) ...		
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	2 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Mazafferpur „ ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	2 0 0	3 0 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 16 0
Hilsa „ ...	0 12 0	1 4 0
Rohi „ ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Singhee per seer ...	2 0 0	4 0 0
Magoor per seer (small) —		
Do. (large) —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Galda —	1 8 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A.P.
RICE		
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 12 0	
Mug Dal „ ...	0 10 0	
Arhar „ ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 8 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 10 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	
Chana Dal „ —	0 6 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 22 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — ...	0 8 6	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		
Soft Coke per md ...		1 9 0

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET

Rate quoted on the 11th April, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer ...		
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Silong —	2 8 0	2 12 0
Lobster ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bagda —	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bhangaar ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Parsay ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab each ...	0 1 6	0 2 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	2 8 0
Mutton ,, ...	—	2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 4 0	1 4 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —		
Brinjal ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer —		0 8 0
Garlic ,, —		0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,, ...		0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) —	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...		0 6 0
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 8 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Madras ,, ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 8 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour(Wholemeal)Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) —	0 8 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, ...	0 6 0	
Masoor ,, ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai ,, ...	0 7 0	
Biuli ,, ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 0	
,, (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor ,,	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Coal ,, (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel ,, —	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET

Rates quoted on the 8th May, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Silong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaar —	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	1 12 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,, —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,, —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 8 0	
Fowl's Eggs ,, —	1 8 0	
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) ,, ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakrai) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer ...		0 10 0
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly ,, —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,, —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,, —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,, —	0 8 0	0 5 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,, —		
Raddish ,, —	0 3 0	
Squash ,, —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,, —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra ,, —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes ,, —	1 4 0	
Lime per score —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Plantain (Champa) per doz. —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Do. (Martaban) ,, —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Papaya per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pomegranates per seer —		
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sugarcane each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Orange per score —		
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,, —		
Do. Bhadwa ,, —		
Do. Sree ,, —	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 10 0	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 8 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer ...	0 5 0	
Wheat ,, —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer ...	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,, —		
Do. (Atap) ,, —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 8 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,, —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, —	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,, —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,, —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,, —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,, —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,, —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,, —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 8 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephants Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1948

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
uck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Sflong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Bhangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Ilisa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 3 0
Carrots (Country) per dos.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 3 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Nainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—8	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Martaban) per dos.	0 3 0	
	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 [illegible]
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 11
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10
DAL,		
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 8
Bhanga		0 6
Khasaree ,,		
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 6 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 8 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,	0 10 0	
		0 1
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant)		
Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
32-30	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	36B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
33A	0 4 0 ,,		35-36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
34 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		36 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
36 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 38	0 3 0 Daily	
37 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
37	0 5 0 Daily				

N. M. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
II.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
" 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 8	4 0 0	Do.
" 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 90	0 10 0	Do.
Coconut		
Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut.
" 17	0 4 0	Do.
" 18	0 4 0	Do.
" 21	0 10 0	Potato.
M.	Rs. A. P.	
West Range (New) 8	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 37	25 0 0	Do.
" 38	25 0 0	Do.
" 39	30 0 0	Do.
" 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 42		Misc. goods.
" 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
" 32	25 0 0	
" 58	43 0 0	
" 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
" 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 48	33 0 0	Do.
" 49	33 0 0	Tailoring.
" 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
" 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
" 52	30 0 0	Do.
" 53	30 0 0	Do.
" 54	30 0 0	Do.
58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
" 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
" 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
" 51-56	2 8 0	Do.
" 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
" 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
" 115-130		
" 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
" 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
" 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
" 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
" 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
" 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
" 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
" 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
" 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
" 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
" 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
" 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
" 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
" 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
" 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
" 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
" 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
" 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
" 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
" 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
" 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
" 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
" 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
" 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
" 189-190	0 10 0	Do
" 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
" 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
" 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
" 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
" 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
" 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
" 211-214	1 4 0	Do.
Egg * 4	Rs. A. P. 0 8 0	Egg
" * 9	0 8 0	Do
" * 10	0 8 0	Do
" * 18	0 8 0	Do
" * 19	0 8 0	Do
" * 22	0 8 0	Do
" 27	0 4 0	Do
"		
"		
"		
" * 35	0 4 0	Do
* 40—42 each	0 8 0	Do
F. E. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
N. 38	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
" 57	0 5 6	Do.
" 72 73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9 each	2 8 0	Milk
Suet		Suet
*" 5 & 6	0 4 0	Do
"	0 8 0	Do
*" 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range " 2	0 8 0	Beef

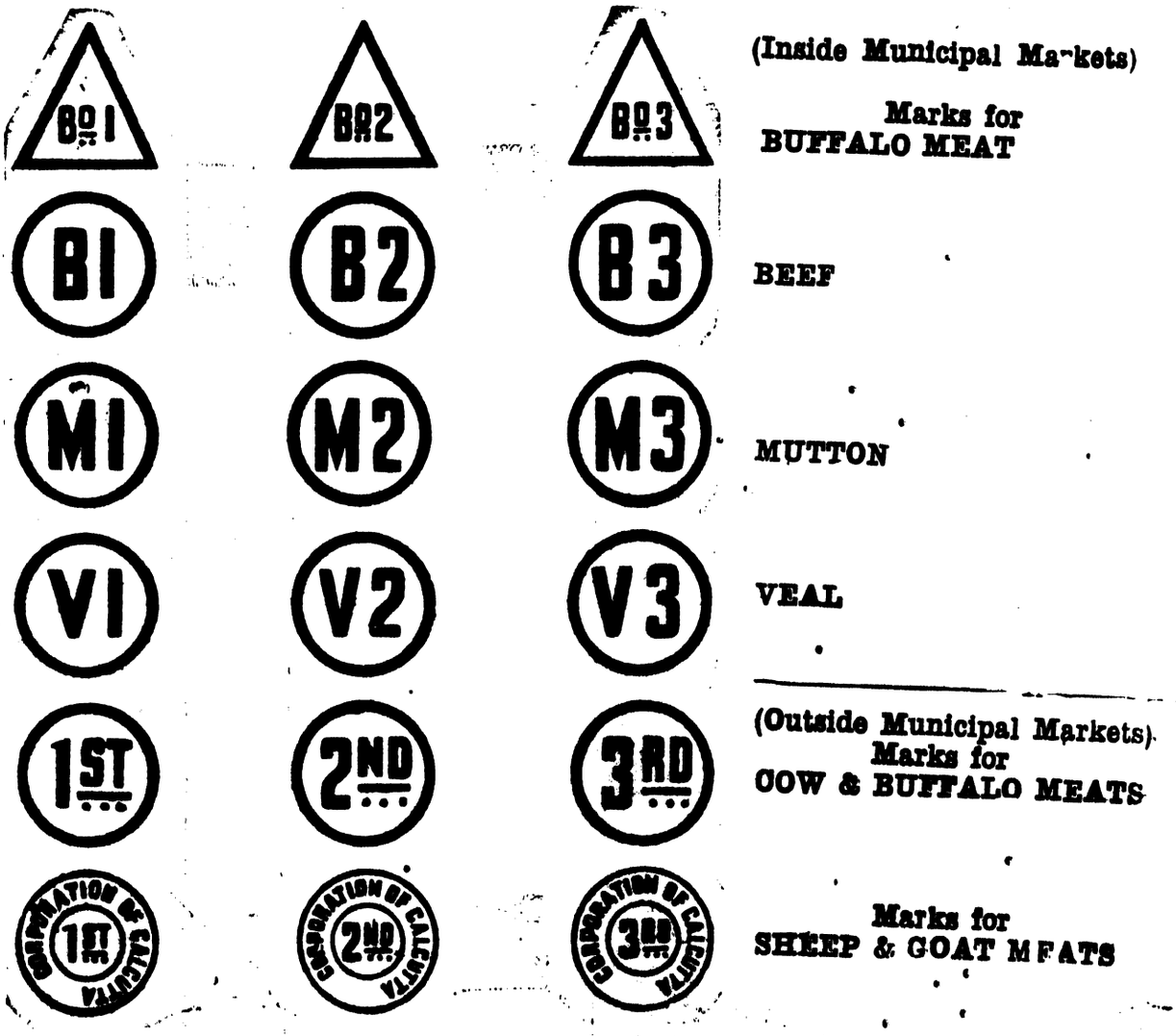
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ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—2 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables
						30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff.			
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do			Cloth, Shoe, etc.			
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's store.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
		Non-foodstuff.	12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	50 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Madi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	68 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

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Plan For An Indian Union

British Cabinet Mission's Proposals

A Union of India including the States with powers to control foreign affairs, rejection of Pakistan, arrangements for setting up immediately a constitution-making machinery, and formation at once of an Interim Government at the Centre with all portfolios including that of the War Member transferred to popular control, have been recommended with H. M. G.'s full approval by the British Cabinet Delegation and the Viceroy.

They found from the evidence submitted to them that there was an almost universal desire for the unity of India, and " they were unable to advise H. M. G. that the power which at present resides in British hands should be handed over to two entirely separate sovereign States."

The constitution-making machinery is to be formed with representatives of different communities elected on a communal basis by the Provincial Assemblies, each Province being allotted seats proportionate to its population, the number of seats being calculated in the ratio of one to a million. The Viceroy will at once ask Provincial Assemblies to elect such representatives and the States a Negotiating Committee, and they will meet in New Delhi as soon as possible.

The Cabinet Delegation and the Viceroy have recommended that the constitution should take the following basic forms:—

(1) There should be a Union of India, embracing both British India and the States, which should deal with the following subjects: Foreign Affairs, Defence and Communications; and should have the powers necessary to raise the finances required for the above subjects.

(2) The Union should have an Executive and a Legislature constituted from British Indian and States representatives. Any question raising a major communal issue in the Legislature should require for its decision a majority of the representatives present and voting of each of the two major communities as well as a majority of all the members present and voting.

(3) All subjects other than the Union subjects and all residuary powers should vest in the Provinces.

(4) The States will retain all subjects and powers other than those ceded to the Union.

(5) Provinces should be free to form Groups with executives and legislatures, and each Group could determine the Provincial subjects to be taken in common.

(6) The constitutions of the Union and of the Groups should contain a provision whereby any Province could, by a majority vote of its Legislative Assembly, call for a reconsideration of the terms of the constitution after an initial period of 10 years and at 10 yearly intervals thereafter.

The Mission and the Viceroy trust that these proposals will enable Indians to attain Independence in the shortest time and with the least danger of Internal disturbance and conflict.

THE MISSION'S APPEAL

Making the foregoing declaration, in the course of a statement, on Thursday night, the 16th May, the Cabinet Mission and the Viceroy add :—

"To the leaders and people of India who now have the opportunity of complete independence we would finally say this. We and our Government and countrymen hoped that it would be possible for the Indian people themselves to agree upon the method of framing the new constitution under which they will live. Despite the labours which we have shared with the Indian Parties, and the exercise of much patience and goodwill by all, this has not been possible. We therefore now lay before you proposals which, after listening to all sides and after much earnest though, we trust, will enable you to attain your independence in the shortest time and with the least danger of internal disturbance and conflict. These proposals may not, of course, completely satisfy all parties, but you will recognise with us that at this supreme moment in Indian history statesmanship demands mutual accommodation.

"We ask you to consider the alternative to acceptance of these proposals. After all the efforts which we and the Indian Parties have made together for agreement we must state that in our view there is small hope of peaceful settlement by agreement of the Indian Parties alone. The alternative would therefore be a grave danger of violence, chaos, and even civil war. The result and duration of such a disturbance cannot be foreseen; but it is certain that it would be a terrible disaster for many millions of men, women and children. This is a possibility which must be regarded with equal abhorrence by the Indian people, our own countrymen, and the world as a whole.

"We, therefore, lay these proposals before you in the profound hope that they will be accepted and operated by you in the spirit of accommodation and goodwill in which they are offered. We appeal to all who have the future good of India at heart to extend their vision beyond their own community or interest to the interest of the whole four hundred millions of the Indian people.

"We hope that the new independent India may choose to be a member of the British Commonwealth. We hope in any event that you will remain in close and friendly association with our people. But these are matters for your own free choice. Whatever that choice may be we look forward with you to your ever increasing prosperity among the great nations of the world, and to a future even more glorious than your past.

MADRAS CORPORATION AND THE UNION JACK

Lt.-Col. Lakshmi of the Rani of Jhansi Regiment of the I. N. A. declined to receive a civic address proposed to be presented to her by the Madras Corporation on the 8th May last.

In a letter to the Mayor of Madras, Lt.-Col. Lakshmi expresses her inability to receive the address as it has been brought to her notice that it is the usual practice for the Corporation of Madras to fly the Union Jack over the Corporation building on such occasions.

FURTHER MEASURES AGAINST TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

As a further measure to avoid traffic accidents, the army authorities in Calcutta decided to place the following roads out of bounds to the army vehicles with effect from the 5th May last :—

Harrison Road from Sealdah Railway Station to Howrah Railway Station, Bow Bazar Street.

Vivekananda Road-Beadon Street-Grey Street.

Cornwallis Street-College Street-Wellington Street.

Wellesly Street to Park Street.

Dharamtala Street from Lower Circular Road to Chowringhee.

Central Avenue from Five Points to Bow Bazar Street will be closed to southbound traffic.

All army traffic entering Calcutta from the north will travel from Five Points *via* Upper Circular Road-Lower Circular Road and Corporation or Park Streets.

Loaded tank transporters will be permitted to use Central Avenue both ways but only with a military police escort.

Traffic proceeding to Sealdah Station will use Lower Circular Road-Park Street or Corporation Street.

Traffic proceeding to Howrah will go *via* Strand Road.

Between Lower Circular Road and Corporation Street, Chowringhee will be closed for North and South movement of 15 C. W. T. and heavier vehicles between 8 p.m. and 5-30 a.m. Load carrying and recreational transport will be discharged at Dufferin Car Park approaching by either Dufferin Road or Ochterlony Road.

POST-WAR ROAD DEVELOPMENT

In Jubbulpore City

With a view to improving the condition of roads within the Municipal limits which are now awfully impaired by heavy military traffic during war, the Jubbulpore Municipal Committee unanimously urges the Provincial Government to allot 20 lakhs of rupees from Post-war Roads Development Funds for construction of cement roads in Jubbulpore city this year

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"OUR STRUGGLES FROM WITHOUT"

A New Book On The I. N. A.

"Our Struggles from Without", a book giving the story of the I. N. A. and the Azad Hind Government, written and compiled by Mr. Ajit K. Bhimani, has been published in Calcutta by Mr. Jagannath Kolay. The book contains many of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose's most important speeches in full and about 40 unpublished photographs. The proceeds of the book will be given to the Bengal I. N. A. Relief Fund

THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

A SHORT RECORD OF THE MORE IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF AND DISCUSSIONS AT THE CORPORATION MEETING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 17, 1946

Wednesday, the 15th May, 1946

'BUSTEE' IMPROVEMENT

At the meeting of the Corporation held on Wednesday, the 15th May, 1946, Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury having drawn the attention of the House to the filthy condition of slums and bustees and the bad conservancy service in the city, the Mayor, Mr. S. M. Usman, said that the question of bustee improvement was engaging his foremost attention. He had already visited some bustees and was appalled to see the miserable condition prevailing there. With the limited resources at the disposal of the Corporation he was endeavouring to do all that was possible to improve bustee areas and the city's conservancy system.

MR. SIDDIQI RESIGNS

League Party Leadership

Following the Mayoral elections last month Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi resigned his leadership of the Muslim League Party in the Corporation.

Mr. Siddiqi, while tendering resignation of his leadership of the Muslim League Party in the Calcutta Corporation, intimated his decision to the members of the Party in a circular letter, which states as follows :—

"After the meetings we held in connection with the Mayoral election, it has been borne upon me clearly that there should be a change in the leadership of the Corporation Muslim League and the Corporation Muslim League Coalition Parties.

"I am conscious of the honour conferred upon me by my Corporation colleagues for the last many years and feel grateful to them for the confidence they extended to me throughout this long period.

"I have to request you kindly to consider this letter of mine as my letter of resignation from the leadership of the two groups stated above. May I also point out that this request of mine is final and irrevocable?"

So far as the short-term bustee improvement scheme was concerned, the Corporation expected to start work soon. As for the long-term scheme of housing poor people, they hoped to place their proposal before Government in a month's time. Should Government sanction it and come to their help, some headway would be made.

The Mayor also referred to two conferences he had with officers of the Corporation and ratepayers and said that he believed that things would look up within a fortnight.

Referring to the report published in *The Statesman* on Tuesday, the 14th May, about the city's health, Councillor Roy Chowdhury observed that in spite of the Health Officer's declaration that cholera had ceased to be epidemic in Calcutta, several cases were reported last week and numerous potential sources of infection were present all over the city. Referring to hawkers selling peeled fruits on pavements, he said that they were actually helping the spread of epidemic of every kind in the city. The condition of 'khatals' showed no improvement.

MR. W. F. DINES RETIRES

The House accepted the resignation tendered by Mr. W. F. Dines of his office as a Councillor of the Corporation as he had no longer been in service of one of the constituent companies of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce.

The House also decided to record their appreciation of Mr. Dines' services to the Corporation.

COUNCILLOR P. E. WALDE GOES ON LEAVE

The House granted leave of absence from meetings of the Corporation for six months to Councillor P. E. Walde.

Councillor Walde had proceeded to the United Kingdom by the end of April.

"NETAJI BHAWAN"

MR. SARAT C. BOSE'S MOVE

Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose with the help of two friends has acquired a three-fourth share belonging to Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose and two of his other brothers in premises No. 38/2, Elgin Road, freed of the subsisting mortgage and of the attachment (effected shortly after Netaji left India) by the Government in the criminal proceedings pending against him. The three-fourths share has been acquired at a cost of nearly Rs. 1,80,000.

By amicable partition the whole of the main building (including the bed room and sitting room used by Netaji) and a portion of outhouses have been allotted to Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose and his friends. The acquired property will be devoted solely to national purposes dear to the heart of Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose. The necessary deed of trust will shortly be executed by Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose and his friends who will not retain any beneficial interest in the property.

Mr. Sarat C. Bose and his friends have named the building as "Netaji Bhawan" and pending the execution of the trust deed it will be used for accommodating I. N. A. officers and men and for giving them rest and relief. The bed room and sitting room of Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose will now ever be maintained as they were when he left.

COUNCILLOR ANANDI LALL PODDAR

The House postponed for the second time their consideration of the resignation tendered by Councillor Anandi Lall Poddar of his office as a Councillor of the Corporation and recommended that Councillor Poddar be requested to reconsider his decision.

It may be recalled that the House on the 18th March last postponed consideration of the matter and Councillor Poddar was requested to reconsider his decision. Whereupon Councillor Poddar informed that he felt that owing to heavy pressure of work he would not be able to discharge his duties as a Councillor.

"GROW MORE FOOD" CAMPAIGN

When the recommendations of the "Grow More Food" Special Committee came up, the House, after some discussion, postponed consideration of the matter.

The recommendations of the Special Committee concerned about the steps regarding growing more food crops on the Corporation land within the compound of the Pulta Pumping Station.

AN INSTITUTE FOR FISHERIES RESEARCH

The House authorized the Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, to carry on negotiations with Dr. S. L. Hora, Director of Fisheries, Bengal, regarding a proposal of the Government of India for the establishment of a central institute of fisheries research. He was, however, directed to see that the Corporation was not committed in any way.

The above decision resulted from the Chief Executive Officer having placed a letter received by him from the Department of Fisheries, Bengal, containing a proposal for the establishment of a Central Institute of Fisheries Research in the land adjoining the Pulta Water Works. According to Dr. Hora an expert, Col. R. B. S. Sewell, had been invited from England to advise Government on the matter.

In that letter Mr. S. L. Hora, Director of Fisheries, had stated that it had occurred to him that an area of about five to eight acres before the Manirampur Gate of the Pulta Water Works might prove very suitable for the sections of the Institute dealing with ponds, tanks and river problems. The Institute, which was likely to have a number of algaeologists, zoologists, chemists, bacteriologists and others on its staff, would be in a position to correlate the scientific work of the Pulta Laboratory with their investigations. It would not interfere in any way with the working of the water works.

IMPROVEMENT OF SLUMS

GOVERNMENT REPLY TO PRESS CRITICISMS

A Bengal Government *Press Note* says :—

Allegations of hardship on the population of a bustee near Calcutta have been made in recent Press comments in respect of a Government scheme for the improvement of slums. The criticism is obviously based on a misunderstanding of the position.

The bustee referred to is situated at 109 and 110, Ultadanga Main Road and was scheduled as a slum area under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act, 1945. Following instructions from Government to make the necessary improvements in the bustee, the Calcutta Improvement Trust have now drawn up a scheme which has since been notified.

It is intended under the scheme to provide an adequate supply of water throughout the bustee by sinking two additional tube-wells to erect five bathing platforms and four sets of latrines, to demolish and re-erect 40 privies which are at present in a very bad condition and to repair and bring up to a sanitary standard 48 other privies which exist in the bustee. Provision has also been made for making several passages throughout the bustee to facilitate conservancy and to construct pucca surface drains alongside of these new roadways. Work is also to be undertaken to clean the existing tank.

It may be necessary in giving effect to these improvement to demolish a couple of huts and make small adjustments in a few others, but there is ample room in the bustees for the re-erection of the huts that may be demolished. There is no question whatsoever of notices of ejectment having been served on one thousand families; at the worst the number of persons who may be temporarily disturbed will not be more than an infinitesimal proportion of the total population of the bustee which is 2,650. Government are convinced that no one with any civic sense could ever object to improvements being carried out in the bustee to raise its standard of sanitation so that the population might live in healthier conditions

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Major-General Chatterjee In Calcutta

An Address Of Welcome Presented On Behalf Of The People Of Bengal

MAJOR-GENERAL A. C. Chatterjee, Foreign Minister of the Provisional Government of the Azad Hind, was given a public ovation on his arrival in Calcutta on the 9th May. He was taken in a milletony procession, in which mounted cyclist volunteers and I. N. A. men formed part, along a route which was lined by thousands of people.

Major-General Chatterjee returned to the city after more than four years where he had been a distinguished member of the I. M. S. holding the rank of Colonel and office of Director of Public Health of the Bengal Government. With the outbreak of the war with Japan, he was sent to Singapore where on the surrender of British forces he was made prisoner. When the I. N. A. was formed he took a leading part in it, his example being a source of inspiration to junior officers and other ranks. He was appointed Governor of areas which passed into the hands of the Azad Hind Government when Manipur was invaded.

At the Howrah Station Major-General Chatterjee was received and garlanded by Mr. Sarat C. Bose; Mr. Kalipada Mukherji, Secretary, B. P. C. C.; Mr. Saila Kumar Mukherji, Chairman, Howrah Municipality; Mr. Amiya Nath Bose, Jt.-Secretary, I. N. A. Relief Committee and others.

Accosted by Pressmen Major-General Chatterjee said that he met Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose last on the 6th June, 1945.

"Azad Hind Fouz was free from communalism and narrow provincialism. Discipline, faith in the cause for which they fought and sacrifice were the watchwords of the officers and men of the Azad Hind Fouz. If we have full faith in ourselves and spirit of sacrifice, there is no power in the earth who can deny freedom to us."

Thus declared Maj.-Gen. Chatterjee, who was the Foreign Minister of the Azad Hind Government and Governor-Designate of the liberated areas, replying to the welcome address accorded to him at a public meeting at Deshapriya Park on Sunday afternoon, the 12th May. Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose presided over the function.

Mr. Bose, who presided, extended a most cordial welcome to the General on behalf of the I. N. A. Relief Committee, Bengal and the people of Bengal. He said:

"The years from 1942 to 1945 will remain memorable in the history of India. And when the history of this period is written, I have no doubt that General Chatterjee's name will be inscribed in letters of gold."

Mr. Bose hoped that General Chatterjee would initiate his countrymen into the 'mahtram' of Unity, Faith and Sacrifice which he took outside the borders of India and show his countrymen the way.

THE "MANTRAM" OF UNITY, FAITH AND SACRIFICE

Hailing General Chatterjee as "the brave son of Bengal, of India," Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose said:

"We know that the battle for freedom began within the borders of India in 1942. The same year the struggle for independence also started from outside the borders of India. In this we did not succeed. This we also know that the struggle which started from outside the borders of India and which began inside the country, did not follow the same methods. Their object was however the same, namely, attainment of India's independence.

"It is true that we have not yet been able to win independence for India. We are not however sorry for that for the simple reason that there is no power on earth which can suppress the strength which my countrymen displayed both inside and outside the the country. Even if all the Powers of Europe stood in opposition to that strength, I firmly believe that they will not be able to suppress the strength which my countrymen displayed.

"To Win Freedom Is No Easy Task"

"Brave son of India, I realise how difficult it is to be able to say anything which will do full justice to your worth. I have not the language to describe your sacrifice, your capacity for work, your unbounded love for your country. I hope you will soon get back your former health and take your place in the life of activity in Bengal, in India. We hope that your high character will inspire our coun-



Major-General A. C. Chatterjee after his arrival in Calcutta, was taken out in a mile-long procession through the city streets. Major General Chatterjee (garlanded) may be seen in the picture offering his gratitude to the people who lined the route of the procession and paid their respects to him

—By courtesy of Bharat

trymen. We hope that you will initiate our countrymen into the 'mantram' that you took outside India—the 'mantram' of Unity, Faith and Sacrifice. I hope that by your character and by your advice you will guide the young men and women of India along the right path. To-day, we look upon you as one who will show us the way. Not only that, the whole of Bengal look up to you to show them the way. My earnest prayer to the Almighty is that He may soon restore you to your former health and you may soon return to the field of your activities.

It is no easy task to win freedom. For that are needed character, discipline, capacity for work and sacrifice, a shining example of which we find before us to-day."

General Chattrjee Replies

Addressing the gathering, General Chatterjee said :—

"I do not know what I have done for which I am bestowed this honour. I have but done my duty. Had any other Indian been placed in the same circumstances, he would have done the same thing."

"I shall speak to you to-day one or two words about the characteristics of the Azad Hind Fouj. The first peculiarity about it was that it was entirely a volunteer Army, every officer and soldier joining it voluntarily, of his own accord and without any compulsion being exerted. Secondly, no provincial or religious considerations found any place in this great organisation. Thirdly, in this organisation the criterion of promotion in the ranks was the capability and competence of the man in question, irrespective of the province or religion to which he belonged.

CORPORATION TO ACCORD CIVIC RECEPTION

The Calcutta Corporation at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 15th May, decided to accord a civic reception to Maj.-Gen. Dr. A. C. Chatterjee of the Indian National Army, and sanctioned an expenditure of Rs. 2,000 for the purpose.

Mr. J. N. Smart, leader of the European Group, said that, without going into merits of the proposal, they were opposed to it in view of the fact that expenditure of public money for such a purpose might be liable to surcharge. He wanted their opposition to be recorded.

At this stage Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, ex-Mayor, moved an amendment to Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen's resolution, to the effect that the proposed expenditure be raised from Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 2,000.

The amendment was carried.

Three respective motions, moved by Councillors Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen, Dr. M. N. Sarkar and Jogesh Chandra Ghose, suggested the idea of a civic reception being accorded to Major-General Chatterjee by the Corporation of Calcutta.

That Memorable Day

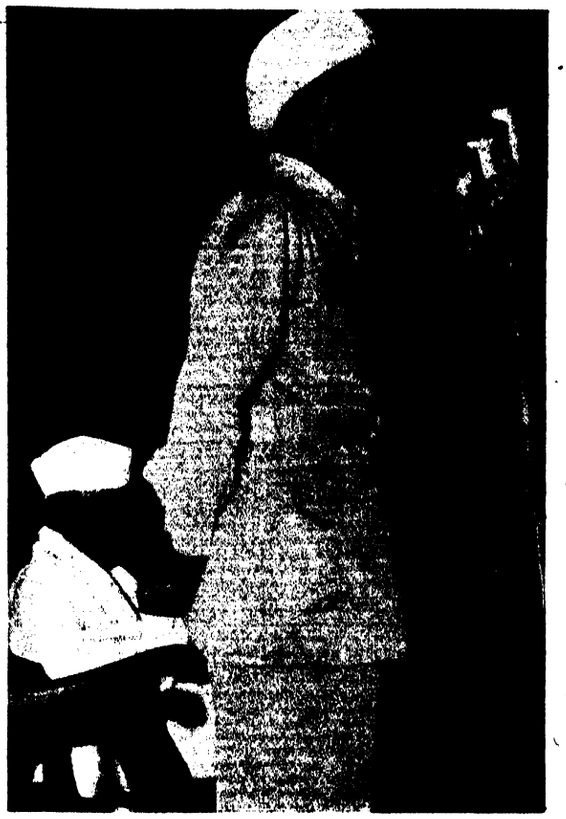
"When the talk of raising money for Azad Hind Government from Singapore was

going on, the Chettiar merchants stated that they were prepared to contribute money if Netaji would agree to address them from a temple. To that Netaji said that a man could invoke the name of God and worship Him in any way he liked but there was absolutely no connection between religion and politics and religion should not weigh with them when dealing with matters which concerned the welfare of the country. 'I am prepared to go and address you from the temple if you allow everyone to go inside the temple. Unless you agree to that, I don't want your money,' said Netaji. They stated in reply that they would not raise any objection to any people entering the temple.

"On that memorable day, Muslims, Sikhs, Christians all were allowed inside the temple. Before this only Hindus could enter the temple premises and Brahmins alone could go into the interior of the temple."

Sense of responsibility and spirit of sacrifice was the keynote of success of the Azad Hind Government. They were free from communalism and provincialism, the Maj.-General declared.

Concluding the Maj.-Gen. asked the people to cultivate discipline and be ready to sacrifice their all for the freedom of the country.



Major-General Chatterjee is replying to the Address of Welcome presented to him on behalf of the People of Bengal. Mr. Sarat C. Bose is seen in the picture sitting by the side of Major-General Chatterjee.

RECEPTION TO NEW MAYOR AND DEPUTY MAYOR

Corporation Ambulance Service : Corporation Teachers' Union

Mr. S. M. Usman, Mayor, and Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee, Deputy Mayor of Calcutta, were felicitated at a party given by the staff of Ambulance Service, at the Central Station, Calcutta, on the 11th May last.

Presenting an address on behalf of the staff, Dr. M. U. Ahmad gave an account of the good work that was being done by the ambulance staff and referred to the difficulties they experienced in the proper discharge of their duties for lack of adequate staff and equipment. He said that almost every year about 4,000 to 5,000 cases were attended to after considerable delay owing to these handicaps. In 1944-45, of the 26,778 calls received, 22,266 were attended, 3,820 were delayed on account of all cars being engaged on other calls, 692 refused owing to no accommodation being arranged in hospitals, as against 30,692, 24,765, 4,912 and 1,015 respectively in the previous year.

A reception was accorded to the new Mayor, Mr. S. M. Usman and the new Deputy Mayor, Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee, by the members of the Calcutta Corporation Teachers' Union in the Mahabodhi Society Hall, College Square, on the 7th May, 1946.

Mr. Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri presided over the function.

VACCINE AGAINST DENGUE FEVER

The U. S. Army doctors have discovered an effective vaccine against dengue fever, according to a War Department announcement. It is considered, however, that there may be certain forms of dengue which are not affected by the new vaccine.

The doctors first isolated the virus in Hawaii. Passing it through the brains of mice 32 times, they found the virus had lost the capacity to produce severe illness and long fever.

It is stated that the immunizing dose is very small. The extract from the brain of a single mouse contains at least 10,000 doses.

CANCER RESEARCH IN U. S. A.

Dr. Harry Friedgood, President of the Cancer Research Foundation of California, has told a House of Representatives Committee that Congress could pave the way to cure cancer by giving President Truman $100,000,000 for all-out concentrated research.

Friedgood said that while $1,500,000 are being spent on incomplete research "somebody is dying of cancer every three minutes."

GOVERNMENT'S PART IN THE 'GROW MORE FOOD' CAMPAIGN

The "Grow More Food" campaign cannot be a success unless Government offers a remunerative price to the cultivators. This view has been expressed in course of a press statement by the Secretary, Indian Produce Association Calcutta, who also emphasized the need for supplying manure and making available to cultivators plough cattle, whose price is prohibitive. Besides, it is pointed out that no progress has been made in cultivating fallow lands. He hopes the popular Ministers will make a more correct approach to the problem.

"Defects To Be Remedied" : Says The Mayor

Food And Famine Exposition At Corporation Commercial Museum

"BEFORE the advent of the Britishers we find that our country was self-sufficient and prosperous. We had our own system of agriculture, we had our own trade, commerce and industry; but the industrial revolution which brought tremendous changes in the life of the European people, produced little effect in this country only because science and other technique were not applied to India," said Mr. S. M. Usman, the newly-elected Mayor of Calcutta, in declaring open the "Food and Famine Exposition" at the Commercial Museum on the 9th May last organized in connection with the 11th anniversary of the Museum.

Continuing the Mayor said that the administrators in this country did never care for any improvement or betterment of this country. They wanted to have some sort of machinery which they were successful in setting up in this country. The result was that this subcontinent lagged behind to-day and the people of this country who are regarded mainly as 'agriculturists' all over the world were begging for rice and cereals to other parts of the world. He said that the Calcutta Corporation Commericial Museum was the first of its kind in India, the main objects of which were to bring before the countrymen the defects of agricultural and industrial systems and how best to remedy them and also to encourage the indigenous products. India which could boast of being the biggest agricultural country, was being visited and devastated by famine. He hoped that very soon the administrators of this province and of the whole country would appreciate the services which had been rendered by the organizers of this Museum in the field of agriculture and industry.

In conclusion, the Mayor assured that during his term of office this useful institution would receive special consideration. He also requested the public and particularly, the students, to take lively interest in the affairs of the Museum.

Dr. A. C. Ukil, in course of his address on the occasion, suggested that although the Museum was rendering signal services to the people of the province, a separate museum should be started by the municipal authorities so that people might be trained up in taking up the agricultural industries.

Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, Chief Executive Officer, said that he would like the public to take a little more interest in the Commercial Museum which was bound to play a very important part in the days when the problem of food was overcome.

Mr. Kali Charan Ghosh, Officer-in-charge, Commercial Museum and Publicity Department, Calcutta Corporation, in submitting the annual report for the year 1945-46 traced the growth and development of the Museum. He said that the most remarkable event of the Museum during the period had been the retirement of Mr. Jnananjan Niyogi, who was entrusted with the task of giving shape to the idea of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose who during his Mayoralty ushered into existence this Department in 1932.

HYDERABAD MUNICIPALITY SUPERSEDED

The Government of Sind has superseded the Hyderabad (Sind) Municipality for three years on account of maladministration.

AMONG NEW MINISTERS OF BENGAL

Association With The Corporation

The new Chief Minister, Mr. Husseyn Shaheed Suhrawardy, in charge of Home Department, the son of a former judge of the Calcutta High Court, Sir Zahid Suhrawardy, was born in 1892. With the inauguration of Local Self-Government, Mr. C. R. Das became the first Indian Mayor of the Calcutta Corporation with Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy as Deputy Mayor and Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose as Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Suhrawardy was long associated with the Calcutta Khilafat Committee and the Bengal Provincial Muslim League. In the first Huq Cabinet Mr. Suhrawardy was entrusted with the portfolios of Finance, and Public Health and Local Self-Government.

Under the Nazimuddin Ministry he held the portfolio of Civil Supplies.

Mr. J. N. Mondal, Minister for Judicial and Works and Building Departments, was a Councillor of the Corporation in 1939.

Mr. Mondal is a member of the Working Committee of the All-India Scheduled Castes Federation and President of the Provincial Branch.

Mr. Shamsuddin Ahmed, Minister for the Department of Commerce, Labour and Industry, was a Councillor of the Corporation from 1933-1935. He was also elected Chairman of the Roads and Bustees Committee. He served twice as Minister, once in 1938-39 and again in 1941-43.

Khan Bahadur Mohammed Ali who served the Bengal District Boards Association as Secretary and the Bengal Municipal Association as Vice President, holds the portfolios for the departments of Finance, and Public Health and Local Self-Government.

He is a Fellow of the Calcutta University, a member of the Dacca University Council, a member of the Muslim League Central Parliamentary Board.

Tagore Birthday Celebrations In The City

Writers' Association Observes Rabindra Memorial Week

UNDER the auspices of Rabindra Smriti-Sahityik-Samiti (Association of writers for Rabindra Memorial), formed with Dr. Abanindra Nath Tagore as President, and Mr. Narendra Dev as Hony. Secretary, for the purpose of raising money for the All-India Rabindra Memorial Fund and for the propagation of the ideals of the poet as reflected in his literature, a week-long programme of Rabindra music, Rabindra-drama and dances based on Rabindranath's poems and songs was observed in the city. The sale-proceeds of that performances was meant for the All-India Rabindra Memorial Fund.



A PHOTOGRAPH OF THE POET TAKEN IN APRIL, 1939

TAGORE BIRTHDAY OBSERVED AT CAMBRIDGE

Prof. A. S. Bessicoritch of Cambridge University presided over the Tagore birthday dinner organized by the Cambridge University Tagore Institute.

In a warm tribute to Tagore, Prof. Bessicovitch said that when the world was ruled by modern scientific inventions, which unfortunately had brought havoc twice in their lifetime, it would be well to remember the moral philosophy of the greatest poet and philosopher of their time—Rabindranath Tagore.

Sir S. Radhakrishnan, Vice-Chancellor of Benares Hindu University and Lecturer at Oxford, who was the guest of honour, described Tagore as the greatest figure in Indian history.

Prof. Mascare, Spanish Professor at Barcelona University who is paying a short visit to Cambridge, said that international solidarity could only be achieved by learning Tagore's philosophy of universalism based on the Upanishad. Tagore was the spirit of India.

The memorial week started on the 9th May with musical and dance recitals held at the University Institute under the directions of Gitabharati.

On the second day of the week, the members of the Progressive Writers' Association staged the poet's drama, "Muktadhara" on the "Sreerangam" board.

On the third day, the members of the Writers' Rabindra Memorial Committee staged the poet's drama, "Bashikaran" on the "Rungmahal" board with eminent writers. Messrs. Basanta Kumar Chatterjea, Probodh Kumar Sanyal, Tarasankar Banerjee, and others took the various roles. The female roles, it may be added, were played by the ladies.

On the fourth day on the "Star" board the Writers' Committee staged the Poet's inimitable drama, "Dak-Ghar" (a version of which was relayed from the Paris Radio Station, it may be remembered, on the night of the city's fall in the Great War). The well-known writers like Messrs. Dakshina Ranjan Mitra Majumdar, Narendra Deb, Sunirmal Basu, Akhil Neogy, Bimal Ghose appeared in the different roles.

On the fifth day Gitabitan held musical and dance recitals based on the poet's songs at the Calcutta University Institute.

On the last day, the 14th May, the performance of "Dak-Ghar" was repeated on the "Minerva" board.

The Writers' Committee, it may be added, has planned to publish a collection of poems, short stories and articles written by a hundred well-known writers of Bengal. Sreemati Radharani Deb and Mr. Amal Home are jointly editing the work, which has been named "Satadipa". The sale-proceeds of the book will go to the All-India Rabindra Memorial Fund.

Congress Sahitya Sangha

In observance of the 86th birth anniversary of Poet Rabindranath Tagore, a meeting was held at Kumar Singh Hall on the 8th May last under the auspices of the Congress Sahitya Sangha.



A PENCIL SKETCH OF THE POET (1912)
BY WILLIAM ROTHENSTEIN

Mr. Hemendra Prasad Ghose, who presided, said that Rabindranath took an active interest in the affairs of the nation. His connection with the Congress began in 1891. He took a lively interest in the anti-partition agitation. His contributions towards the growth of Indian nationalism were immense. He had a soft corner in his heart for the sufferings of the poor and the downtrodden and this love had found expression through numerous writings.

Prof. Benoy Kumar Sarkar, Chief Guest, said that any attempt to classify poets, far less a poet of the outstanding eminence of Rabindranath, in groups was futile for poets were by nature men of changing moods. They would be committing an error if they tried to bring Rabindranath into a particular fold. Rabindranath was a great patriot. Three hundred Bengali boys, he recalled, took their lessons in music from young Rabindranath under the auspices of Dawn Society and the songs taught were some of his best national songs.

Paying his tributes to the work of Rabindranath, Mr. Bepin Behary Ganguly asked members of the Congress Sahitya Sangha to give a correct lead to the nation through their writings.

Rabindra songs were sung on the occasion, among others, by Sukriti Sen, Banikantha Nirmal Chand Baral and Mr. Pravash Mitra. Mr. Mukur Sarbadhikary, Mr. Krishna Garai, Mr. Piyush Roy and others recited poems from Rabindranath.

Mr. Bijay Singh Nahar offered a vote of thanks to the Chair.

All-India Lighthouse For The Blind

The 86th birth anniversary of Poet Rabindranath Tagore was observed by boy and girl students of All-India Lighthouse for the Blind in the premises of the institution in Russa Road on the 10th May last. Mr. Sajani Kanta Das presided.

Recitation of poems from Rabindranath and singing of Rabindra songs by blind students were a feature of the function.

Mr. Subodh Roy, founder of the Lighthouse, said that he had been surprised at the love of Americans for Rabindranath. There were English translations of Rabindranath in many American houses. Many a young man and woman in England and America had been inspired by the thoughts of Rabindranath. When the speaker met Rabindranath in 1938, the Poet said that he would write more, touching the lives of the blind. He did not live to fulfil his desire.

BOMBAY TO RAISE A MEMORIAL.

A Committee has been formed in Bombay with Mr. B. G. Kher, Prime Minister, as Chairman to collect funds to raise a suitable memorial to Poet Tagore. The memorial is likely to take the shape of a building to house a library and theatre and provide the centre of cultural activities.

NETAJI BLOCK AT CALCUTTA HOSPITAL

A laudable move to set up a Netaji Block at the Ramrikdas Haralalka Hospital (Bhowanipore) after Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose has been taken up by the business community of South Calcutta.

Mr. B. Haralalka, Secretary, Ramrickdas Haralalka Hospital announces that so far Rs. 6,362 have been collected towards the proposed Netaji Block.

INDIA'S ROADWAY PROGRAMME

Two American Advisers Arrive

The India Government is to be advised by two American officials, who have just returned to Washington after spending six weeks studying road conditions in India, to undertake a plan for sufficient widening of its roadways to allow vehicles to pass each other easily.

Major-General Philip B. Fleming, U. S. MacDonald, Commissioner of the American Public Roads Administration told a news conference that this recommendation would be their major suggestion in a report to be submitted to the Government of India.

Commenting that most Indian roads are only 10 or 12 feet wide, General Fleming said that driving conditions were compelled to swerve to the road shoulders. He added that India had a "confident group of engineers," but pointed out that a shortage of young men in the profession was hampering the country's roadway programme.

Primary Teachers Resolve To Strike

All-Bengal Primary School Teachers' Conference In Calcutta

URGING the fulfilment of the ten minimum demands regarding pay, prospects and conditions of work, the special session of the All-Bengal Primary School Teachers' Conference on the 1st May last resolved to launch a strike of primary teachers, numbering over 1,00,000 for a week at the first instance and then for an indefinite period, if the token strike failed to secure the redress of their grievances.

The token strike will start on September 1 and the latter one in November next. The Association will give notice of the strike to the authorities on July 1, if no satisfactory response is forthcoming before June 30.

Mr. Mohitosh Roy Chowdhury, President, All-Bengal Primary School Teachers' Association, who was in the chair, apprised the conference of the trend of talks he and nine other members of the deputation had with the Chief Minister and Education Minister. The Ministers recognized the justness of the demands of the teachers but did not see how to find money to meet their minimum demands, which would now require Rs. 310,00,000 to fulfil.

Mr. K. S. Roy said that an amendment moved by the Congress Party for earmarking the revenue derived from sales tax for nation-building work had once been defeated by the League Ministry. The Bengal Government spent only Rs. 43,00,000 on primary education, while its jail and police expenses amounted to Rs. 11,100,000 and Rs. 33,900,000 respectively. By reducing expenditure on those items, money could surely be found for meeting the demands of teachers, he said.

Mr. Shamsuddin Ahmed, Minister for Labour, said that he had no comment to make on the teachers' decision to strike. All he would like to say was that a new Ministry had taken office and he hoped that teachers would give the Ministry help and co-operation.

Sir Bejoy Prasad Singh Roy hoped that the Primary Education Act would be extended to the whole of Bengal.

The following are the minimum demands of primary teachers, as formulated by the conference:

1. Minimum salary be fixed at Rs. 50 and Rs. 40 per month for trained and untrained teachers respectively in rural areas, with an additional salary of Rs. 10 for teachers in urban areas. To this be added a monthly dearness allowance of Rs. 15.

2. Salary be paid regularly at the end of every month without deducting money order commission.

3. No teacher be removed without a month's previous notice or dismissed without proper inquiry by an impartial authority.

In case of removal without any lapse on his part, the teacher be paid as many months' pay as the number of years he has been in service.

4. Provident fund be immediately introduced in every school.

5. Leave be granted according to the fundamental rules of the Government.

6. At least one ward of every primary teacher be granted free studentship in aided secondary schools.

7. At least one primary teacher be taken on the District School Boards from each subdivision, and two on the Education Sub-Committee of local self-governing bodies.

8. At least one representative of the All-Bengal Primary Teachers' Association be taken on the Central Primary Education Committee.

9. More training schools be established including at least one such school for women teachers in every district.

10. Training allowance be increased from Rs. 10 to Rs. 20 per month.

MUNICIPAL NEWS: FAR AND NEAR

NEW KARACHI MAYOR

Mr. Vishramdas Dewanmal (Congress) has been elected unopposed as Mayor of Karachi.

MADRAS DISTRICT BOARDS

About 40 district boards and municipal councils in Madras which were superseded in 1942 for supporting the "Quit India" resolution of the Congress or on grounds of "inefficiency" are likely to be reconstituted shortly.

PERIOD OF SUPERSSION EXTENDED

The Government of Bengal have, under the D. I. Rules, extended the period of supersession of 20 union boards in Midnapore district up to September 30. The boards are Kola, Norghat, Kukrahati, Horekhali, Kajlagarh, Bassantia, Dariapur, Radhapur, Kota Kotebar, Garhbari, Mukarda, Jonka, Nijkashbha, Tajpur, Basudebpur, Gopalpur, Amarshi, Barhat, Kakharda and Padampur.

IMPROVEMENT OF MADRAS

Madras Corporation has resolved to take a loan of Rs. 62 lakhs from Government to construct buildings for elementary schools and to carry out urgent drainage works and water supply and town planning schemes most of which, the Commissioner said, were ready for execution.

ALIGARH "IN DISTURBED STATE"

The Municipality of Aligarh has been declared to be in a disturbed state by a proclamation under Section 15 of the Police Act of 1861. The proclamation will remain in force for one year.

The Municipality of Kasganj in the Etah District, the town area of Mahjoi in the Moradabad District and the town area of Ambeht and the villages of Nakur and Gangoh in the Saharanpur District have also been declared to be in a disturbed state.

AHMEDABAD MUNICIPALITY

The Ahmedabad Municipality has resolved to reinstate municipal servants who were dismissed during the period of its supersession for taking part in the 1942 movement.

Engineering & Architecture

Mobile Sterilisation Equipment For Water

A Notable Trailer Plant

[By David Brownlie]

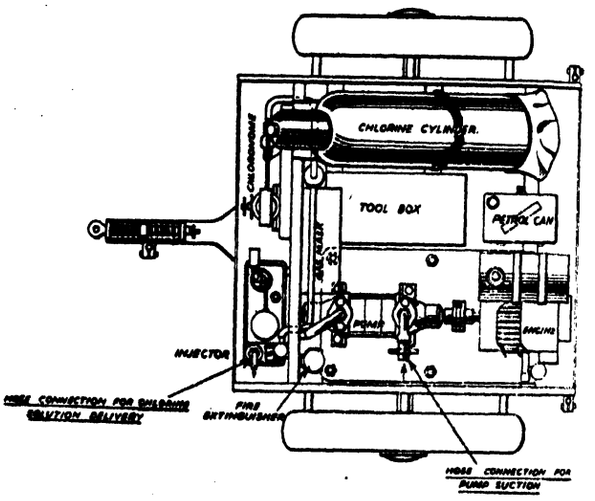
AN example of the vital importance of motor transport is mobile sterilisation plant, carried on a trailer for emergency sterilisation of towns and general drinking and cooling water supply. This is nearly always sterilised with chlorine gas, and in the event of fracture of mains or damage to waterworks, such as by bombing, fast-moving mobile sterilising equipment was used to continue the supply without fear of disease being caused by contamination, particularly valuable for agricultural, mining, and thinly-populated districts.

Much interest attaches to the latest modified designs of the "Mobile" Chloronome plant made by the Paterson Engineering Co., Ltd., of London (Windsor House, Kingsway, W.C. 2) pioneer specialists in this field.

Essentially the mobile equipment, carried on a 2-wheel trailer, is a modern scientific waterworks sterilisation equipment in miniature, which can be hitched on to the back of a motor vehicle or hauled in any other way, even by hand if necessary. The arrangement consists of a petrol engine driven centrifugal pump and a small "Concentric Manometer" type of Chloronome which includes a control valve, narrow diameter flexible copper tubing, pressure gauges, metering devices, filter and pressure reducing valve. Also there is carried on the trailer, in a cradle, a cylinder of liquid chlorine connected by flexible narrow diameter tubing to the Chloronome, so that the required amount of chlorine gas is dissolved in water and the solution pumped by the petrol engine driven pump through 20 feet of flexible chlorine-resisting hose connections to the water to be sterilised.

In the case of mains, for example, a special connection is made and the chlorine solution pumped into the mains continuously in desired amount. There is also included 20 feet of armoured suction hose 17 in. diameter, which is dipped into any suitable source of water for making the solution, such as a river, stream, pond or tank, although of course the main can also be used, whilst other auxiliaries carried on the trailer in neat and compact fashion include a can of petrol for the engine, a tool box, another box containing spare parts and meters, a testing set to determine whether excess of chlorine is being added to the water, a gas mask, and a small hand fire extinguisher.

Also it should be stated that the trailer is of robust workmanship, having a drawbar with automatic brake,

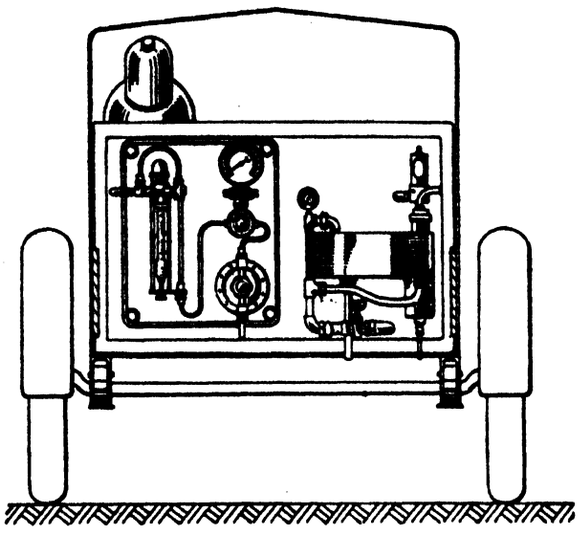


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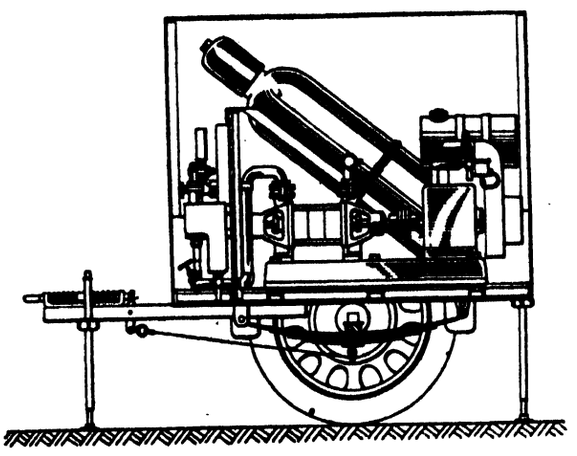


A VIEW OF THE MOBILE CHLORONOME PLANT

a number plate and rear lamp, canvas hood and frame (for protection against wet weather), and three supporting jacks which keep the arrangement rigid when it is being used detached from the motor vehicle.



FRONT ELEVATION.



SIDE ELEVATION.

It may be mentioned further that in some cases a more convenient method of sterilising is to use a solution of sodium or calcium hypochlorite and this mobile equipment can be adapted for the purpose a similar type of auxiliary equipment being provided which is carried on the motor vehicle.

NEW HILL ROADS

Under a post-war development scheme of the Government of Bengal two important motor roads are under construction in the inaccessible parts of the Darjeeling hills. One is designed to connect the Rishap and Suriel forests in the Senchal Range with the Ghum-Peshoke motor road and the other will link up Manebhanjang with Batasi in the Tonglu Range.

The first road will help the transport of milk, vegetables and other agricultural produce from the Labda Khasmahal and the cinchona plantation areas. This road has also the possibilities of linking up Mungpo with Ghum and Darjeeling. The other road will open up the hitherto unexploited forests of the Tonglu Range.

A large number of labourers, most of whom are ex-servicemen, are now engaged in the construction of the roads.

CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

GUEST CONTROL ORDER

In course of the drive against the infringement of Guest Control Order, the officers of the Enforcement Branch of the Calcutta Police, on Sunday night, the 12th May, visited 68 places in the city, where marriages and other social ceremonies were performed.

Two persons including a Rai Bahadur residing in South Calcutta were detected to have contravened the Guest Cotrol Order by feeding more than 50 persons. The police are making investigation into the cases of these two persons.

NEW SPEAKER AND HIS DEPUTY ELECTED

K. B. Nurul Amin (Muslim League) has been elected as Speaker of the newly-formed Bengal Assembly. Mr. Amin secured 137 votes against Khan Bahadur Syed Muhammad Afzal (Krishak Praja) who polled only 93 votes.

Mr. Tofazzul Ali, also a League candidate, has been elected as Deputy Speaker. He polled 134 votes as against 99 secured by Mr. P. R. Thakur, an Independent Scheduled Caste candidate.

SHIP CANAL FOR CALCUTTA

It is learnt that a thirty mile-long ship canal for Calcutta port is to be constructed from Kidderpore to Diamond Harbour, off the Hooghly river.

It has been notified that for this purpose about 18,000 acres of land in 125 villages within the five police stations of Diamond Harbour, Falta, Bishnupur, Mahestala and Behala, in the 24-Parganas District, are likely to be acquired. If the scheme is given effect to, about 1,00,000 inhabitants of villages through which the one mile wide canal will pass will be dispossessed of their lands.

Rumours of the project have created considerable anxiety among people of the areas concerned.

MR. S. R. BAKSHI

Mr. Sarat C. Bose has issued the following appeal on behalf of the Satya Ranjan Bakshi Reception Committee:

"On my return from Delhi I was very happy to learn that a Committee had been formed to give a public reception and present a purse to my valued comrade and co-worker Mr. Satya Ranjan Bakshi. Mr. Bakshi's services to the cause of India's freedom have been invaluable; his sacrifices have been beyond expression.

"I hope the appeal of the Committee for funds will be responded to with enthusiasm by the public."

BENGAL CONGRESS ASSEMBLY PARTY

The Bengal Congress Assembly Party, at a recent meeting, elected Mr. Dhirendra Nath Dutta as its Deputy Leader. Mr. Amar Krishna Ghosh and Mr. D. N. Mukherjee were elected Secretary and Chief Whip, respectively, of the party.

The meeting selected a panel of ten names in connexion with the indirect election to the Bengal Legislative Council by the Assembly members.

PROF. CATLIN AND MR. BRAILSFORD

The Calcutta University has, it is stated, invited Prof. George Catlin and Mr. H. N. Brailsford, who are now in

Simla, to deliver lectures on current international topics before the University.

They are expected to arrive in Calcutta on the 15th May for the purpose.

FROM LONDON TO CALCUTTA IN TWELVE HOURS

New York or Montreal will be reached in six hours from London, Calcutta in 12 hours, Johannesburg in 14 hours and Perth in under 24 hours.

Miles Aircraft producers calculate that the operating cost of their new jet plane proposed to the G. P. O. for mail services would be just over 7½d per ten-mile.

The range of this aircraft, specially designed for carrying mails at higher speeds than is suitable for the transport of passengers would be 2,000 miles with a load of 4,000 lbs.

This small compact aircraft will be cruising in the substratosphere at speeds up to 500 m.p.h. flying nonstop between main centres.

BENGAL PRESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the Provincial Committee of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference, held recently, at the Statesman House under the presidentship of Mr. Tushar Kanti Ghosh, President, A. I. N. E. C., the Bengal Press Advisory Committee was reconstituted as follows:

(1) Mr. W. C. Wordsworth (The Statesman), Convener; (2) Dr. D. N. Sen (Amrita Bazar Patrika); (3) Mr. Hemendra

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Mr. S. Sen Gupta of *Amrita Bazar Patrika* was re-appointed secretary.

PROF. ANATH GOPAL MEMORIAL

Messrs. Subodh Ghosh, and Sachindranath Mitra, Joint Secretaries, Congress Sahitya Sangha, announce:—

Prof. Anath Gopal Sen Memorial Committee, appointed by the Congress Sahitya Sangha, has decided to invite essays every year for the next ten years, on some topic connected with Indian economics, Indian politics or Indian education so that the studies initiated by late Prof. Sen may continue. For a suitable essay, the Committee will award a prize of not less than Rs. 750. Arrangements will be made for reading the prize-essay at a specially convened gathering.

The subject for this year is: "Economic Order in Free India." The essay which is to consist of at least 25,000 words and which must be written in Bengali should reach Prof. Priya Ranjan Sen, 1, Dover Lane, Rashbehari Avenue, P.O., Calcutta, by 15th November, 1946.

"TAGORE DAY" IN LONDON

Indian students of Cambridge, Oxford and London Universities will celebrate the birthday of Rabindranath Tagore next week.

Dr. C. E. Raven, master of Christ's College, Cambridge, will preside at Tagore's birthday dinner, which the Cambridge University Tagore Institute is holding at Trinity College on Sunday, May 12 and Sir S. Radhakrishnan, Vice-Chancellor of Benares Hindu University and at present lecturer at Oxford, will be the guest of honour. Lord Bertrand Russel and many British writers and authors will take part.

The London Majlis is holding "Tagore Day" under the chairmanship of the famous English novelist J. B. Priestly in London on May 17.

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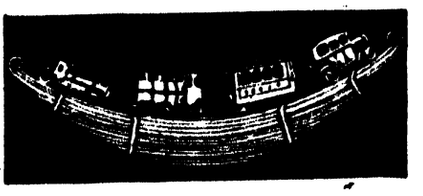
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VITAL STATISTICS

For the City of Calcutta for the week ending 11th May, 1946.

City of Calcutta (Town and Suburbs)

The total number of deaths registered during the week was 660 against 590 and 652 in the two preceding weeks and lower than the corresponding week of the last year by 109. The general death-rate of the week was 13.13 per mille.

Town (Wards 1—27)

The number of deaths registered during the week ending 11th May, 1946, was 556 against 488 and 534 in the two preceding weeks. There were 23 deaths from cholera against 27 and 25 in the two preceding weeks. There were 5 deaths from small-pox during the week against 2 in the previous week. There was 1 death from influenza against nil in the previous week. The mortality from fevers and bowel-complaints amounted to 57 and 75 repectively against 34 and 85 in the preceding week. The general death-rate of the week was 12.63 per mille per annum.

There were 24 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate of the Town was 12.08.

There were 85 deaths from respiratory diseases against 96 in the previous week.

There were 52 deaths from tuberculosis against 32 in the previous week.

Suburbs (Wards 28—32)

The number of deaths registered was 104 against 102 and 118 in the two preceding weeks. Of these, 6 were from cholera, nil from small-pox, nil from influenza, 19 from fevers, 12 from bowel-complaints and 12 from respiratory diseases. The death-rate of the suburbs (or added areas) was 16.64 per mille.

There were 4 imported deaths. Excluding these, the death-rate was 16.00.

There were 11 deaths from tuberculosis against 9 in the previous week.

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CORPORATION NOTICES

Notice To Petty Improvement Contractors

District No. II Engineer's Department.
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Tenders for the following work are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Tuesday, the 28th May, 1946 up to 2 p.m.

The Petty Improvement Contractors are requested to call at this office to note the items and descriptions of works for which tenders are to be submitted, from a copy kept in the District Engineer's room for inspection.

8. Repairing footpath of College Street—Rs. 775, dated 13th August, 1945, (3 weeks).

9. Constructing lamp hole in Giri Babu Lane and Black Burn Lane—Rs. 384, dated 16th July, 1945, (15 days).

10. Repairs to sewer in Haberly Lane, Ward 8—Rs. 263, dated 3rd July, 1945, (1 week).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics "7 days' notice" in Clause 6 of the conditions of contract should be read as "3 days' notice."

D. N. DUTT,
District Engineer II.

District II Eng'g. Office.
The 14th May, 1946

District No. III Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Wednesday, the 22nd May, 1946 up to 2 p.m. :—

30. Repairs to passages behind the hotels in the Hogg Street Building in S. S. Hogg Market—Rs. 859, dated 21st June, 1945, (3 weeks).

31. Repairs to Fowl Range (East Block) in S. S. Hogg Market—Rs. 831, dated 24th July, 1945, (1 month).

32. Repairs to Fowl Range (West Block) in S. S. Hogg Market—Rs. 837, dated 24th July, 1945, (1 month).

33. Repairs to the glazed sky-lights over A Block in S. S. Hogg Market—Rs. 542, 13th May, 1946, (15 days).

34. Repairs to office rooms in the Education Department in Hogg Street Building—Rs. 627, dated 13th May, 1946, (21 days).

35. Replacing existing C. I. posts in the porch on Lindsay Street side in S. S. Hogg Market—Rs. 380, dated 13th May, 1946, (15 days).

To The Petty Plumbing & House Drainage Contractors, District No. III.

36. Replacing water closet and constructing a smokeless Chula in S. S. Hogg Market, —Rs. 539, dated 13th May, 1946, (3 weeks).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics (7 days' notice) as printed in clause 6 of the Tender and Agreement Form for piece work should be read as '3 days' notice."

S. C. GHOSE,
District Engineer III.

District III Eng'g Office,
The 14th May, 1946.

District No. IV Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer, in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Thursday, the 30th May, 1946 up to 2 p.m.

26. Repairs to footpath at Watgunge Street, Ward 26—Rs. 897, dated 23rd April 1946, (1 month).

27. Repairs to North Block of Garcha Methar Barrack, Ward 27—Rs. 945, dated 2nd May, 1946, (1½ months).

28. Repairs to kerb and channel stones at Mohon Chand Road, Ward 26—Rs. 659, dated 26th April, 1946, (15 days).

29. Repairs to Woodburn Park, Ward 28—Rs. 782, dated 18th April, 1945, (1 month).

30. Repairs to Tollygunge Methar Barracks, Southern Block, Ward 27—Rs. 814, dated 22nd April, 1946, (1 month).

31. Repairs to Brick-on-edge pavement of a portion of Kalidas Patitundi Lane, Ward 23—Rs. 608, dated 22nd April, 1946, (15 days).

32. Repairs to Brick-on-edge pavement of a portion of Kali Lane, Ward 23—Rs. 572, dated 22nd April, 1946, (15 days).

33. Repairs to Brick-on-edge pavement at Michael Dutt Bye Lane, Ward 26—Rs. 346, dated 10th May, 1946, (15 days).

A. F. NABI BAKSH,
District Engineer IV.

District IV Eng'g Office,
The 11th May, 1946.

Hospital Grants, Etc. For 1946-47

It is hereby notified for public information that forms for application for grants towards hospitals and dispensaries under Section 477 (vi) of the Calcutta Municipal Act 1923 for the year 1946-47 are ready for distribution from office of the Health Officer.

The authorities of the Institutions who are desirous of such Corporation grant for their institutions may get a copy of such forms from Health Officer's Office, Central Municipal Office Building and their application should reach the Health Officer on or before 29th June, 1946.

Applications only from 'bona fide' Institutions and from those Institutions which have been registered under Act XXI of 1860 will be accepted.

M. U. AHMAD,
Health Officer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 15th May, 1946.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Messrs. Ajodhya Prosad Bajpai and Kalka Prosad Bajpai, the recorded occupiers of the Stalls Nos. 34-35 in Block R, in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market to carry on the business of jewellery in addition to the existing business of cloth carried on in the above stalls.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from the date of this notice first appearing in the Municipal Gazette.

P. C. BHATTACHARJI,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market,
The 7th May, 1946.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market

NOTICE

To all whom it may concern, that an application has been received from Mr. Sudhir Ranjan Shaoo, the recorded occupier of stall No. 48 in Block B in the S. S. Hogg Market, for permission to change the nature of business carried on in the above stall from Books and Picture Postcards to stationery and perfumery.

Objections, if any, to this application should be submitted to the undersigned within 15 days from date hereof.

P. C. BHATTACHARJI,
Revenue Officer.

Sir Stuart Hogg Market,
The 11th May, 1946.



PARK CIRCUS MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 8 a.m. and 12 noon and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
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GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—5 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.			Mudikhana			
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.				E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.				,, 114	0 10 0	
,, ½170-½172	0 12 6	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

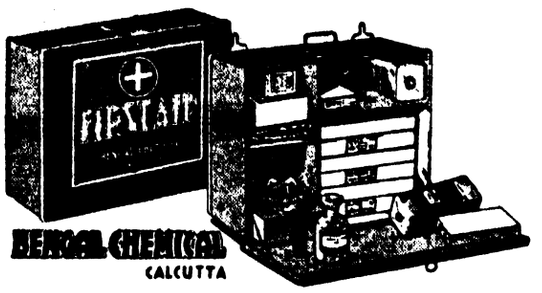
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)								
*,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	8 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	3 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

* Stalls temporarily occupied.

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2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a white arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 500 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S. Hogg Market.

PRICES IN THE LAKE ROAD MARKET
Rates quoted on the 16th April, 1946.

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bilong	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lobster	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bagda	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhangnar	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa	1 12 0	2 0 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer		2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score		1 10 0
Fowl's eggs		1 10 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each		
*Tomato per seer	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	
Garlic ,,	1 0 0	1 8 0
Green Chilly per seer	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
Peas (Bauchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 4 0	0 5 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 6	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bael each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Oranges 8 to 12	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 2 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,,		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 0	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 2 6	(Contd
Sugar ,,	0 8 6 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
,, (Sugarcandy) ,,	0 10 0	0 12
Suji	0 8 0	(Ration Shop) (Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Chana ,,	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 8 0	0 9 0
Bhanga ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Kalai ,,	0 6 0	
Biuli ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 10 0
,, (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,,	0 8 0	0 9
Salt (Controlled)	0 2 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal ,,		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
BARLEY POWDER.		
Barley Powder ½ lb tin.		
Do.		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	2 0 0	2 4 0	1 8 0	1 12 0
Curry Beef —	1 12 0	2 2 0	1 8 0	1 14 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 4 0	4 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0
Hump per seer —	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
Rib —	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0
Round ,, —	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0
Sirloin ,, —	3 0 0	4 0 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
Suet (Kidney) —	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Do Salted per seer —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
INTERNATIONAL FARM AND COLD STORAGE				
Cooked Ham per lb. ...	3 0 0			
Smoked Ham ,, ...	2 0 0			
Back Bacon ,, ...	2 0 0			
Stricky Bacon ,, ...	1 12 0			
Pork Sausages ,, ...	1 2 0	1 8 0		
Pork ,, ...	1 4 0	1 12 0		
Bologne Sause ,, ...	1 12 0			
Cocktail Sause ,, ...	1 8 0			
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per seer —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Saddle ...	3 0 0	3 12 0		
Leg per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	2 8 0	3 8 0		
	1st Class			
MUTTON				
Chops per seer ...	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Breast ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Leg per sr. ...	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	2 12 0	3 0 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 8 0	3 10 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 10 0	1 12 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 0 0	3 4 0
Roasted Pork —	3 4 0	3 12 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 4 0	3 4 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 0 0	4 8 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, —	4 0 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 8 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer —	3 8 0	4 4 0

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ARTICLES.	From	To
*POULTRY.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 2 0	1 4 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Capon ,, ...	5 0 0	8 0 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ..	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) each ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	25 0 0	30 0 0
Do. Hen , ...	18 0 0	20 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ..	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) —	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	2 12 0	3 2 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. lb.	0 7 6	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Country each		
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ..		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. lb		0 3 6
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per lb. ...		0 6 6
Lettuce each ...	0 1 0	0 1 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...	0 14 0	
Do. Do. (Large) per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ..	0 5 6	0 7 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 9 0	0 10 0
Do. Country red ..	0 5 6	0 6 6
* Parsnip per seer	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, lb. ...		0 5 6
Do. Hazaribagh , ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Apricots (fresh) per lb. —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman		
Do. American		
Do. Cashmere per lb. —	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.		
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 8 0	3 8 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 2 0	0 10 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 8 0	4 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ,,		
Gooseberry per seer ...		
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	8 0 0	10 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Khurbanse ,, ..	1 4 0	1 8 0

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Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ..	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ..	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each —	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cook) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling p. lb.		0 3 6
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per lb. ...		0 5 0
Do. Agra —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country per seer —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
*Do. French Darjeeling		0 3 6
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage each ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling lb.		0 4 9
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	1 0 0	1 2 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per lb.		0 5 6
Do. (Allahabad) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) —	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Simla ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Potatoes (Nainital) ,, ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)		
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 4 6	0 5 6
*Do. Shillong (Contd.) ...		
*Rhubarb per lb. ...		0 5 0
Pulbul (Patal) per seer ...	0 5 0	0 7 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 0 0	1 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Squash per seer —		
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per lb.		0 6 0
Do. Country ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	
*Turnip p. lb. Darjeeling		0 4 6
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Red ,, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tarai per seer —	0 3 0	0 3 6
Kankrole per seer —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	0 14 0	1 8 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozaffer-pur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer	0 8	0 10 0
Mask Melon per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Mask Melon ,, lb. (Lucknow)	0 14 0	1 0 0
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras)	6 0 0	7 0 0
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie —		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...	0 12 0	1 8 0
Do. Golapkhash —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Safeta ...		
Do. Lilam per doz. ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Mangosteen per doz. ...		
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mosom per doz.	3 0 0	4 0 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Oranges Sylhet —		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 8—4	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...		
Do. Nagpur 6—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 8—10	1 0 0	

*Controlled by Government.

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Plum per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,,		
Do. Ceylon ,,		
Do. Madras ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Comilla ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,,		
Plantain Champa Bunch	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban ,,	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritasagar ,,	1 4 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul ,,	0 10 0	1 0 0
Papaya Jasore each	0 10 0	2 0 0
Do. Country ,,	0 6 0	0 10 0
Plums per lb. (Kabul)	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Country per score		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumelo each (country)	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumelo balbar each	0 10 0	1 2 0
Quinces Fresh per lb.		
Do. S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Liby do.		
Do. Delmonte do.		
Raisia do.		
Pears (Kulu) per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Naintal)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kulu 3—4	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb.		
Do. Peshwar per doz.		
Do. Australian per lb.		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Cashmere	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches American dry p. lb.	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Punjab ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score	0 14 0	1 0 0
Sofata 8—10	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score	0 5 0	0 8 0
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Surdah Kabul per lb.	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tamarind per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each	0 8 0	1 0 0
Do. Goalund each	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul	4 0 0	5 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,,	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Bhagalpur each	2 0 0	3 4 0
Water fruit per seer		
Water Melon Kabul per lb.	0 5 0	0 6 0
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb.		
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet		
Almond Salted (large) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Almond Kabul per lb.	1 2 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb.		
Almond Salted (small) per lb.		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb.	1 0 0	1 8 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 4 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)		
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb.	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb.	2 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet	3 0 0	
Chestnut per lb.		
Dates Arab per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb.		
Khurma per seer	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb.		0 6 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb.		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb.		5 0 3
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb.		
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb.	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.		
Prunes dry per lb.		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet	1 0 0	1 8 0
Do. (red) per lb.	1 4 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet		
Do. American 1 lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet		
Do. (Sankist) per lb.		
Cake Raisin per lb.	0 12 0	0 14 0

LANSDOWNE MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 8-30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Per day.			Per day.	
A. 1 & 2	As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	As. 4 each	Potato.
E. 8	,, 6 ,,	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	,, 3	Betel leaves.
			Meat 8, 9 & 10	,, 3	Meat

* The stalls are temporarily occupied by the spices dealers shifted from the fire damaged portion.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	1 8 0	2 8 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	3 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer — ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Shetkee (Jhill) per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	4 8 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ —	5 0 0	5 12 0
Cutla per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) ..	2 4 0	2 12 0
Rohi per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. without roe 6—10	1 0 0	
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Mullet per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Butter fish per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pomfret per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Prawns per seer (small)		
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Do. (Large) —	2 8 0	3 4 0
Lobster ...	2 4 0	3 8 0
Sea fish ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other fish ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	4 4 0	4 12 0
Do. (fillet) ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Mackerel —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhajal (Entire) ...	1 0 0	2 0 0
Shrimp per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Ladies finger ...		
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddara (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed, „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 3 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaunlashi)		0 5 6
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 6 0
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 6	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
DALDA VEGETABLE GHEE		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. tin ...		
5 lb. tin ...		
10 lb. tin ...		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal		0 8 6
***DAL Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		
Arahar „ ...		0 8 0
Chola „ —		0 10 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 8 0
Khasari „ ...		0 8 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 12 0
*Salt —		0 3 0
Cocogem—		
9 lb. tin ...	10 13 6	
2 lb. „ ...	2 7 6	
6 lb. „ ...	6 7 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 5 0	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 2 0	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs.A.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 0	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 sticks each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 0 to 1 8 0
Haldi „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 0 0
Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 0 0
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 0 0
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins		
„ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 0	
Peak Freans Biscuits.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
Huntley Palmer.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
Britannia		
Cheese —		
Gem —		
Gem Iced —		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. —		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) —		
Marie		
Milk —		
Mixed (Household) —		
Nice —		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

*Controlled by the Government.

Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To	ARTICLES.	From	To	ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.			OILMAN'S STORES.			OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—			LIPTON'S TEA—			Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 8	3 2 9	Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0		Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 8	Red do. do. "	1 12 0		Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0		Special Darjeeling 1 lb. "	2 8 0		Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
School ...	1 10 0	2 14 0	TOSH'S TEA—			Isinglass per pkt.		
Thin Arrowroot " ...	1 12 8	3 2 9	Special Darjeeling Red Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0		White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Water " —	0 14 8		Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0		Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
Ecological Loose —			Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0		C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin — ...		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 8	Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0		Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin		
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...			Broken —	1 4 0		Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	2 8 0	
Cow & Goat Rusks ...			SPICES			King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—			Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial			C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —			Cinnamon " " ...			Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb. ...		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...			Ginger " " —			Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Skimmed Milk ...			Mixed Spice " ...			Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...			" Herb " ...			Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....			Sage " " ...			Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...			Natmeg " " ...			King Cocoanut Hair Oil	1 8 0	4 8 (
			ISPAHANI'S TEA"—			*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 (
			Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0		*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
	Controlled Price		Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0		*Mosquito Destroyers, box		1 0 (
CIGARS & CIGARETTES			Cafe Brand packets "	1 6 0		*Eno's Fruit Salt ...	2 4 0	3 15 (
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0		Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)			*Bisurated Magnesia, large	1 12 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0		Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0		*Elerman's Embrocation	1 8 0	
Dessaska per packet ...		0 4 0	Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0		*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0		LOOSE TEA			*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	2 0 0	F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0		*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
" (magnum)			O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0		*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 (
" Mixture per lb			DUST TEA			*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Glasgow "Doretto" ...			Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0	Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Oz. tin	0 10 0	
Spencer's "Planters" per Do. 50	0 4 0		Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 8 0	2 6 0	Do. 3 Oz. "	1 0 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0	Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0		Do. 8 Oz. "	2 4 0	
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —			Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...			Do. 16 Oz. "	4 0 0	
Black & White tin of 50			Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...			Do. 7 lb "	24 0 0	
Craven A tin of 50 ...			Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0	Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0		Delmonte Fruits 2 " —			PAINTS.		
Churchil Special Cigar ...	10 8 0		Chutneys 1 " —	1 8 0	1 12 0	Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8		Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0		Do. (India) per doz.		
			Mustard Colman per tin			Do. (Japanese) "		
			Do. (Country) ½ lb.					
			Mustard (India) per bottle Panama	1 0 0				
			Pepper — —		0 14 0			
			Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0			
			Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0				
			Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	3 0 0			
			Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0				
			Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0				

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
Nos. 4, 5, 6, 13, and 14	0 3 0 each.	Vegetables.	Fruits 3 & 7	2 3 0 "	Fruits.
			Bread—1	0 3 0 "	Ghee & Butter.
			Do.—2	0 3 0	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE (At controlled price)		
Do. (Coarse)	Per seer	
Do. (Medium)	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine)		
Do. (Kora)		
Do. (Atap)		
Kamini (Do.)		
Chinishakkar (Do.)		
Golap Khas (Do.)		
Dudkhani		
Deshi Boiled		
Dudkalma		
Control (Medium)		
,, (Coarse)		
Rupsal		
Katari Bhog		
Chamanmani		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole)		
Gram (Dal)		0 8 0
Mug Dal	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona)		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna)		
Arahar Dal	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal		0 7 0
Khasari Dal	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split)		0 6 0
Do. (Khari)		0 4 0
Mattor Dal	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control)		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BUTTER & GHEE		
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,,		
Pabna ,,		
Ghee (Biswaswar) (Sree Mark)		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo)		
Jessore		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 6
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 3 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata)		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,,		0 5 0
Suji		
Gur (Beli) (control)		0 5 6
,, Khajure		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potato (New)	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Patal		
Brinjal	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small)	0 3 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger		0 6 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat & Khashi	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other		
Hilsa	1 6 0	1 8 0
Prawns		
Parsey		
Bagda		
Bhetki		
Crab per pair	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh)	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 14th May, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DAL.		
Mug Dal (Bhaja)	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kasha)	0 9 0	0 10 0
Arahar Dal	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Splits)		0 7 0
Do. (Khari)		0 8 0
Mattor Dal	0 7 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer		
Ranchi ,,		6 0 0
Sree (Mark)	4 12 0	
Khurja (controlled)		3 14 0
Bhaduwa do.		3 14 0
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)	3 14 0	
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown)		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata)		
*Flour per seer (White)		0 6 0
*Atta ,,		0 5 0
*Do. B ,,		
Gur (Beli)		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal)		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P	Rs. A.P
BUTTER.		
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer		4 0 0
Milk		0 10 0
Cows' Head		
Condensed Milk		
Milk Maid		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer	Contld.	2 6
Cocoanut Oil		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer		
Alubokra per seer		2 0 0
Oranges 12—32	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	5 0 0
Pesta ,,	8 0 0	9 0 0
Dates Arat	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Khapati		
Mango 8—10	1 0 0	
,, (Langra)		
Pomegranate per seer	2 0 0	
VEGETABLES		
Patal (Desi)		
Patal per seer	0 3 0	0 3 0
Potatoes New	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potatoes (Nanita)	0 5 0	0 6 6
Brinjal	0 5 0	0 6 6
Ginger		0 3 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cauliflower each		
Cabbage per seer		
FISH		
Parsey per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,,	2 12 0	3 0 0
Bagda ,,	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhetki ,,		3 0 0
Crab (each)	0 1 6	0 3 0
Koi per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa Fish		2 0 0

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
MEAT		
Mutton	2 8 0	3 0 0
Goat	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do.		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin		
Cocoa Hornby		
Coffee Tolson's lb.		
BISCUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb.	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do.		
Household per tin		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin.		
Pearl Barley (C. B.)		
Sago (Pearl)		
Quaker's Oats		
Pascal's Legenges (glass) each		
Jam		
Jelly		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin)	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin		
Do. per bottle		
Do. ,, bulk		
Rising Sun		
Do. per bottle		

N. B.—Prices were cancelled to cancellation.

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 14th May, 1946

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score —	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Cucumber per pair —	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —		1 0 0
Ginger „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 3 0
Kagji Lemon per pair —	0 0 3	0 0 6
Onions Patna red per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Bombay „ —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Country „ —	0 4 0	
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) —		
Do. Madrasi „ —		
Do. Gauhati „ —		
Country — —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Disi per seer —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Hilly „ —		
Cabbage „ —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Peas Ranchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ —	0 12 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ —	0 6 0	
Squash „ —		
Tomato „ —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Green Mangoes each —	0 0 3	0 0 6
Bit per seer —	0 6 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere —		
Do. Kulu —		
Do. Peshwari —		
Do. Nainital —		
Alubokhara per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „ —	2 0 0	
Batavia each —	0 10 0	1 8 0
Bel fruit each —	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cocoanut each (green) —	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Chilghosa „ —		5 0 0
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	
Do. Bagdad „ —		0 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik —	3 0 0	
Do. Quetta „ —		
Do. Chaman		
Do. Australia		
Khorma per seer „ —	1 12 0	
Kesur Deshi „ —	3 0 0	
Khobani „ „ —	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ —	4 0 0	5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. Mozafferpur per	2 0 0	
Black Raisins per score —		
Papaya Country each —	0 4 0	1 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. —		
Jamrul „ „ —	0 2 0	0 10 0
Golapjam —	0 10 0	2 0 0
Panifal per seer —	1 8 0	
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score —		
Shunk Alu per seer —	0 6 0	0 10 0
Safata 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Sandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully 4—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	8 0 0
Do. Langra 6—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli		
Do. Nilambari —		
Do. Totapuri 5—6 —	1 0 0	
Do Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas 5—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. Himsagar 5—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. Kissen Bhogh —	0 6 0	
Kharbuza per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore —		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling —		
Do. Nagpur 6—16 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay —		
Pesta Bagdad per seer —		
Do. Multan —	} 0 0 0	
Do. Kabul —		
Peara 6—12 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) —	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Country each —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Peaches —		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer —	4 0 0	
Pomegranate per seer —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar —		
Bedana (Kabul) —	5 0 0	
Raisin (Rad) per seer —	2 8 0	
Do. Sultuna „ —	3 0 0	
Almond shelled —	3 0 0	
Do. without shell —	3 0 0	
Do. do. large —	5 0 0	
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando —	0 4 0	1 0 0
Do. Deshi each —	0 4 0	1 0 0
Do. Farukabad —	1 0 0	5 0 0
Do. Quetta —		
Do. Bhagalpur each —		
Sarbati Lemon —		
Musembi 6—12 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ —		
Sharifa —		
Nona (each) —	0 2 0	
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. —		
Bombay „ „ —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer —	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ —	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ —	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ —		
Mazafferpur, —		
Cow's Ghee —		6 0 0
Do. Milk —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Prawns „ —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ —	1 12 0	1 14 0
Rohi „ —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ —	2 12 0	3 8 0
Small fish „ —		1 8 0
Chetal „ —		
Crab per pair —	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Singhee per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Magoor per seer (small) —		
Do. (large) —	3 8 0	3 12 0
Galda —	3 8 0	3 0 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice —		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ —		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. —		
Hilly (old) per md. —		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasal per md. —		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni —		
Balam (old) per md. —		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) —		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund —		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund —		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. —		
Dhaki Chata „ —		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „ — —		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer —		
Java „ „ —		
Cocoanut Oil „ —		
Mustard Oil „ —		
Salt per seer —		
Flour „ —		
Atta „ —		
Sujee „ —		
Atta fresh per seer —		
Chandausi Atta per md. —		
Til Oil per seer —		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mug Dal „ —		0 8 0
Arhar „ —	0 7 0	0 10 0
Kalai „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ —	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) —		0 6 0
Do. (khari) „ —		0 8 0
Mator „ „ —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Chana Dal „ —	0 10 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture —	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. —	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust —	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker— Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 32 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan— Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 32 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin —		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin —		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — —	0 3 6	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) —		
Snowflake per tin —		
Soft Coke per md —		1 9 0

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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The largest quarry owners in the Mirzapore District

Supply Mirzapore and Chunar Stones of every description

PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rate quoted on the 11th April, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH.		
Pona per seer		
Do. (Cut pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Sillong	2 8 0	2 12 0
Lobster	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bagda	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bhetki	3 0 0	3 8 0
Other Fish	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 12 0	3 0 0
Parsay	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab each	0 1 6	0 2 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer	—	2 8 0
Mutton ,,	—	2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fowl's eggs	1 4 0	1 4 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer		
Brinjal ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cucumber per score	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer		0 8 0
Garlic ,,		0 12 0
Green Chilly	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion ,,		0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling)	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital)		0 6 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score		
Squash per seer		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4		
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond ,, seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score		
Orange		
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer		
Apples		
Green Cocoanut	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa		
Do. Sree		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk ,,		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do.	—	0 8 0
Atta Brown Do.		0 5 0
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed		0 5 6
Wheat	—	0 5 0
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A"		0 10 0
Do. do. "B"		0 6 0
Do. do. "C"	—	0 4 0
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed)		1 1 6
Sugar (Controlled)		0 3 6
Tea per lb.		1 5 0
Gur per seer	—	0 12 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer		0 6 0
Chana ,,		0 6 0
Masoor ,,		0 8 0
Bhanga		
Khasaree		
Kalai ,,	—	0 6 0
Biuli ,,		0 7 0
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)		0 11 0
,, (Fried) per seer		0 14 0
Mattor ,,		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,,		0 3 0
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md.	—	
Coal ,, (Control)		1 6 0
Fuel ,,	—	2 8 0
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle	—	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FISH & MEAT.		
Pona per seer	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sillong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	2 0 0	1 12 0
Other Fish	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each)	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton ,,	2 0 0	
Goat & Kid ,,	2 0 0	
Suet	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each	1 8 0	2 8 0
Chicken each	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon		
Duck's Eggs per score	1 8 0	
Fowl's Eggs ,,	1 8 0	
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled)	0 6 0	
Brinjal ,,	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage	0 2 0	0 4 0
Cauliflower (English) ,,	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer	1 0 0	
,, (Lakra) Controlled	0 12 0	
Cucumber per score	1 10 0	2 4 0
Ginger per seer		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)		
Garlic per seer	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly ,,	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Pea (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi ,,	0 3 0	0 5 0
Do. Madras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger ,,		
Raddish ,,	0 3 0	
Squash ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 12 0	1 8 0
White ,, ,,	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer		Contd.
Do. (Country)	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer		
Alubokra ,,		
Amra (Belati) per score		
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Beal each	0 1 6	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes ,,		
Lime per score	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per dor.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) ,,	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Sugarcane each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee ,,		
Do. Bhadwa ,,		
Do. Sree ,,	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative) per seer	0 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer	0 5 0	
Wheat ,,	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer	0 10 0	
,, ,, ,, "B"	0 6 0	
,, ,, ,, "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Do. (Atap) ,,		
Rangoon per seer		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md.		
Deshi (Boiled) per md.		
Golap Soru		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Tea per lb.	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer		
Cocoanut oil ,, (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khsri Masoor ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,,	0 5 0	0 5 6
Kalai ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor ,,		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) ,,	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin.	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin.	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley		
Jelly	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
Coal per md.	1 3 0	

PRICES IN THE RETAIL MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	3 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Silong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 12 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	
Shangaur	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhetki	1 12 0	2 0 0
Other Fish	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab per pair		0 4 0
Hilsa	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	2 8 0
Pomfret per seer		
Mango fish per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 3 0
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 8 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Mainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 8 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	3 0 0	3 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbusa ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 8 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. Martaban) per doz.	0 8 0	
Papaya each	0 2 0	0 4 0
Pineapple ,,	0 3 0	0 3 0
Plums per score	0 4 0	0 12 0
Raisins	0 3 0	0 6 0
Rosebery per score	2 0 0	2 8 0
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Keshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. ¼ lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 5	0 10 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 5 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 5 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mottor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 5
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
26-30	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	26B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
28A	0 4 0 ,,		26-26 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
24 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		26 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
28 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28	0 3 0 Daily	
27 ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

N. N. SEN-GUPTA,
Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
II.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
33-38	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg. 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do.
,, 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 89C	0 10 0	Do.
Coconut Range 16	0 4 0	Coconut.
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
West Range (New) 8	8 10 0	Oilman's Stores.
West Range (old) 33	26 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 36	34 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 37	25 0 0	Do.
,, 38	25 0 0	Do.
,, 39	8 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	26 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 32	35 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 33	43 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 44	30 0 0	Do.
,, 45	26 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 48	33 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 49	33 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 50	56 4 0	Do.
,, 51	30 0 0	Do.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
58	1 12 0 (Daily)	
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-130		
,, 75-78	1 4 0	Do.
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	3 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
,, 211-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, 9	0 8 0	Do
,, 10	0 8 0	Do
,, 18	0 8 0	Do
,, 19	0 8 0	Do
,, 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 27	0 4 0	Do
,, 35	0 4 0	Do
40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. E. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
,, 57	0 5 6	Do.
,, 72-73	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet		
,, 5 & 6	0 4 0	Suet
	0 8 0	Do
		Do
,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range ,, 2	0 8 0	Betel

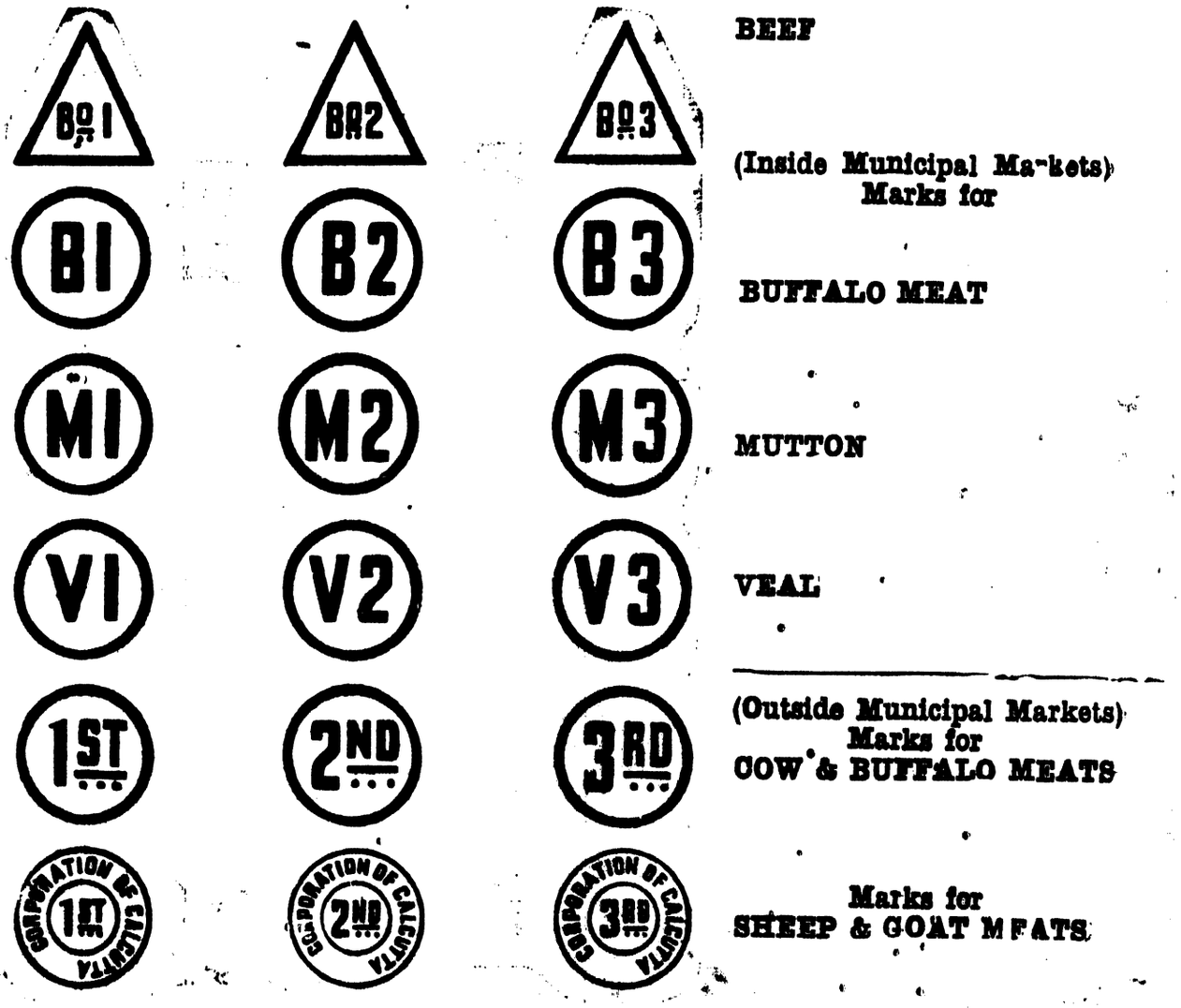
Shops temporarily occupied.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
1—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables.
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.	30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	60 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 3 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	66 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	22 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	24 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

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The Week In The Corporation

CIVIC RECEPTION TO JAIPRAKASH NARAIN

The Corporation at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 22nd May, 1946, decided to accord a reception to Mr. Jaiprakash Narain, the Congress Socialist leader, on the 28th May at the Central Municipal Office.

On the motion of Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, the following resolution was adopted :—

> *"That a Civic Reception be accorded to the well-known young Congress Socialist leader of India, Mr. Jaiprakash Narain, on 28th May, 1946, at the Central Municipal Office and that a sum of Rs. 250 be sanctioned for the purpose."*

Mr. Jaiprakash Narain will arrive in Calcutta on Tuesday, the 28th May, 1946, from Dehra Dun and will stay here for two days. He will address a labour rally at Cossipore, a students' meeting in Calcutta and a meeting organised by the Punjab Naujawan Sabha in South Calcutta besides attending to other urgent political matters.

HAWKERS' NUISANCE

Councillor W. I. N. McEwan referred in the House to the encroachments made on the city's streets and pavements by hawkers and vendors of fruits, foodstuffs and consumers' goods.

Mentioning the matter Councillor McEwan said :—

> "We are daily eye-witnesses of the encroachment of our street pavements, public parks and at times the thoroughfares by hawkers and vendors of fruits, foodstuffs and consumers' goods in a manner which tends to challenge the rights of the Calcutta Corporation and the Police authorities. This practice has not sprung up overnight, it has been allowed to grow steadily and is now virtually an institutional and a great evil."
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> "While it is the duty of the Police to prevent obstruction and the committing of nuisance", he suggested, "this Corporation has also a joint responsibility in the matter and the Corporation must see that every hawker and vendor is in possession of the proper license, that no hawker or itinerant vendor is allowed to take possession of municipal property to the discomfort and inconvenience of taxpayers."

Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul inquired about the steps taken by the Corporation to remove this standing nuisance.

The Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, said that the nuisance was growing. Not only footpaths of most of the main thoroughfares were encroached upon but some important street corners also were made impassable by the crowd of hawkers during the day. In some places regular markets were held on streets. Corporation authorities were helpless in the matter as they had no power to remove them. They had on several occasions taken up the matter with the Police but with no tangible result. At the instance of the late Governor, Mr. R. G. Casey, this nuisance was removed from certain places but it had come back again.

He recently wrote to the Commissioner of Police drawing his attention to this growing nuisance and informing him that Corporation efforts to

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Middles

THE NETAJI BHAWAN

MR. SARAT C. BOSE'S STATEMENT

" We intend to utilize the separated three-fourth share—except the two rooms used by Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose before he left—for the purpose of accommodating I. N. A. officers and men and giving them rest and relief," says Mr. Sarat C. Bose, who has acquired the above share in the premises No. 38/2, Elgin Road, named ' Netaji Bhawan ' with two of his friends, in the course of a statement.

" In case Netaji returns, it will be utilized to such purposes as he directs " Mr. Bose adds.

The statement reads :

"The public are aware that sometime after Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose left the country the Collector of 24-Parganas acting at the instance of the Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, attached Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose's undivided one-fourth share in premises No. 38/2, Elgin Road, Calcutta.

"At the date of the said attachment, the said premises was subject to a mortgage created jointly by Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose, and his co-sharers Mr. Satish Chandra Bose, Mr. Sudhir Chandra Bose and Mr. Sailesh Chandra Bose.

"I may state for the information of the public that when Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose was in Calcutta he, with the consent of his said co-sharers, was negotiating for the sale of the back portion of the said premises (which practically represented one-fourth share in the said premises) for the purpose of discharging the said mortgage but the negotiations could not be completed before he left.



A VIEW
OF THE NETAJI BHAWAN.

FREED FROM ATTACHMENT

"I am glad to announce to the public that I and two friends, have by negotiations and conveyances, been able to acquire three-fourths share in the said premises, (including the one-fourth share which belonged to Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose) free from the said mortgage and attachment.

"An amicable partition of the said premises has been effected whereby the whole of the main residential building (including Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose's study and his father's bedroom which was subsequently used by him as his bedroom) and a portion of the outhouses have been allotted to me and my said friends in respect of the three-fourths share purchased by us.

"I and my said friends shall not retain any beneficial interest in the separated three-fourths share but we intend to devote it to purposes which were nearest to Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose's heart.

FOR I. N. A. MEN

"I may inform the public that a proper deed of trust will be executed in respect of the said separated three-fourths share of the said premises at an early date and it will be provided therein that Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose's study and bedroom are to be maintained as they were when he left and that in case he returns, the three-fourths separated share shall be devoted to such purposes as he directs.

"In the meantime we intend to utilise the said separated three-fourths share (except the said two rooms mentioned above) for the purpose of accommodating I. N. A. officers and men and giving them rest and relief.

"The necessity for providing further accommodation for I. N. A. officers and men in Calcutta is most urgent, as the existing rest camps have not got sufficient accommodation and one of the said rest camps will shortly be converted into a hospital for ailing I. N. A. officers and men.

"The building is badly in need of repairs and steps are being taken to execute the necessary repairs without delay.

"The said separated three-fourths share in the said premises No. 38/2, Elgin Road is named and will be known as 'Netaji Bhawan."

Health & Hygiene

Fighting Against Venereal Diseases

Wartime Medical Achievements Have Set The Pace For It

Penicillin and the war have set the stage for a new era in the fight against venereal diseases in the United States. The U. S. Public Health Service, states and local communities, greatly encouraged by wartime achievements, have embarked on a programme proposing to attack the "social diseases" as forcefully and openly, and render them just as controllable as tuberculosis and other infectious illnesses which medicine and health education have done much to suppress in past decades.

Not that venereal cases have increased in the United States. On the contrary, while war dislocations and life in the armed forces usually provide more opportunities for exposure, and in the past always were followed by a higher general VD rate, World War II has brought no such increase in the United States. As a matter of fact, in the civilian population the gains previously made against syphilis were maintained throughout the war: the loss of time from active duty in the armed forces was less than in any other country in any previous war; and from July, 1944 to July, 1945 the total of syphilis cases in the United States was reduced by not less than 21 per cent., the total of gonorrhea cases by three per cent.

Such successes were the results of several particularly important developments widely applied in the war and now destined to become an integral part of intensified VD control.

Rapid Treatment By New Methods

During the war, throughout the country, rapid treatment centres were established in which new penicillin methods reduced the time for the treatment of gonorrhea from 16 days to about three days, in sessions ranging from a few minutes to about four hours. Hospital treatment of syphilis was brought down from 24 days to 11 days, by a combination schedule of five injections of an arsenical drug, 1,200,000 units of penicillin, and three injections of bismuth.

The faster turn-over of patients enabled the VD clinics, 3,477 of which receive public financial assistance, to devote more attention to case finding and thus attack the problem of social diseases at the root by uncovering cases which because of fear or shame were not reported. Early infectious syphilis was referred to the rapid treatment centres; gonorrhea patients to private physicians whose co-operation was sought and found on a large scale as soon as the simplified methods became generally available. Intensified fact finding was supported by campaigns of public education and mass blood testing: the VD problem passed beyond the hush-hush period and entered into an era in which the open fight against it has become a public concern.

The new era was opened in 1945 in two big southern cities by campaigns outstanding for their publicity and the support they received from the population.

In New Orleans, in the southern state of Louisiana, the U. S. Public Health Service co-operated with the State and municipal health departments, and with the city's Parish Medical Society in an intensive 45-day programme of public education, case finding, and treatment of gonorrhea. Approximately 40 per cent. of the 4,000 gonorrhea patients discovered were treated by 152 physicians in private practice, and the remaining 60 per cent. were treated in clinics.

Compulsory Blood Tests

More spectacular was a similar programme carried out in Birmingham, Alabama, where a State law requires blood tests for all persons between the ages of 15 and 50. Realizing the social importance of mass VD tests in an industrial and over-crowded city like Birmingham the health departments employed every means of making the tests a matter of public concern. All organizations of citizens, churches not excluded, co-operated fully.

The report on the experiment by the Director of the Division of Venereal Diseases in the Alabama Department of Public Health, Dr. Walton H. Y. Smith relates with dramatic vividness how the people concerned more than a quarter of a million of them co-operated in a programme that in previous years would have had to contend with misinformation and fear of social disgrace.

The daily papers of Birmingham, its labour and its press gave unstinting support in large advertisements and in daily coverage, explanatory articles, and editorials. Weekly summaries were displayed like election returns to keep the people informed on the progress of blood testing. Street signs were posted; trolley cars carried large signs on their fronts an announcement on inside advertising space. Thirty thousand posters were placed in store windows, and even the sterile caps of milk bottles carried the message to the people.

Women's groups recruited 1,100 house-to-house canvassers who distributed hundreds of thousands of leaflets. The four local radio stations had people from all walks of life speak on the tests and their importance. Messages on syphilis were read from the pulpits of the churches; church bulletins displayed notices and information; fully 90 per cent of the blood testing stations were located in religious buildings.

In 13 days of actual testing 271,755 persons streamed through 370 stations. Rich and poor, young and old, White and Negro, stood in line for the tests. Altogether the survey uncovered 4,781 cases of early infectious syphilis while the average usually reported during a like period was 383. This margin in discovering infection, the first and vital step toward cure and elimination of the social danger, was wholly due to the full public light that had been thrown on the blood tests in mass proportions

Public Enlightenment Campaign

For this reason, the U. S. Public Health Service plans to concentrate strongly on education and public enlightenment in its campaign. In the armed forces, where no sensitivity prevails concerning venereal diseases, every soldier and sailor was shown a motion picture on venereal diseases and continually subjected to instruction.

The U. S. Health Service now has completed a technicolor film for audience of girls and women,

which is being distributed to health departments and social hygiene groups. Dramatic radio programmes are available to radio stations by way of transcription. Thousands of pharmacists co-operate in Venereal Disease control and education. Large-scale local information campaigns were conducted with results which the U. S. Public Health report for 1944-45 calls "excellent."

During that same period the results of bringing the fight against syphilis and gonorrhea fully into the open showed up in the records of the rapid treatment centres; they handled three and four-fold the number of patients of previous years. And it also appeared in a remarkable reduction of Venereal Disease cases: during the one year period covered in the report, out of a total of roughly 140 million people in the United States, 373,288 cases of syphilis were reported, which is 21 per cent. less than the year before, and 301,828 cases of gonorrhea (minus three per cent.). The annual incidence of syphilis is estimated at 200,000, presenting what the U. S. Surgeon-General calls a "manageable problem." He points especially to the importance of the new Venereal Diseases control programme, which promises to bring the once-dreaded diseases well within the limits of complete control.

To carry out the programme, the U. S. Public Health Service requested Congress to authorize the funds necessary to make the rapid treatment centres and campaigns like the ones of New Orleans, Birmingham and other localities an integral part of Venereal Diseases control. Forty-five individual centres are contemplated by 35 states, in co-operation with the U. S. Health Service and local health departments. Six states plan to reserve beds in 800 hospitals exclusively for rapid treatment.

Beyond the continuation of wartime services, new means are being developed to obtain increased co-operation of private physicians in reporting Venereal Diseases cases and obtaining information on the source of infection. Courses are being planned to train special Venereal Diseases investigators for service with the state health departments. In the rapid treatment centres costs reduced 56 per cent. for syphilis treatment (from 119 dollars to 52 dollars) and by 84 per cent. for gonorrhea (from 83 to 13 dollars). These savings are to be translated into increased service for out-patients of hospital clinics.

In addition, research is being conducted on the new methods in co-operation with numerous schools and societies. A project carried out through the U. S. Public Health Service by 187 physicians and clinics in various parts of the country showed that a single intramuscular injection of penicillin, suspended in an oil wax mixture because of its prolonged action, was an effective and safe treatment for gonorrhea as soon as this mixture is generally available, the treatment will become widely applicable. Similar research is being conducted on syphilis and its mass control to provide the medical means for another of man's victories over dreaded diseases.

THE WEEK IN THE CORPORATION

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remove it had become unsuccessful. At his invitation the Commissioner of Police had agreed to send three of his Deputy Commissioners to attend a Conference to be held on Thursday, the 23rd May, to consider the steps to be taken to remove the nuisance. The Chief Executive Officer was not, however, very hopeful about its outcome.

STANDING COMMITTEES

At the instance of Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri the formation of various Standing Committees of the Corporation was postponed for a week.

PROPOSAL FOR RENAMING CALCUTTA

Consideration of the resolution to name the city of Calcutta as 'Subhasnagore' was postponed for a fortnight at the request of the sponsor, Councillor Jogesh Chandra Ghose, who stated in his letter to the Mayor that he was taking legal opinion on the matter.

It may be recalled that the Chief Law Officer's opinion stated that the naming of the city did not come within the purview of the Corporation.

AN EYE CLINIC FOR SOUTH CALCUTTA

The House also decided to open an eye clinic at the Kalighat Dispensary at an initial cost of Rs. 10,000 and a recurring cost of Rs. 1,200 per year.

SLOW DRIVING OF TRAMCARS

Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli referred to the slow driving of tramcars after 9-30 p.m. especially on Shambazar and Belgachia sections. The reasons for this action, according to Councillor Ganguli, was the unwillingness of drivers to go in for an additional trip. He suggested that the Corporation should take steps to redress this grievance of the passengers.

The Mayor, Mr. S. M. Usman, said that the matter would be referred to the Tramways Company.



CALCUTTA NEWS & VIEWS

RELEASE OF SECURITY PRISONERS

Mrs. Leela Roy, Mr. Purna Chandra Das, Mr. Satya Gupta, Mr. Rabi Sen, Mr. Ramesh Acharyya and Mr. Bhupen Dutta, Security prisoners, were released from Presidency Jail on Tuesday afternoon, the 21st May.

Mr. Supati Roy, who was lying ill at the Medical College hospital, was also released.

Mr. Ramesh Acharyya, who was in a very weak state of health, was taken out from the jail in a car which was allowed inside the jail gate.

They were the last batch of security prisoners in Presidency Jail.

GOVERNMENT PROFIT BY RICE SELLING

That the Government are making a profit of Rs. 4 per md. in rice sold in Calcutta, that appalling conditions prevail in foodgrains storage, that low prices are being paid to paddy cultivators and rice millers and that waste of foodstuffs is enormous, are among the allegations made by Mr. P. Samanta, Secretary, Burdwan Rice Mill-owners' Association, in a statement.

BENGAL DELEGATES TO A.I.C.C.

Seventy-two members to the All-India Congress Committee from Bengal have been elected at a meeting of delegates held in Calcutta. They include Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, Dr. Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, Mr. Syed Nausher Ali, Mr. Surendra Mohan Ghosh, Mr. Kalipada Mookerjee, Mr. Kiran Sankar Roy, Mr. Asrafuddin Ahmed Chowdhury and Mrs. Labanya Prova Dutta.

DESTITUTES COMING TO CALCUTTA

The proportion of destitutes coming into Calcutta from outside Bengal continues to be very large. Of a total of 1,907 collected from the streets of Calcutta and conveyed to Government Homes in the city since March 1, 1946, no less than 1,100 were non-Bengalees. For the first 11 days of May the figure of non-Bengalees was 176 compared with 119 Bengalees.

This influx of indigent persons from outside provinces is a matter which seriously perturbs the Government of Bengal. Repeated requests have been made to other Governments concerned both to arrange to receive back their own destitutes as well as take appropriate steps to prevent any further drift to Calcutta.

DEATH OF HOWRAH HEALTH OFFICER

The death took place on Sunday, the 19th May, after a brief illness of Major N. K. Biswas, (54), Health Officer of Howrah Municipality, at Ballygunge, Calcutta.

Major Biswas had worked as Health Officer of the Municipality for about 12 years. He had been suffering for some time from Beri Beri and heart troubles.

He is survived by his widow and two sons.

The offices of the Howrah Municipality were closed on Monday as a mark of respect to his memory.

INDIAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

At the 20th annual general meeting of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Calcutta, held on the 17th May, under the presidentship of Sir Abdul Halim Ghuznavi, Mr. K. D. Jalan was elected President of the Chamber for the year 1946.

The following is the full list of the Office-bearers of the Chamber for the year 1946 :—

President :—Mr. K. D. Jalan; *Senior Vice-President* : Mr. Dorab Cursetji Driver; *Vice-President* : Mr. K. P. Goenka; *Ordinary Members of the Committee* : Mr. M. L. Shah, Mr. D. P. Khaitan, Mr. B. M. Birla, Mr. G. L. Mehta, Mr. R. L. Nopany, Mr. Nand Lal Puri, Mr. R. N. Bangur, Mr. K. M. Naik, Mr. K. L. Jatia, Lala Karam Chand Thapar, Dr. H. Ghosh, Mr. M. R. Jaipuria, Lala Gurusharan Lall, Mr. P. D. Himatsingka.

Co-opted members :—

Sir Abdul Halim Ghuznavi, Sir Padamji P. Ginwala, Mr. K. C. Neogy, M. L. A. (Central), Khan Bahadur G. A. Dossani.

ALLOWANCES FOR HOUSE SURGEONS

An assurance that he would consider their cases sympathetically was given by Khan Bahadur Mohammed Ali, Minister for Finance, Public Health and Local Self-Government, Bengal Government, to the representatives of the House Staffs of the Medical College and the Campbell Hospitals who waited on him. Questions relating to honoraria, accommodation and diet allowances were discussed.

LATE BEPIN CHANDRA PAL

The invaluable services of Bepin Chandra Pal, the great orator and political thinker, for the cause of the country were recalled at a memorial meeting held on Monday, the 20th May, 1946, (evening), at the Commercial Museum Hall, Mr. Kiran Sankar Roy presided.

In paying his respect to the memory of the late Bepin Ch. Pal, Mr. Kiran S. Roy recalled his youthful days when he had the opportunity to listen to the speeches of Bepin Chandra Pal. As an orator, said Mr. Roy, Bepin Chandra Pal was second to none in those days and he could hold the audience spell-bound for hours together by virtue of his inspiring oratory.

It was a matter of great regret, continued Mr. Roy, that the youngmen of the present generation did not care to know anything about those nationalists who sacrificed their lives for the cause of India's independence and were even forgetting the names of the late Bepin Chandra Pal and Surendra Nath Banerjea who were on the vanguard of Swadeshi movement. Mr. Roy also said that the purpose of this anniversary meeting would be best served if they could emulate the noble character of Bepin Chandra Pal and follow the great ideal placed by him before his countrymen.

Mr. Surendra Nath Sen said that one of the noble traits of Bepin Chandra Pal's character, was that what he considered to be right, he translated it into action even in the teeth of tremendous opposition.

Dr. Sundari Mohan Das in recalling his past association with Bipin Chandra said that domestic distractions, although innumerable they were, could not deter him from pursuing his ideal. An ardent lover of the country he never considered himself to be a leader but a 'trumpeter'—as he used to call himself—to rouse the country to its sense of political rights. His fiery eloquence acted on the audience with immediate effect. It was Bepin Chandra who infused a new sense of social and political values in Deshbandhu Chittaranjan Das. In fact, Deshbandhu had his first lesson in politics from Bipin Chandra.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY ON JUNE 13

June 13 has been declared to be a public holiday for the observance of the birthday of the King-Emperor of India, under the Negotiable Instruments Act, says a notification issued by the Government of Bengal.

Concluding Dr. Das referred to the uncommon strength of character of Bipin Chandra which enabled him to overcome the many attractions and allurements that came in his way.

ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS EXHIBITION

Modern trends in Indian art were discussed by Lt.-Col. Sir Francis Tuker, G.O.C.-in-C, Eastern Command, opening a special exhibition of the Academy of Fine Arts, Calcutta, on Monday, the 20th May, 1946, at the Government School of Art.

Sir Francis, who has himself contributed about a dozen etchings to the exhibition, said that Indian art was passing through a period of great perplexity. Indian artists had behind them the ancient traditions of India sometimes formalised. Indian art, which had already had impressed upon it the influence of Persia and of China, had now impinged upon it the strong, prolific and vigorous influence of the art of the west. He hoped that foreign art such as displayed at the present exhibition would be of interest to the people of this country.

The exhibits, which belong to French, American and English schools of art, were loaned by the All-India Fine Arts and Crafts Society, New Delhi, to the Academy for a display in Calcutta. The exhibition will remain open to the public till May 30.

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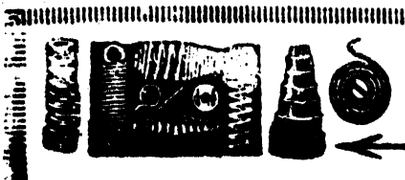
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BAFFLE-WALLS TO BE REMOVED

The Government of Bengal have directed the Corporation of Calcutta to remove immediately the last vestige of the numerous baffle walls that were constructed not only by the Corporation but also by other agencies, both governmental and private.

This is urged by way of precaution as during the last disturbance bricks from broken baffle walls were used as missiles by the mob.

"SHIP-CANAL PROPOSAL SHOULD BE ABANDONED."

"A deep gloom has been cast upon the people to be affected by the construction of the proposed ship canal for port purposes from the Hooghly river off Diamond Harbour to the Kidderpore Dock", says Mr. Charu Chandra Bhandari, M.L.A., (Diamond Harbour) in a Press statement, appealing to the authorities to abandon the scheme.

Mr. Bhandari says :-

"A vast tract of land more than 30 miles long and one mile in width, measuring about 55 thousand bighas and comprising 125 villages and their paddy and vegetable lands of the five police stations of Diamond Harbour, Falta, Bishnupore, Mahestala and Behala in the 24-Parganas district, has been notified to be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act". If the scheme be carried out, these 125 villages will be effaced from the face of the earth and no less than one lakh villagers, mostly petty cultivators have to be driven out from the homesteads and lands of their forefathers.

"The scheme has been made by the Calcutta Port Commissioners on the recommendation of their chief engineer. The cost is roughly estimated at Rs. 15 crores including Rs. 3 crores for land. The work would not be undertaken unless the Government are prepared to contribute one half the cost as a loan. Dredging by three suction dredgers has to be done at present to maintain the safe navigation for ships of their upper reaches of the Hooghly river between Diamond Harbour and Calcutta as there are sandheads in this part of the river, and the pilotage in ships while plying this part, has to be entrusted to the specialised service of the

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HOUSE RENT CONTROL ORDER AMENDMENT

Further amendments in the Bengal House Rent Control Order have been notified in a *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary*, published on Monday, the 20th May.

Following proviso, among other amendments, has been added to paragraph 10-D :—

"Provided that if the necessity for making any repairs or for taking any measures referreed to in sub-paragraph (1) is so urgent that any delay involved in the foregoing procedure is likely to subject the tenant to personal loss, damage or serious inconvenience, the tenant may himself cause the notice referred to in the said sub-paragraph to be served on the landlord requiring him to make such repairs or to take such measures within 48 hours of the service of such notice and shall in every such case submit, at the same time, a copy of such notice to the Controller together with an estimate of the cost of such repairs or measures to enable the Controller to make such inquiries as he may consider necessary about the necessity of such repairs or measures and the correctness of the estimate so submitted, and if after the service of such notice the landlord fails to make such repairs or to take such measures within the time mentioned in the notice, the tenant may himself make such repairs or take such measures, as the case may be, and after completion of such repairs or measures submit to the Controller a statement of the costs thereof and thereafter the Controller, after considering such statement and making such further inquiries as he may consider necessary, may, by an order in writing, determine the amount of the costs which the tenant may thereupon deduct the amount so determined from the rent or otherwise recover it from the landlord."

The House Rent Control Order will cease to operate on October 1, 1946, with the expiry of the Defence of India Rules but the question as to whether it will be necessary to continue rent control measures beyond that date by legislation is being examined by the Land Revenue Department.

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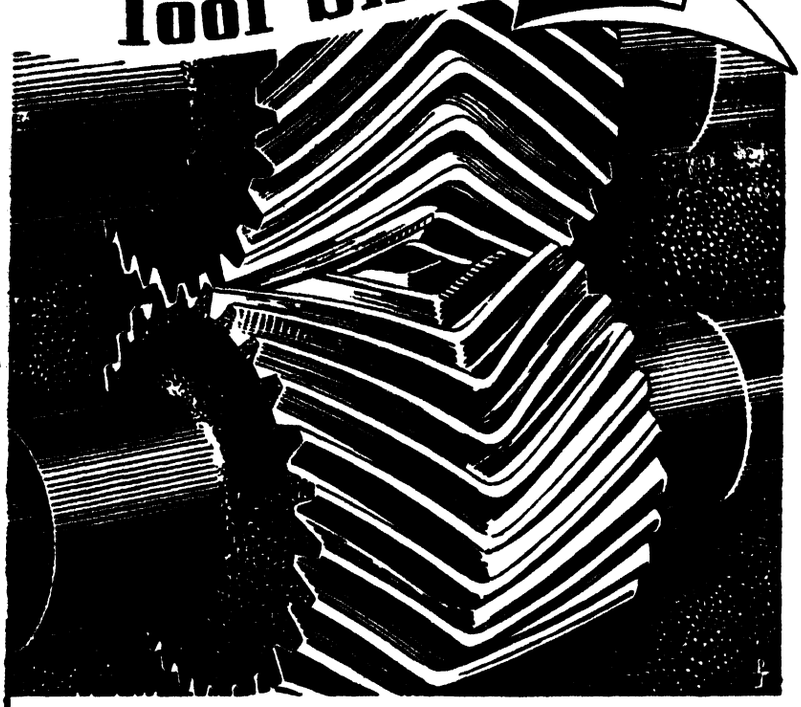
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CORPORATION NOTICES

Notice To Petty Improvement Contractors

District No. I Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Friday, the 31st May, 1946 up to 2 p.m.

5. Repairs to bathing platforms in Ward No. 4—Rs. 728 dated 8th May, 1945 (one month).

6. Construction of Lamphole opposite 29, Farriapukur Street Ward No. 1—Rs. 568 dated 21st May, 1946, (1 month)

K. L. DE,
District Engineer I.

District I Eng'g. Office,
The 20th May, 1946.

District No. III Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Wednesday, the 29th May, 1946 up to 2 p.m. :—

40. Repairs to Stall No. N.B. 26/1 and Stall No. A. 28 in S. S. Hogg Market—Rs. 54 dated 13th May, 1946 (10 days).

41. General inside repairs to E (new) Block in S. S. Hogg Market—Rs. 739 dated 21st May, 1946 (1 month).

42. Repairs to C. I. Lorry Shed (on the south in Central Lorry Garage—Rs. 486 dated 21st May, 1946 (3 weeks).

43. Repairs to Ranegunge tiled shed in Entally Market—Rs. 918 dated 21st May, 1946 (1 month).

44. Repairs to the single channel drain at Chringrighatta Road in Ward No. 18—Rs. 568, dated 21st May, 1946, (1 month).

45. Repairs to the surface drain opposite 11, Seal Lane in Ward No. 18—Rs. 382 dated 21st May, 1946 (2 weeks).

N.B.—Please note that the words in italics (7 days' notice) as printed in clause 6 of the Tender and Agreement Form for piece work should be read as "3 days' notice."

S. C. GHOSE.
District Engineer III

District III Eng'g Office,
The 21st May, 1946.

District No. IV Engineer's Department

Tenders for the following works are invited and will be received by the Chief Engineer, in duplicate in sealed covers, superscribed "Tender for....." on Thursday, the 30th June, 1946 up to 2 p.m. :—

34. Repairs to single channel drain along Joynuddi Mistry Lane between Chetla Central Road and Gobinda Addy Road—Rs. 463, dated 4th May, 1946, (15 days)

35. Maintenance to sewer by constructing a lamphole at Bijoy Banerjee Lane Ward No. 22—Rs. 304 dated 28th April, 1946 (3 weeks).

36. Repairs to Budge Budge Pail Depot Ward No. 25—Rs. 950, dated 30th April, 1946, (1 month).

37. Repairs to kerb and channel drain opposite 4/2, Mominpore Road Ward No. 25 Rs. 359 dated 2nd May, 1946 (15 days).

38. Repairs to kerb and channel stone in Hemchandra Street, Ward No. 26—Rs. 656 dated 2nd April, 1946 (15 days)

39. Repairs to stone slab flooring at Paddopukur East Lane, Ward No. 26—Rs. 248 dated 10th May, 1946 (15 days).

40. Repairs to road side railing at Majherhat Bridge Approach, Ward No. 25—Rs. 784, dated 15th April, 1944, (1 month).

41. Repairs to District IV Office Building, Ward No. 24—Rs. 937 dated 3rd May, 1945 (1 month).

42. Repairs to Brick-on-edge pavement in Sha Aman Lane, Ward No. 25 Rs. 653 dated 10th May, 1946, (1 month).

43. Repairs to C. I. shed on the western compound of Garighat Market, Ward No. 27—Rs. 827 dated 23rd April, 1946 (one month).

A. F. NABI BAKSH,
District Engineer IV

District IV Eng'g Office,
The 18th May, 1946.

Notice To Registered Road Repairing Contractors Of 1940-41

Tenders are invited for the following and will be received by the Chief Engineer in a sealed cover superscribed "Tender for ....." on Monday, the 3rd June, 1946, up to 2 p.m. :—

Name of work :—

"Complete reform of road surface with either stone or jhama metal and preparation of bed for bituminous work for the interim period from 1st April, 1946, till effect is given to the registration of Road repairing contractors for 1946-47 as will be approved by the Corporation."

The contractors are requested to call at this office to see the specification and conditions of contract and to receive the schedule and tender forms from the Chief Estimator. The contractors will have to quote rates for each and every item of work appearing in the schedule of rates and tender form. On the basis of these tendered rates the Chief Engineer will fix a set of uniform rates for all the districts. The contractors agreeing to the rates so fixed by the Chief Engineer will be registered as Road Repairing Contractors for the above period. The contractors will have to tender for any particular district he wishes to work in.

The old Road Repairing Contractors who have their earnest money still lying in their credit with the Corporation are eligible to tender for the above work subject to their taking out a Contractors' license for 1946-47.

Those who have since withdrawn the earnest money from the Corporation are requested to submit their tenders accompanied by a certificate to the effect that a sum of Rs. 50 has been deposited at the Municipal Treasury, as earnest money. The number and date of the deposit of earnest money and that of the Contractor's license for 1946-47 should be noted on the tender.

D. N. GANGULI,
Chief Engineer.

Central Municipal Office,
The 20th May, 1946.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs As. P	Business to be approved by the Committee		Rs. As. P.	
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GARIAHAT MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P. per day each.		Fruit—8 to 5	Rs. As. P. 0 5 0 per day each.	Fruit.

COLLEGE STREET MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the under-mentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Superintendent in the Market Office daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall No.	Daily rent.	Business
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
A. 141-143	0 8 0	Fresh Fruits.	A. 258	0 10 0	Milk.			Potatoes
,, 143-144	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	E. 48	1 6 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 145-146	0 8 0	Do.			Do.	,, 49	1 5 6	
,, 147-148	0 8 0	Do.	,, 267-½268	0 12 0	Butter.	,, 44	1 13 6	
,, 149	0 4 0	Do.	,, ½268-269	0 12 0	Do.	,, 86-5	1 2 0	
,, 150-151	0 8 0	Do.	,, 280-281	1 0 0	Bread & Confectionery.	,, 100	3 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 152-153	0 8 0	Do.	,, 282-283	1 0 0	Do.	F. 12	1 13 0	
,, 154-155	0 9 0	Do.				,, 13	2 4 0	
,, 156-157	0 11 0	Dry Fruits.			Mudikhana			
,, 158-½160	0 13 6	Do.	B. 4	1 0 0	Do.			
,, ½160-½162	0 9 0	Do.			...	E. 110	2 5 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, ½164-½169	1 7 9	Do.	C. 51-52	45 0 0 Monthly each.	To be approved by the Committee.	,, 114	0 10 0	
,, ½170-½172	0 13 6	Do.				,, 111	0 10 0	

M. BHATTACHARJEE,
Superintendent, College Street Market.

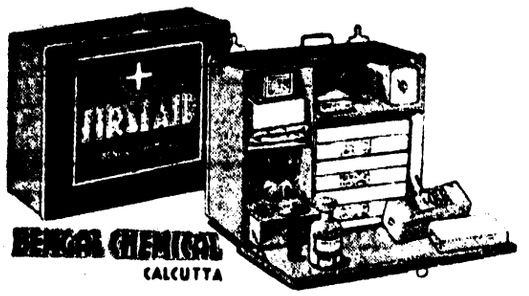
SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications with offers of initial rent for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned stalls on rents noted against each, are invited and will be received by the Revenue Officer in the market office daily between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. It should be noted that 25% of the offer of initial rent would have to be deposited immediately on the acceptance of same by the Committee, the balance to be paid within 7 days.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Block & Stall Nos.	Daily Rent.	Business.	Block and Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	
*E. (New)								
*,, 49-50	1 0 0	Cheese.	*P. 19-20	—	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	H. 1-3	8 0 0	Refreshment Room.
						,, 5	2 8 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
*F. G. 6	0 12 0	Rent and business to be approved by the Com.	F. G. 1-3	1 8 0	Do.	,, 6	2 10 0	Do.
						,, 7	1 10 0	Do.

*Stalls temporarily occupied.

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2. Coolies for carrying bazar purchases are obtainable at all the principal entrances and care should be taken that only coolies bearing number badges are engaged. For the current half-year "A" class coolies have been allowed a white arm badge with Red numbers from Nos. 1 to 500 "B" class coolies of Hogg Market have *Star-Shaped* brass number badges from No. 56 Entally Market licensed coolies have Semi-circular brass arm badges.

3. Any complaints about coolies should be made at the Superintendent's Office giving the number of the cooly.

4. All complaints relating to the conduct of vendors should be made to the Superintendent. No action can be taken where the articles in dispute have been removed from the shop premises or in regard to transactions which are not brought to the notice of the Superintendent at the time of occurrence.

5. To avoid conflicts of statements both as regards the goods purchased and the nature of the sales, customers are requested to insist on getting a voucher, as far as practicable.

6. If goods are taken "on approval", customers are recommended to obtain a voucher to that effect stating the price paid.

7. Any articles lost or found in the market should be reported at the Superintendent's Office.

8. *No dogs, bicycles, tricycles, or perambulators are allowed inside the market.*

9. For the convenience of the public a stand is provided at the south-west corner where the visitors can keep their bicycles in charge of the lessee thereof on payment of a fee of 0-1-0 for a Bicycle and 0-2-0 for Motor Cycle, the Corporation not having any liability in this connection.

10. Customers are requested that if they suspect any weight used by any vendor of the market to be short, they will bring the matter immediately to the notice of the Superintendent when the weight will be duly tested in the Office and the vendor punished if it is found short.

11. The public and the shop-keepers of the market are requested to assist in the mitigation of the beggar-nuisance by refraining from giving alms of any description within the market.

12. Customers are requested to examine the coins, obtained in the course of transaction, before they leave the shop. Ordinarily no action can be taken against the shop-keeper if any spurious coin is alleged to have been detected after they leave the shop.

A. QASIM, Bar-at-Law,
Supdt., S. S., Hogg Market.

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ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
FISH.		
Pona per sr. (Below 2 sr.)	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bilong	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster	2 0 0	2 8 0
Baghda	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bhanguar	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor	1 8 0	3 0 0
Parsey	1 8 0	2 0 0
Crab each	0 2 0	
MEAT.		
Mutton.		
Goat & Kid per seer		2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score		1 10 0
Fowl's eggs		1 10 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brinjal ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
*Cabbage (Country) p. sr.	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Cauliflower each		
*Tomato per seer	0 8 0	0 12 0
Cucumber per score	0 2 0	0 4 0
Ginger per seer	0 8 0	
Garlic ,,	1 0 0	1 8 0
Green Chilly per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Onion	0 4 0	0 5 0
Peas (Kanchi)	0 10 0	
Do. (Country)	0 8 0	
*Turnip	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Carrot	0 5 0	0 10 0
*Beetroot	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Potatoes per seer (New)	0 4 0	0 5 0
,, (Darjeeling)		
Nanital per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Mangoes (Langra)		
Pulbul per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Raddish (Country) per score	0 5 0	0 6 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each	0 4 0	0 10 0
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 6—12	1 0 0	
Grapes		
Alubokhora per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Amra (Belati) per score	0 3 0	0 5 0
Bedana per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bael each	0 3 0	0 4 0
Dates per seer	1 4 0	2 0 0
Almond ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Lime per Score	1 0 0	
Orafiges 8 to 12	1 0 0	
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 6 0	0 10 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Sugarcane each	0 1 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate	1 0	1 12 0
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer	4 0 0	5 0 0
Madras ,,		
Ghee Lakhee		
Do. Bhadwa	5 0 0	5 8 0
Do. Sree	5 0 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer	5 0 0	6 0 0
Milk ,,		
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer	0 6 0	(Con.)
Atta White No. 1		
Atta Brown per seer	0 5 0	(Con.)

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
RICE.		
Controlled Rice per seer	0 6 0	
SUNDRIES		
Mustard Oil per seer	1 2 6	(Contd
Sugar ,,	0 5 6 (Con.)	
Tea per lb.	1 0 0	2 0 0
Gur (Dates) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
,, (Sugarcandy) ,,	0 10 0	0 12
Suji	0 3 0 (Ration Shop)	(Con.)
DAL.		
Arahar per seer (medium)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Chana ,,	0 5 0	
Khari Masoor	0 3 0	0 3 0
Bhanga ,, ,,	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree ,, ,,	0 6 0	0 7 0
Kalai ,,	0 6 0	
Biuli ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) (Katcha)	0 8 0	0 10 0
,, (Sona) per seer	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattar ,,	0 3 0	0 3)
Salt (Controlled) ,,	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL		
Soft Coke per md.	1 6 0	
Coal ,,		
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle		
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Do. ,,		
Barley Pearl 1 ,,		
Do. 2 ,,		
Corn Flower 1 ,,		
Robinson's Barley		
Cobra Boot Polish	0 12 0	1 0 0
Jelly		

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ARTICLES.	1st Class. From	1st Class. To	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To
BEEF.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brisket per seer —	2 0 0	2 4 0	1 8 0	1 12 0
Curry Beef —	1 12 0	2 2 0	1 8 0	1 14 0
Fillet or undercut per seer —	3 4 0	4 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0
Hump per seer —	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
Rib —	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0
Round ,, —	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 4 0
Sirloin ,, —	3 0 0	4 0 0	2 8 0	2 12 0
Suet (Kidney) —	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Do Salted peer seer. —				
Do. Melted ,, —				
INTERNATIONAL FARM AND COLD STORAGE				
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Smoked Ham ,, ...	2 0 0			
Back Bacon ,, ...	2 0 0			
Stricky Bacon ,, ...	1 12 0			
Pork Sausages ,, ...	1 2 0	1 8 0		
Pork ,, ...	1 4 0	1 12 0		
SUNDRIES OF BEEF				
Brain each —	0 10 0	0 14 0		
Heart each —	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Oxtails each —	0 14 0	1 8 0		
Shinbones each —	0 12 0	1 4 0		
Skink each —	0 6 0	0 12 0		
Tongue each —	1 12 0	2 8 0		
Kindney per dozen —	7 8 0	10 8 0		
Liver per lb. —	1 0 0	1 4 0		
Beef Dripping per seer —	1 8 0	1 12 0		

ARTICLES.	2nd Class. From	2nd Class. To	3rd Class. From	3rd Class. To
VEAL (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Breast per seer ...	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 0 0	1 4 0
Head each ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 12 0	2 0 0
Leg per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 14 0	1 6 0
Loin ,, —	1 8 0	1 12 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
Shoulder ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0	0 14 0	1 4 0
LAMB.				
Fore-quarter per seer ...	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Hind-quarter ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Saddle ...	2 8 0	3 12 0		
Leg per seer	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Other portion per lb. —	2 8 0	3 0 0		
	1st Class			
MUTTON				
Chops per seer ...	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Breast ,, ...	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Curry Mutton per seer —	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Leg per seer ...	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Saddle per lb. ...	3 0 0	4 0 0		
Shoulder per lb ...	2 8 0	3 8 0		
Kidneys each ...	0 5 0	0 6 0		
Heart ,, ...	0 4 6	0 6 0		
Liver ,, ...	1 12 0	2 4 0		
Brain ,, ...	0 4 0	0 6 0		
Tongue ,, ...	0 12 0	0 14 0		
Trotters ,, ...	0 1 0			
Head (without tongue and brain) each —	0 8 0	0 10 0		
Head (entire) each —	1 4 0	1 8 0		
Mutton Dripping per seer ...	1 14 0	2 0 0		
Goat and Kid meat ...	2 12 0	3 0 0		

PORK. In the building on the south-east of the Market	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Fresh Oxford Sausages per lb. —	1 2 0	1 8 0
Chops per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Streaky Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	1 12 0	2 4 0
Cooked Pork Biddaloo per lb. —		
Back Bacon (Sliced) per lb. —	2 0 0	3 4 0
Boiled Ham per lb. —	3 0 0	4 8 0
Pig's Lard per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fresh Pork per lb. —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Luncheon Sausages per lb —	3 0 0	3 4 0
Roasted Pork —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Raw Ham (full) per lb. —	2 0 0	3 0 0
Gamon Ham (Sliced) per lb. —	4 0 0	5 0 0
Cocktail Sausages ,, ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bologne ,, ,, ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Compressed Pork ...	1 12 0	2 4 0

DRY FISH	From Rs. A. P.	To Rs. A. P.
Hilsa Fish per seer —	3 0 0	3 8 0
Shrimps with shell per seer ...	1 12 0	2 8 0
Do. (without shell) per seer —	2 12 0	3 12 0
Hilsa Fish Roe per seer ...	3 12 0	4 8 0
Bombay Duck per 100 ...		
Pomfrets per seer ...		
Bhetkee ,, ,, —	4 0 0	5 8 0
Maldive ,, ...		
China Grass White per packet small		
Do. large per ,, ...		
Bali chau per seer —		
Papadams per 100 ...	£ 0 0	3 3 0
Smoked or Salted Bhetkee per seer	4 8 0	4 12 0
Dry Prawns per seer — —	3 8 0	4 4 0

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ARTICLES.	From	To
***POULTRY.**	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chicken (Spring) each (4oz)	1 2 0	1 4 0
Chicken (Broth) (8oz)	1 4 0	1 6 0
Capon ,, ...	5 0 0	8 0 0
Duck (curry) ,, ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do (roasting) ,, ...	2 12 0	3 0 0
Do. (special) ,, ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Fowl (curry) (11 oz)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Do. (cutlet) (1 lb 1 oz)	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (ordinary roasting) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do (special) each ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (Medium roasting)	2 12 0	3 0 0
Goose ,, ...	12 0 0	15 0 0
Pigeons ,, ...	0 14 0	1 2 0
Turkey Cock ,, ...	25 0 0	30 0 0
Do. Hen ,, ...	18 0 0	20 0 0
Fowl (Alive) per lb. in heavy lots ...	1 6 0	1 8 0
Do. (Dressed) ...	2 8 0	2 10 0
EGGS.		
Ducks per score ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowls, fresh, per score ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Do. (special) per score	2 12 0	3 2 0
GAME.		
Dove each ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Guinea fowl ,, ...	4 8 0	6 8 0
Partridge ,, ...		
Peacock ,, ...	15 0 0	20 0 0
Peahen ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Plovers each ...		
Quail ,, ...		
Rabbit ,, ...	10 0 0	15 0 0
Snippets per each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Snipes ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Teal (large) ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Teal (cotton) ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Wild Duck each ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Sand Grouse each ...		
Wild Duck (special) each ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
BIRDS.		
Canary (Cock) each ...	50 0 0	52 0 0
Do. (Hen) ,, ...	30 0 0	32 0 0
Pigeons (Fancy) ...	5 0 0	50 0 0
VEGETABLES.		
*Artichoke Darjeeling p. lb.		0 3 6
Do. Ground per seer		
Artipeach per seer ...	0 8 0	
*Beetroot Darjeeling per lb. ...		0 5 0
Do. Agra ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. Country per seer ...	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bean Ranchi per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
*Do. French Darjeeling		0 3 6
Do. Butter per score ...		
Brinjal ,, seer ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cabbage each ...	0 14 0	1 4 0
Do. (Simla) per seer	0 14 0	1 0 0
*Do. Darjeeling lb.		0 4 9
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	1 0 0	1 2 0
Carrots per bundle, Local	0 8 0	0 10 0
*Do. Darjeeling per lb.		0 5 6
Do (Allahabad) ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. (Lucknow) ...	0 12 0	0 14 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cauliflower, Benares each		
Do. Nagpur ,,		
Do. Lahore ,,	0 14 0	1 4 0
*Do. Darjeeling p. lb.	0 7 6	
Do. Fyzabad ,,	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Country each		
*Celery Darjeeling per seer	0 12 0	
Brussels Sprouts per doz. ..	1 4 0	1 8 0
Celery Each ...	0 6 6	0 8 0
Cucumber per score ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Garlic per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Ginger ,, ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer ...	0 10 0	0 14 0
Turmaric ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Indian Corn each ...		
*Knol kohl Darjeeling p. lb		0 3 6
Ladies finger per seer ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Do. per score ...	0 2 6	0 3 0
* Leek per lb. ...		0 6 6
Lettuce each ...	0 1 0	0 1 6
Lettuce per score ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
Lobia per seer (small) ...	0 14 0	
Do. Do. (Large) ... per seer ...		
Onions, (New) per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Patna red (old) ,,	0 5 6	0 7 0
Do. ,, white ,,	0 9 0	0 10 0
Do. Country red ,,	0 5 6	0 6 6
* Parsnip per seer ,,	0 14 0	
Peas Modhupur per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, lb. ...		0 5 6
Do. Hazaribagh ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Ranchi per seer		
Do. Simla ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. Country ,, ...		
Snake Coil ,, ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Potatoes (Nainital) ,, ...	0 8 0	0 9 0
*Do. Darjeeling ,, ...		
Do. Country do. ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Kidney hill per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. New p. s. (Nainital)	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. (Old) Nainital	0 10 0	0 12 0
Do. (New) Small ...	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. Madras (Controlled)		
Do. (Small) (Round) ...	0 4 6	0 5 6
*Do. Shillong (Cont.) ...		
*Rhubarb per lb. ...		0 5 0
Pulbu. (Patal) per seer ...	0 5 0	0 7 0
Radish English per bundle	0 3 0	0 4 0
Do. Country per bundle	1 0 0	1 8 0
Spinach per lot of 20 ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
Squash per seer ...		
Country Spinach per score	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Potatoes red per sr.	0 7 0	0 8 0
Do. Pumpkins, per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tomato per seer ...	0 12 0	0 14 0
*Do. Darjeeling per lb.		0 6 0
Do. Country ,,	0 12 0	0 14 0
Do. Ranchi ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Do. Shillong ,,	0 14 0	1 0 0
Tamarind (Green) ,,	0 3 0	
*Turnip p. lb. Darjeeling		0 4 6
Do. Lucknow per bundle	0 10 0	0 12 0
Vegetable marrow Country each ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Do. Darjeeling each		
White Pumpkins per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Red ,, per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Tarai per seer ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Kankrole per seer ...	0 14 0	1 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRESH FRUITS.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P
Apricots (fresh) per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Apples (Cooking) ,, ...	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. S. Africa ...		
Do. Kulu per lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Nanital ...		
Do. White Pearman ...		
Do. American ...		
Do. Cashmere per lb. ...	3 8 0	4 0
Do. King David ...		
Do. Jonathan ...		
Do. Luton per lb. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Do. Quetta ...	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Delicious per seer.		
Do. Rawalpindi per lb.	2 2 0	3 8 0
Amra per score ...		
Bael Fruit each ...	0 2 0	0 10 0
Bedana Kabul per seer	3 8 0	4 8 0
Black Berry per score ...		
Cocoanut each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Country Apples ...		
Gooseberry per seer ...		
Grapes (Quetta) 1 lb. ...		
Do. Nasik 1 lb. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. Kabul p. box (large)		
Do. Black per lb. ...		
Do. Spain per lb. ...		
Do. S. African per lb. ...		
Grape Fruit per doz. ...	8 0 0	10 0 0
Jaffa Orange per doz. ...	3 8 0	4 8 0
Anar per seer ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Guava (Local) per doz ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Jack Fruit each ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Kajoo nuts per lb. ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Khurbanee ,, ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (large) per lb. ...		
Kesur China per seer ...		
Lime patty per score ...	0 14 0	1 8 0
Lemon (English) per doz.		
Lichees per 100 (Mozafferpur) ...		
Do. (Country) ...	2 4 0	2 8
Locket per score ...		
Monkey Lichees per 100 ...		
M. Melon Jaunpur per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mask Melon per seer ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Mask Melon ,, lb. (Lucknow)	0 14 0	1 0 0
Mangoes Alfanso per doz.		
Do. Pyri (Bombay) per doz.		
Do. Do. (Madras) ...	6 0 0	7 0 0
Do. Langra per doz. ...		
Do. Sipia ...		
Do. Fazlie ...		
Do. Mohon Bhog ...		
Do. Green per score ...	0 12 0	1 8 0
Do. Golapkhash ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. Himsagore ...		
Do. Begamfuli ...		
Do. Kanchan ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Safeta ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Lilam per doz. ...		
Mangosteen per doz. ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Mulberry per score ...		
Nagpur Mossom per doz.	3 0 0	4 0 0
Poona ,, ,, ...	3 0 0	3 12 0
Bombay ,, ...	3 0 0	4 0 0
Oranges Sylhet ...		
Do. Bombay ...		
Do. Darjeeling 3—4 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Madras per doz. ...		
Do. Nagpur 6—8 ...	1 0 0	
Do. (Squeezing) 8—10	1 0 0	

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ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Plum per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple Country each	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Singapore ,,		
Do. Ceylon ,,		
Do. Madras ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Comilla ,,	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Darjeeling ,,		
Plantain Champa Bunch	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Martaban ,,	0 14 0	1 2 0
Do. Singapore per doz.	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Amritasagar ,,	1 4 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul ,,	0 10 0	1 0 0
Papaya Jessore each	0 10 0	2 0 0
Do. Country ,,	0 6 0	0 10 0
Plums per lb. (Kabul)	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Country per seore		
Pomegranate Bhowanagore per seer	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kandahar	3 0 0	3 8 0
Pumelo each (country)	0 6 0	0 8 0
Pumelo Malbar each	0 10 0	1 2 0
Prunes Fresh per lb.		
Prunes S. W. per tid (8 lb.)	32 0 0	
Do. Lily do.		
Do. Dalmonts do.		
Punsia do.		
Pears (Kulu) per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. (Naintal)	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. Kula 3—4	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. California per lb.		
Do. Peshwar per doz.		
Do. Australian per lb.		
Do. (Cooking) 3—4	1 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Cashmere	2 0 0	2 8 0
Peaches American dry p. lb.	2 0 0	
Do. S. African per lb.		
Do. Punjab ,,	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pineapple per tin	1 8 0	2 0 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Peaches Simla (Dry) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. English Dry per lb.		
Quince (Darj.) ,,		
Rose Apple per score	0 14 0	1 0 0
Sofata 3—10	1 0 0	
Sunkist (Orange) per doz.	4 8 0	5 0 0
Star Apple per score	0 5 0	0 8 0
S. Africa Orange per doz.		
Sweet Limes (Peshwar)	3 0 0	4 0 0
Do. Country per doz.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Surdah Kabul per lb.	0 6 0	0 8 0
Tamarind per seer	0 3 0	0 4 0
Water melon Country each	0 8 0	1 0 0
Do. Goalund each	1 0 0	2 0 0
Do. Kabul	4 0 0	5 0 0
Do. Farakkabad ,,	2 8 0	3 8 0
Do. Bhagalpur each	2 0 0	3 4 0
Water fruit per seer		
Water Melon Kabul per lb.	0 5 0	0 6 0
DRY FRUITS		
Apples Ring per lb.		
Do. ,, 1 lb. packet		
Almond Salted (large) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond English (large) per lb.	2 8 0	3 0 0
Almond Kabul per lb.	1 2 0	
Do. Kabul (Shelled) per lb.	2 8 0	
Almond Irani (Shelled) per lb.		
Almond Salted (small) per lb.		2 8 0
Apricots Dry with seed per lb.	1 0 0	1 8 0
Kaju nuts (unsalted) per lb.	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (Salted) ,,	2 4 0	2 8 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
DRY FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Apricots Dry without seed	1 8 0	2 0 0
Alobokhara per lb.	1 8 0	
Chilgooja per lb.	2 0 0	2 8 0
Cocoanut (dry) per lb.	2 0 0	
Currants Australian per lb.		
Do. 1 lb. per packet	3 0 0	
Chestnut per lb.		
Dates Arab per seer	0 12 0	1 0 0
Do. Muscat per packet	1 8 0	
Do. Basrah in 1 lb. pkt.	1 8 0	
Figs Kabul per lb.	1 4 0	1 8 0
Figs 1 lb. per packet	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hazelnuts per lb.		
Khurma per seer	1 0 0	
Monkeynuts Madras per lb.		0 6 0
Mixed Fruit 1 lb. packet	2 0 0	
Pears dry per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pears dry 1 lb. packet	4 8 0	
Pista Arab (Small) unshelled per lb.		
Pista Arab (Big) unshelled per lb.		5 0 0
Pista Arab (Small) shelled per lb.		
Do. Kandahar per seer		
Pista Salted unshelled per lb.	5 8 0	6 0 0
Do. Salted shelled per lb.		
Prunes dry per lb.		
Raisin 1 lb. per packet	1 0 0	1 8 0
Do. (red) per lb.	1 4 0	2 0 0
Do. Sultana per lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Do. 1 lb. packet	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. Table 1 lb. packet		
Do. American 1 lb.	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Aus) Sultana 1 lb. per packet		
Do. (Sankist) per lb.		
Cake Raisin per lb.	0 12 0	0 14 0

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Block and Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Block and Stalls Nos.	Rent.	Business.
A. 1 & 2	Per day. As. 6 each	To be approved by the Committee.	Potato— *9, 12* & 13*	Per day. As. 4 each	Potato.
E. 3	,, 6 ,,	Do.	† Betel— 3 & 4	,, 3	Betel leaves.
			Meat 8, 9 & 10	,, 3	Meat

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
DRY FRUITS (Contd.)		
Walnut shelled per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Do. unshelled per lb. ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Mango Juice per lb. —	1 4 0	1 12 0
Almond (Big & Small) „ —	1 8 0	2 8 0
BUTTER, Etc.		
Aligarh Butter per lb. ...	2 14 0	3 0 0
Bombay		2 8 0
Dinapur		
Butter for cake per seer ...		4 12 0
Cow's Ghee per seer ...		
Butter Ghee per seer ...	5 8 0	6 0 0
Ag Mark Ghee „ —	4 1 0	
MILK AND CREAM		
Pure Cow's Milk fresh per seer ... —	0 12 0	0 14 0
Fresh Cream per lb. —	2 4 0	2 8 0
FISH.		
Bhetkee (Jhili) per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ ...	4 8 0	4 12 0
Do. (salt-water) „ —	3 8 0	4 0 0
Do. (cut pieces) „ —	5 0 0	5 12 0
Cutla per seer —	2 0 0	2 4 0
Do. (cut pieces) ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Rohi per seer ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Do. (cut Pieces) ...	2 8 0	2 12 0
Haddock (whole) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Hilsa (Padma) per seer ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Crab per lot of 4 ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mango fish with roe 6—8	1 0 0	
Do. without roe 6—10	1 0 0	
Hilsa (Ganges, whole) per seer — ...		
Mullet per seer ...	2 12 0	3 4 0
Butter fish per seer ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pomfret per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Prawns per seer (small)	2 8 0	3 0 0
Do. (Bagda) per seer ...		
Do. (Large) —	3 0 0	3 12 0
Lobster ...	2 8 0	3 4 0
Sea fish ...	2 4 0	2 8 0
Other fish ...	2 4 0	3 0 0
Rock Salmon (whole) ...	3 12 0	3 8 0
Do. (fillet) ...	4 4 0	4 12 0
Mackerel —	3 12 0	3 4 0
Gajal (Entire) ...	1 8 0	1 12 0
Shrimp per seer —	1 0 0	1 12 0
Ladies finger ...	2 8 0	3 4 0
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVES.		
Bread (Brown) 2 lb. each	0 10 0	
Hot dog bread each ...	0 1 0	
Dinner Roll „ ...	0 1 0	
Cheese Bandel each ...	0 3 0	0 3 6
Do. Dacca per lb. ...	3 8 0	3 4 0
Do. Edam „ ...	4 0 0	4 4 0
Do. Overland „ —		
Do. Cheddarn (craft) ...	4 12 0	
Preserved, mixed, per lb. } Do. unmixed, „ }	1 0 0	1 4 0
Cream per lb. —	0 8 0	0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
BREAD, CHEESE AND CAKE PRESERVER (Contd.)		
Guava cheese per lb. ...	1 0 0	1 2 0
Kraft cheese per 12 oz. tin.	1 8 0	
***FLOUR**	Selling Price	Control Price
Household No. 2 and all other varieties per seer		
Patent flour No. 1 per seer		
Californian flour per bag of 5 lbs.		
Californian flour No. 2 per seer — ...		Control Price
Country flour per seer ...		
*Atta Red (Chaundashi)		0 5 6
Do. White per seer ...		
Do. Red „ „ ...		
Wheat „ „ —		0 5 6
Wholemeal (Flour) „ —		0 6 0
***RICE**		
Rice (fine) per seer ...	0 10 0	Control Price
Rice (retail) —		0 6 0
Rice per seer (retail) —		
Bhasamanik rice per seer		
Medium per seer ...	0 6 6	
coarse per md. ...		
Do. per seer ...	0 4 0	
DALDA VEGETABLE GHEE		
1 lb. tin ...		
2 lb. tin ...		
5 lb. tin ...		
10 lb. tin ...		
***SUGAR**		Control Price
Gur per seer		0 5 6
Sugar Candy per seer —		0 9 6
Ordinary (Powder whitish)		
Crystal (best) ...		
Medium (small grain white)		
Medium (small grain) Bengal.		0 3 6
***DAL *Etc.**	Control Price	Selling Price
Kalai per seer —		0 3 0
Arahar „ ...		0 10 0
Chola „ —		0 3 0
Khari Masoor „ —		0 3 0
Khasari „ ...		0 12 0
Mung (Bhaja) „ ...		0 3 0
*Salt —		
Cocogem—		
9 lb. tin ...	10 13 6	
2 lb. „ ...	2 7 6	
6 lb. „ ...	6 7 0	
*Cocoanut Oil per seer ...	1 5 0	Selling Price
Castor Oil „ ...		
*Mustard Oil (Mill) —	1 2 0	
„ „ Ag. Mark ...	1 2 6	
***KEROSENE OIL**		
Kerosene Oil (*Superior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I.G. Bulk ...	4 5 3	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin ...	5 1 9	
(iii) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 1	0 3 0	Controlled rates.
(iv) Per bottle of 32 oz. No. 2	0 2 9	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
KEROSENE OIL (Contd.)		
Kerosene Oil (*Inferior*)—		
(i) Per 4-I. G. Bulk —	3 14 6	
(ii) Per 4-I. G. Tin —	4 11 6	
(iii) Per bottle of 20 oz.	0 3 0	
*Matches :—		
40 sticks each box ...	0 0 4½	
50 „ „ ...	0 0 6	
80 „ „ ...	0 0 9	
***COAL AND COKE**		Selling Price
*Domestic Coke (retail) per md. — —	1 6 0	
*Domestic Coke (wholesale) at the Depot ...	1 6 0	
Soft Coke per md. ...		
Spices—		
Chillies per seer ...	1 0 0	1 4 6 to 1 6 6
Halud „ —	0 6 0 to 0 8 0	0 7 6
CONFECTIONERY		
Hard Cakes per Doz —	0 12 0	1 6 6
*Cakes Assorted per lb ...	1 4 0	2 6 6
Plum Cake „ ...	1 8 0	2 6 0
X'mas Cake (Almond Iced) per lb. ...	2 0 0	
Plum Puddings (English) per lb. —	2 12 0	
Slab Chocolates per packet — } Milk Chocolates slab ... }		
Assorted Chocolates per lb. — —		4 6 6
Short Bread per lb. ...	1 4 0	
English Sweet, Assorted per lb.		
Caramels Assorted per lb.	1 12 0	
H. & P. Biscuits 1 lb. tins „ 2 „		
Sweet Assorted per lb. —	1 12 0	
Boiled Sweet per lb. —	0 14 6	
PEAK FREANS BISCUITS.		
Glaxo — ...		
Assorted Creams ...		
Golden Puffs — ...		
Barley Sugar (English) per lb.		
Barley Sugar (Indian) per lb.		
Assorted Patties per doz.		
Jacob's Cream Crackers per tin		
HUNTLEY PALMER.		
Marie 2 lb. tin —		
Nice 2 lb. tin —		
Petit Beurre tin —		
BRITANNIA		
Cheese ...		
Gem ...		
Gem Iced ...		
Ginger Nut 2 lb. ...		
Ko-Nut (Reg.) ...		
Marie ...		
Milk ...		
Mixed (Household) ...		
Nice ...		

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

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Prices in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market.—*Contd.*

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
CONFECTIONERY —Contd.		
BRITANNIA BISCUITS—		
Assorted Biscuits 2 lb. tin.	1 12 3	3 2 9
Nimki —	1 8 6	1 12 3
Petit Beurre —	0 13 0	
School ...	1 10 6	2 14 0
Thin Arrowroot „ ...	1 12 3	3 2 9
Water „ —	0 14 3	
Zoological Loose ...		
Cream Cracker, Special size tin & Loose.	1 15 0	3 6 3
Cow & Goat Milk Food ...		
Cow & Goat Rusks ...		
LIPTON'S BISCUITS—		
Milkmaid Full Cream Sweetened Condensed Milk— per Tin ... —		
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose ...		
Skimmed Milk ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk No. 2 Do. ...		
Horlick's Malted Milk— Powder No. 1 per bot....		
Morton's Peppermints per lb. — ...		
CIGARS & CIGARETTES	Controlled Price	
Churchill Cigar 25 only —	10 8 0	
*Three Castles tin of 50 ...	0 2 0	
Deresske per packet ...		0 4 0
Scissor per pkt. ...	0 6 0	
*Capstan Navycut per Pk.	0 6 0	2 0 0
„ „ (magnum)		
Glasgow Mixture per lb		
Spencer's "Doretto" ...		
Do. "Planters" per 50	0 4 0	
State Express 555 Cigarettes per tin ...		2 12 0
Passing Show Cigarettes per packet ... —		
Black & White tin of 50		
Craven A tin of 50 ...		
Capstan tin of 50 —	2 0 0	
Churchill Special Cigar ...	10 8 0	
Wisdom Java Dawson per 100 Cigar	8 8	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES.		
LIPTON'S TEA—		
Yellow Label 1 lb. packet	1 15 0	
Red do. do. „	1 12 0	
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. „	2 8 0	
TOSH'S TEA—		
Special Darjeeling Med Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	2 4 0	
Yellow Label Orange Pekoe 1st quality 1 lb. pkt.	2 0 0	
Blue Label 1 lb. pkt. ...	1 12 0	
Elephant Brand 1 lb. pkt.	1 10 0	
Broken —	1 4 0	
SPICES		
Cloves ground Rs. 1/2 per phial		
Cinnamon „ „ ...		
Ginger „ „ —		
Mixed Spice „ ...		
„ Herb „ ...		
Sage „ „ —		
Natmeg „ „ ...		
ISPAHANI'S TEA"—		
Special Darjeeling 1 lb. packet ... —	2 4 0	
Lion Brand packets per lb.	1 10 0	
Cafe Brand packets „	1 6 0	
Afternoon 1 lb. (2 oz. pkt.)		
Fighter Plane Brand per lb.	1 8 0	
Dust (Special) per lb. ...	1 12 0	
LOOSE TEA		
F. O. P. Darjeeling per lb.	2 2 0	
O. P. Darjeeling and Assam per lb. ...	1 8 0	
DUST TEA		
Darjeeling and Assam Dust per lb. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Red Ensign Coffee per lb.—	2 5 0	2 6 0
Cocoa 1 lb. packet ...	2 4 0	
Quaker Oats 20 oz. ...		
Robinson's Barley 1 lbs. ...		
Macaroni (Country) 1 lb.—	1 2 0	1 4 0
Delmonte Fruits 2 „ —		
Chutneys 1 „ „	1 8 0	1 12 0
Pickles (Country) per bot.	1 8 0	
Mustard Colman per tin		
Do. (Country) ½ lb.		
Mustard (India) per bottle		
Panama	1 0 0	
Pepper — —		0 14 0
Sauces, Worcester Bott. —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Salmon (Red) 1 lb. tin ...	2 4 0	
Sausages Australian per tin	1 12 0	
Salad Oil (India) ...	1 14 0	3 0 0
Quaker Oats 26 oz. —	1 10 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
OILMAN'S STORES —Contd.		
Condensed Milk (Maid) per tin —	0 13 0	
Cowlac Skim Milk Powder 1 lb. loose —		
Soups, Assorted Small tin		
Tart Fruits, Bott. —		
Isinglass per pkt. —		
White Sugar, 5 seers per bag ... —		
Rosela Assorted Jams per tin	1 8 0	
C. & B. Assorted Jams per tin ...		
Delmonte Prunes per 1-12 oz. tin ... —		
Best Darjeeling Tea, 1 lb. per pkt. ...	3 8 0	
King George Chocolate, 1 lb. per tin —		
C. & V. Vinegar per bottle		
Radgate or Nickson Ham per lb.		
Redgate or Nickson Bacon per lb. ...		
Oatmeal (Australian) 2 lb. tin ...		
Indian Oats per tin. ...		
Rolled Oats (Canadian) per tin ... —	Small	Large
King Cocoanut Hair Oil	1 2 0	4 8 0
*Cobra Boot Polish, —	0 4 0	0 9 0
*Chamois Leather large...	1 9 0	
*Mosquito Destroyers, box		
*Eno's Fruit Salt ...		1 0 8
*Bisurated Magnesia,large	2 4 0	3 15 0
*Elerman's Embrocation	1 12 0	
*Zam-Buk —	1 8 0	
*Amrutanjan Pain Balm	1 2 0	
*Oriental Balm ...	1 2 0	
*Sloan's Liniment ...	1 6 0	1 14 0
*Kruschen Salt ...	2 11 0	
Blattabane Cockroach Exterminator 1½ Ozs. tin	0 10 0	
Do. 3 Ozs. „	1 0 0	
Do. 8 Ozs. „	2 4 0	
Do. 16 Ozs. „	4 0 0	
Do. 7 lb „	24 0 0	
Do. 56 lbs. bag	126 12 0	
PAINTS.		
Enamel Paint English per doz.		
Do. (India) per doz.		
Do. (Japanese) „		

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			Do.—2	0 3 0	To be approved by the authority.

PRICES IN THE SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET
Rates quoted on the 12th March, 1946.

ARTICLES	Retail prices per seer. From	To
RICE (At controlled price)	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Do. (Coarse) ...	Per seer	
Do. (Medium) ...	0 6 0	
Do. (Fine) ...		
Do. (Kora) ...		
Do. (Atap) ...		
Kamini (Do.) ...		
Chinisakkar (Do.) ...		
Golap Khas (Do.) ...		
Dadkhani ...		
Deshi Boiled ...		
Dudhkalma ...		
Control (Medium) ...		
,, (Coarse) ...		
Rupsal ...		
Katari Bhog ...		
Chamanmani ...		
DAL.		
Gram (Patnai whole) ...		
Gram (Dal) ...		0 8 0
Mug Dal ...	0 7 0	
Do. (Sona) ...		0 12 0
Do. (Krishna) ...		
Arahar Dal ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...		0 7 0
Khasari Dal ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Salt (Control) ...		0 3 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
BUTTER & GHEE	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Bombay Butter per seer		
Aligarh ,, ...		
Pabna ,, ...		
Ghee (Bisweswar) (Sree		5 0 0
Do. (Buffalo) Mark)		
Jessore ...		
OIL.		
Ghani Oil (Controlled Price)		
Mustard Oil ,,		1 1 0
Cocoanut Oil ,,		
SUGAR & FLOUR.		
Sugar (White Java) } Control.		0 8 6
Do. (Brown Java) }		
Do. (Bata) ...		
Flour (Country) (Whole meal)		
Atta (brown) Control ...		0 5 6
Do. (white) ,, —		0 5 0
Suji ...		
Gur (Beli) (control) ...		0 5 6
,, Khajure ...		
VEGETABLES.		
Potatoes Nanital ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potato (New) ...	0 3 0	0 4 0

ARTICLES.	Retail prices per seer. From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Patal —		
Brinjal ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Peas ...	0 3 0	
Cauliflower each (small) —	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cabbage each ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Ginger ...		0 6 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
MEAT.		
Mutton ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Goat & Khasi ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
FISH.		
Rohi (Cut-pieces) —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Other —		
Hilsa —	1 6 0	1 8 0
Prawns —		
Parsey —		
Bagda —		
Bhetki —		
Crab per pair —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Koi —	1 8 0	2 0 0
EGGS.		
Egg (Fowl) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Egg (Duck) per score (Fresh) ...	1 12 0	1 14 0

PRICES IN THE LANSDOWNE MARKET
Rates quoted on the 14th May, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
DAL.	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Mug Dal (Bhaja) —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mug Dal per sr. (Kasha)	0 9 0	0 10 0
Arahar Dal ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Kalai Dal ...	0 7 0	
Mosoor Dal (Split) ...		0 7 0
Do. (Khari) ...		0 8 0
Mattor Dal ...	0 7 0	0 8 0
GHEE		
Gawa per seer ...		6 0 0
Ranchi ,, ...		
Sree (Mark) ...	4 12 0	
Khurja (controlled) ...		3 14 0
Bhaduwa do. ...		3 14 0
Ag. Mark Ghee (U. P.) (Controlled)	3 14 0	
*SUGAR & FLOUR.		
*Sugar (White) per seer		
Do. (Brown) ...		0 8 0
*Do. (Bata) ...		
*Flour per seer (White) —		0 6 0
*Atta ,, ...		0 5 0
*Do. B ,, —		
Gur (Bheli) ...		0 5 6
*Flour (Whole Meal) ...		0 5 6

ARTICLES.	From	To
BUTTER.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Aligarh Salted per lb.		2 10 0
Bombay per lb. Salted	2 4 0	
Pabna per seer ...		4 0 0
Milk ...		0 10 0
Cows' Head —		
Condensed Milk ...		
Milk, Maid —		
OIL.		
*Mustard Oil per seer...	Contld.	2 6
Cocoanut Oil ...		1 4 9
FRUITS.		
Apples per seer —		
Alubokra per seer ...		3 0 0
Oranges 12—82 ...	1 0 0	
Bedana per seer ...	3 0 0	5 0 0
Pesta ,, ...	8 0 0	9 0 0
Dates Arat —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Grapes per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Kaspati —		
Mango 8—10 ...	1 0 0	
,, (Langra) —		
Pomegranate per seer —	2 0 0	
VEGETABLES		
Patal (Desi) ...		
Patal per seer ...	0 5 0	0 8 0
Potatoes New ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Potatoes (Nanita) —	0 5 0	0 6 6
Brinjal —	0 5 0	0 6 6
Ginger —		0 8 0
Onion ...	0 4 0	0 5 0
Cauliflower each ...		
Cabbage per seer —		
FISH		
Parsey per seer —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Pona ,, }	1 8 0	2 0 0
Do. (Cut pieces) ,, }	2 12 0	3 0 0
Bagda ,, —	2 8 0	3 0 0
Bhetki ,, —		3 0 0
Crab (each) ...	0 1 6	0 4 0
Koi per seer ...	1 8 0	2 4 0
Hilsa Fish —		3 0 0

ARTICLES	From	To
MEAT	Rs. A.P.	Rs. A.P.
Mutton ...	3 8 0	4 0 0
Goat ...	3 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Egg (Fowl) per score ...		1 12 0
,, (Duck) Do. ...		1 12 0
CONFECTIONERY		
Lipton's Tea—per 1 lb.		
Yellow per tin ...		
Cocoa Hornby ...		
Coffee Polson's lb. ...		
BISUUITS		
Thin Arrowroot ½ lb. —	1 0 0	
H. & P. Do. —		
Household per tin —		
Jacob's Cream Cracker		
**Rice —		
CIGARETTES, ETC.		
State Express Cigarettes, 555 ...		
Passing Show Cigarettes 1 tin. —		
Pearl Barley (C. B.) ...		
Sago (Pearl) ...		
Quaker's Oats —		
Pascal's Logenges (glass) each —		
Jam ...		
Jelly ...		
Cobra Boot Polish (Tin) ...	0 9 0	
Quickwhite (White) ... (Large)		
KEROSENE OIL		
Elephant Brand tin ...		
Do. per bottle ...		
Do. ,, bulk ...		
Rising Sun ...		
Do. per bottle —		

Additional. N. B.—Prices very interesting to enquire.

PRICES IN THE COLLEGE STREET MARKET

Rates quoted on the 14th May, 1946

ARTICLES	From	To
MUTTON	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mutton 1st class per seer		3 0 0
Do. 2nd „ „ —	2 8 0	
Goat per seer —	2 8 0	3 0 0
EGGS		
Ducks per score —	1 12 0	2 4 0
Fowls „ —	1 12 0	2 4 0
VEGETABLES		
Brinjals per seer ...	0 2 0	0 3 0
Cucumber per pair ...	0 2 0	0 4 0
Garlic per seer —		1 0 0
Ginger „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Pati Lemon each —	0 1 0	0 2 0
Ladies finger per seer —		0 8 0
Kagji Lemon per pair ...	0 0 3	0 0 6
Onions Patna red per seer	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Bombay „ ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Country „ —	0 4 0	
Potatoes Nainital per seer	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (controlled) ...		
Do. Madrasi „ —		
Do. Gauhati „ ...		
Country — —	0 2 0	0 3 0
Do. Nainital (Pahari)		
Patal Murshidabad per seer —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Disi per seer ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. Hilly „ ...		
Cabbage „ ...	0 5 0	0 6 0
Cauliflower each ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Peas Rapchi per seer —		
Do. Darjeeling „ ...	0 12 0	
Do. Deshi „ —		
Beans „ ...	0 6 0	
Squash „ —		
Tomato „ —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Green Mangoes each ...	0 0 3	0 0 6
Bit per seer —	0 6 0	
FRUITS		
Apple Cashmere —		
Do. Kulu ...		
Do. Peshwari ...		
Do. Nainital —		
Bukhara per seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Apricot „ ...	2 0 0	
Batavia each ...	0 10 0	1 8 0
Bel fruit each ...	0 2 0	0 6 0
Cocoanut each (green) ...	0 3 0	0 6 0
Do. dry each ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Chilghoza ...	5 0 0	
Dates Arab „ —	1 8 0	
Do. Bagdad „ ...		0 12 0
Grapes Kishnugiri per seer		
Do. Nasik ...	3 0 0	
Do. Quetta „ ...		
Do. Chaman		
Do. Australia		
Khorma per seer „ ...	1 12 0	
Kesur Deshi „ ...	3 0 0	
Khobani „ „ ...	2 0 0	
Kajoo Nuts „ ...	4 0 0	5 0 0
Lichis Country per 100 ...	1 8 0	2 8 0
Do. Mosafferpur per	2 0 0	
Black Raisins per score ...		
Papaya Country each ...	0 4 0	1 8 0
Plums per score 1 lb. —		
Jamrul „ „ —	0 2 0	0 10 0
Golapjam —	0 10 0	2 0 0
Panitul per seer ...	1 8 0	
Kancha-Mita Mango per Score ...		
Shunk Alu per seer —	0 6 0	0 10 0
Safeta 8—12 —	1 0 0	
Mango (Local) Bandel —		

ARTICLES	From	To
FRUITS—(Contd.)	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Mango Sukul —		
Do. Sepia —		
Do. Begamfully 4—6 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay Pairi p. doz	6 0 0	8 0 0
Do. Langra 6—10 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bhastara —		
Do. Kalicut —		
Do. Fazli —		
Do. Nilambari ...		
Do. Totapuri 5—6 —	1 0 0	
Do. Sapeda —		
Do. Golapkhas 5—8 —	1 0 0	
Do. Himsagar 5—8 ...	1 0 0	
Do. Kissen Bhogh —	0 6 0	
Kharbusa per seer —		
Orange Ichanagore —		
Do. Madras —		
Do. Darjeeling —		
Do. Nagpur 6—16 —	1 0 0	
Do. Bombay ...		
Pesta Bagdad per seer ...		
Do. Multan ...	9 0 0	
Do. Kabul ...		
Pears 6—12 —	1 0 0	
Pineapple Singapuri each		
Do. Assam (Local) ...	0 10 0	1 0 0
Do. Country each ...	0 6 0	0 12 0
Peaches —		
Plantain Champa per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. Martaban per score	1 4 0	2 8 0
Musket per seer ...	4 0 0	
Pomegranate per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Do. Multan per seer		
Do. Kandahar ...		
Bedana (Kabul) ...	5 0 0	
Raisin (Rad) per seer ...	2 8 0	
Do. Sultuna „ ...	3 0 0	
Almond shelled ...	3 0 0	
Do. without shell ...	3 0 0	
Do. do. large ...	5 0 0	
Surdah Quaman per seer		
Water melon Goalando ...	0 4 0	1 0 0
Do. Deshi each ...	0 4 0	1 0 0
Do. Farukabad ...	1 0 0	5 0 0
Do. Quetta ...		
Do. Bhagalpur each ...		
Sarbati Lemon —		
Musembi 6—12 —	1 0 0	
Walnut per seer —		3 0 0
Do. Shelled „ —	2 0 0	
Nut Ground „ ...		
Sharifa ...		
Nona (each) ...	0 2 0	
BUTTER, ETC.		
Darjeeling do. per lb. ...		
Bombay „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Aligarh „ „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Jessore „ per seer ...	4 0 0	
Dinapur „ „ ...	3 8 0	
Pabna „ „ ...	3 8 0	3 12 0
Darbhanga „ „ ...		
Masafferpur, ...		
Cow's Ghee ...		6 0 0
Do. Milk ...	0 10 0	0 12 0
Bhaisa Ghee —	4 6 0	
FISH		
Bagda per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Bhetkee per Sr. ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Prawns „ ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Hilsa „ ...	1 12 0	1 14 0
Rohi „ ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Rohi (cut pieces) „ ...	2 12 0	3 8 0
Small fish „ ...		1 8 0
Chetal „ ...		
Crab per pair ...	0 4 0	0 8 0
Koi per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Singhee per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Magoor per seer (small) —		
Do. (large) —	3 8 0	3 12 0
Galda ...	2 8 0	3 0 0

ARTICLES	From	To
RICE	Rs.A. P.	Rs.A. P.
Rice ...		
Dinajpori Khatari Bhog —		
Deshi (Nagra) per md. —		
Do. (Medium) „ ...		
Patnai (Atap) „ md. ...		
Hilly (old) per md. ...		
Nagra (old) No. 2 per md.		
Jhingasai per md. ...		
Banktoolshi (Manja) No. 1 per maund		
Do. No. 2 per md.		
Chamormoni ...		
Balam (old) per md. ...		
Chini Shakkar No. 1 per maund (old) ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 1 per maund ...		
Kalma (polished) No. 2 per maund ...		
Kamini per maund —		
Peshwar Rice per md. ...		
Dhaki Chata „ ...		
Fine per seer —		
Coarse „ —		
Medium „		
SUGAR, ETC.		
Crystal Sugar per seer ...		
Java „ ...		
Cocoanut Oil „ ...		
Mustard Oil „ ...		
Salt per seer ...		
Flour „ ...		
Atta „ ...		
Sujee „ ...		
Atta fresh per seer ...		
Chandausi Atta per md. ...		
Til Oil per seer ...		
Fine per seer —		
DAL		
Mug Dal (Bhaja) per seer	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mug Dal „ ...		0 8 0
Arhar „ ...	0 7 0	0 10 0
Kalai „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Khesari „ ...	0 6 0	
Mosoor (split) ...		0 6 0
Do. (khari) „ ...		0 8 0
Mator „ ...	0 6 0	0 8 0
Chana Dal „ —	0 10 0	
TEA.		
Rose Mixture ...	2 0 0	
Golden Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. —	2 6 0	2 6 0
Rose Orange Pekoe Quality per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Orange Pekoe ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Pekoe per lb. ...	1 10 0	1 12 0
Darjeeling Autumn Special per lb. ...	1 12 0	2 0 0
Pekoe Dust ...	1 0 0	1 8 0
KEROSENE OIL.		
"Rising Sun" Chukker—		
Superior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
"Victoria" Swan—		
Inferior per 4 gallon tin		
In bulk, per 28 oz. bottle		
Rising Sun per tin (4 I. G.)		
„ „ Bulk		
Owl & Swan per tin ...		
„ „ Bulk —		
Monkey Brand per tin ...		
Elephant Brand per bot. (White) — —	0 3 6	Controlled shop
Elephant Brand per bot. (Red) ... —		
Snowflake per tin ...		1 9 0
Soft Coke per md ...		

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PRICES IN THE GARIAHAT MARKET
Rate quoted on the 11th April, 1946.

ARTICLES	From	To
FISH.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pena per seer ...		
Do. (Cut pieces) ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Silong —	2 8 0	2 12 0
Lobster ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bagda —	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bhangaur ...	2 4 0	2 12 0
Bhetki ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Other Fish —	0 12 0	1 8 0
Hilsa ...	1 4 0	1 12 0
Koi & Magoor —	1 12 0	2 0 0
Parsay ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Crab each ...	0 1 6	0 2 0
MEAT.		
Goat & Kid per seer ...	—	2 8 0
Mutton „ ...	—	2 8 0
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per score ...	1 4 0	1 8 0
Fowl's eggs ...	1 4 0	1 4 0
VEGETABLES.		
Bean (French) per seer —		
Brinjal „ —	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage (Country) per seer	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cauliflower each —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato per seer —	0 6 0	0 8 0
Cucumber per score —	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ginger per seer —		0 8 0
Garlic „ —		0 12 0
Green Chilly ...	1 0 0	1 4 0
Onion „ ...		0 6 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ...	0 8 0	
Potato (Nainital) ...		0 6 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—Contd.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Potatoes (Madras) per seer (Controlled) ...		
Pulbul per seer ...	2 0 0	2 8 0
Raddish (Country) per score —		
Squash per seer ...		
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pumpkin each ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
New Potato ...		
FRUITS.		
Mangoes 2—4 —		
Grapes —		
Alubokhora per seer ...	2 8 0	
Amra (Belati) per score ...		
Bedana per seer ...	1 8 0	2 0 0
Beal each ...	0 1 6	0 6 0
Dates per packet ...	0 5 0	0 10 0
Almond „ seer ...	2 8 0	3 0 0
Lime per score ...		
Orange ...		
Plantain (Champa) per score ...	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Martaban) per doz.	0 12 0	1 0 0
Papaya each ...	0 3 0	0 8 0
Sugarcane each ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranate per seer ...		
Apples ...		
Green Cocoanut ...	0 3 0	0 4 0
Lichi —		
BUTTER.		
Butter per seer ...	3 0 0	3 8 0
Madras „ ...		
Ghee Lakhee ...		
Do. Bhadwa ...		
Do. Sree ...		
Pure Cow Ghee per seer		6 0 0
Milk „		0 12 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee Do. —	0 3 0	
Atta Brown Do. ...	0 5 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) Rationed	0 5 6	
Wheat —	0 5 0	
RICE.		
Rice (Controlled) "A" ...	0 10 0	
Do. do. "B" ...	0 6 0	
Do. do. "C" —	0 4 0	
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil per seer (Rationed) ...	1 1 6	
Sugar (Controlled) —	0 3 6	
Tea per lb. ...	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
DAL.		
Arahar per seer ...	0 6 0	0 10 0
Chana „ ...	0 6 0	
Masoor „ ..	0 8 0	0 12 0
Bhanga ...		
Khasaree —	0 6 0	
Kalai „ ...	0 7 0	
Biuli „ ...		
Mug (Hari) (Katcha)	0 11 6	
„ (Fried) per seer	0 14 0	
Mattor „	0 7 0	
Salt (Rationed) „	0 3 0	
COKE & COAL.		
Soft Coke per md. —		
Coal „ (Control)	1 6 0	
Fuel „ —	2 8 0	
Kerosene Oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		

PRICES IN THE PARK CIRCUS MARKET
Rates quoted on the 15th May, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
FISH & MEAT.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Pena per seer —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Do. (cut pieces) —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Silong —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Lobster —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Bagda —	1 8 0	1 12 0
Bhangaur —	2 0 0	2 0 0
Bhetki —	2 0 0	1 12 0
Other Fish —	1 8 0	2 0 0
Hilsa —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Koi & Magoor —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Parsey —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Crab (each) —	0 1 0	0 2 6
Beef per seer —	1 0 0	1 8 0
Mutton „ —	3 0 0	
Goat & Kid „ —	3 0 0	
Suet —	1 8 0	
POULTRY & EGGS.		
Duck each —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl each —	1 8 0	2 8 0
Chicken each —	0 12 0	1 12 0
Pigeon —		
Duck's Eggs per score —	1 8 0	
Fowl's Eggs „ —	1 8 0	
VEGETABLES		
Bean (French) per seer (Controlled) —	0 6 0	
Brinjal „ ...	0 4 0	0 6 0
Cabbage ...	0 2 6	0 4 0
Cauliflour (English) „ ...	0 4 0	
Carrot (Country) per seer (Lakrai) Controlled	1 0 0	
Cucumber per score ...	0 12 0	
Ginger per seer ...	1 10 0	2 4 0
		0 10 0

ARTICLES.	From	To
VEGETABLES—(Contd.)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Garlic per seer —	0 12 0	0 14 0
Green Chilly „ —	0 8 0	0 12 0
Onion „ —	0 4 0	0 5 0
Peas (Darjeeling) (Contd).		1 4 0
Do. (Ranchi) „ —		1 6 0
Potatoes Deshi „ —	0 3 0	0 5 0
Do. Mhdras (controlled)		
Pulbul per seer —	0 9 0	0 10 0
Ladies finger „ —		
Raddish „ —	0 3 0	
Squash „ —	0 5 0	0 8 0
Sweet Potatoes „ —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Sweet Pumpkin each —	0 12 0	1 8 0
White „ „ —	0 8 0	1 0 0
Tomato Ranchi per seer —		Contd.
Do. (Country) —	0 4 0	0 5 0
FRUITS.		
Almond per seer —		
Alubokra „ —		
Amra (Belati) per score —	2 0 0	2 8 0
Bedana per seer —	0 1 6	0 4 0
Bael each —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Dates per seer —		
Grapes „ —		
Lime per score —	1 4 0	
Plantain (Champa) per dor.	0 4 0	0 6 0
Do. (Martaban) „ —	0 6 0	0 12 0
Papaya per seer —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Pomegranates per seer —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100 —		
Sugarcane each —	0 3 0	0 4 0
Orange per score —	1 4 0	1 8 0
Mangoes —		
BUTTER		
Butter per seer —	3 0 0	4 0 0
Ghee Lakhee „ —		
Do. Bhadwa „ —		
Do. Sree „ —	4 14 0	
Pure Cow Ghee per seer —	4 8 0	
Milk (Co-operative) per seer —	0 12 0	

ARTICLES.	From	To
FLOUR.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Flour per seer (Rationed)		
Sujee per seer —	0 3 0	
Flour (Wholemeal) p. sr.	0 5 6	
Atta (Rationed) per seer —	0 5 0	
Wheat „ —	0 5 0	
RICE, SUNDRIES, ETC.		
Rice (Rationed) per seer —	0 10 0	
„ „ „ "B"	0 6 0	
„ „ „ "C"	0 4 0	
Patnai per seer —		
Banktulsi (Manja) per md.		
Do. (Kora) „ —		
Do. (Atap) „ —		
Rangoon per seer —		
Katari Bhog (Boiled) per md. ...		
Deshi (Boiled) per md. —		
Golap Soru —		
Mustard oil (Ghani) p. seer		
Sugar (Rationed) „	0 3 0	
Tea per lb. —	1 5 0	2 8 0
Gur per seer —		
Cocoanut oil „ (Contld.)	1 1 0	
Arahar per seer —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Chana „ —	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Khasaree „ —	0 5 0	0 6 0
Kalai „ —	0 6 0	0 7 0
Biuli „ —	0 7 0	0 8 0
Mug Katch „ —	0 8 0	0 10 0
Do. (Sona) „ —	0 10 0	0 12 0
Mattor „ —		0 7 0
Salt (Rationed) „ —	0 3 0	
Barley Lily ½ lb. tin. —	1 4 0	
Do. Purity 1 lb. tin. —	1 5 0	
Robinson's Barley —		
Jelly —	0 14 0	1 0 0
Kerosene oil—Elephant Brand per bottle —		
Coal per md. —	1 6 0	

PRICES IN THE ENTALLY MARKET

Rates quoted on the 15th January, 1946

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MEAT.		
Beef per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Mutton ,,	3 0 0	3 0 0
Goat and Kid ,,	3 0 0	3 6 0
Pork ,,	2 0 0	2 0 0
POULTRY.		
Duck each	2 0 0	2 8 0
Fowl ,,	1 8 0	4 0 0
Chicken ,,	1 0 0	2 0 0
Pigeon ,,		
EGGS.		
Duck's eggs per (score)	1 12 0	2 0 0
Fowl's ,, ,,	1 12 0	2 0 0
FISH.		
Pona per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Do. (Cut pieces)	1 12 0	2 8 0
Sflong	1 12 0	
Lobster	1 4 0	
Bagda	1 4 0	1 8 0
Bhangaur	1 12 0	2 0 0
Bhetki	1 0 0	1 8 0
Other Fish		0 4 0
Crab per pair	1 4 0	1 8 0
Hilsa	1 8 0	2 8 0
Koi & Magoor		
Pomfret per seer	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mango fish per seer		
VEGETABLES.		
Beetroot (Darjeeling) per seer.	0 6 0	1 2 0
Do. (Desi)	1 0 0	1 8 0
Bean (French) per seer		0 6 0
Bean (Ranchi) ,,		
Brinjal ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Cabbage (Country) each	0 6 0	
Do. (Darjeeling)	0 10 0	0 12 0
Cauliflower	0 2 0	0 3 0
Carrots (Country) per doz.		
Do. (Darjeeling) ,,		
Celery per seer		
Cucumber per score		
Ginger per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Garlic	0 3 0	0 10 0
Green Chilly per seer	1 0 0	1 4 0
Ladies finger ,,	0 3 0	0 4 0
Onion ,,	0 6 0	0 8 0
Peas (Darjeeling) ,,	0 14 0	
Do. (Patna) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. (Ranchi) ,,	0 8 0	0 10 0
Potatoes (Mainital)	0 6 0	0 7 0
Do. (Desi) ,,	0 5 0	0 6 0
Pulbul	0 3 0	0 10 0
Raddish (English) per bundle		
Raddish (Country) p. score		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
VEGETABLES—Contd.		
Squash (Darjeeling) per sr.		
Sweet Potatoes ,,	0 2 0	0 3 0
Sweet Pumpkin each	0 10 0	1 0 0
Tomato (Ranchi) per seer	0 6 0	
Do. (Country) per seer	0 2 0	0 3 0
White Pumpkin each	0 6 0	1 0 0
Turnip (Darjeeling) per	0 2 0	0 10 0
Tomato (Darjeeling) ,, seer		0 14 0
FRUITS.		
Alubokhora per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Apricot	1 4 0	1 8 0
Apples 4—6	1 0 0	
Figs per seer		
Amra (Belati) per score	0 8 0	0 10 0
Bedana per seer	2 0 0	2 8 0
Beal each	0 2 0	0 3 0
Pomegranate ,,		2 0 0
Blackberries per 100	1 4 0	
Cocoanut each	0 3 0	0 6 0
Custard Apples		
Dates per seer	1 4 0	1 8 0
Almond ,,	4 0 0	5 0 0
Grape ,,		
Do. per box		
Goosbarry per seer		
Jack fruit each		3 0 0
Khubani per see		
Kharbuza ,,		
Lichis per 100		
Lime per score	0 10 0	1 0 0
Lokote ,,		
Oranges 8 to 16	1 0 0	
Pesta per seer	5 8 0	6 0 0
Plantain (Champa) per score	0 4 0	0 5 0
Do. Martaban) per doz.	0 2 0	0 4 0
Papaya each	0 3 0	0 3 0
Pineapple ,,	0 4 0	0 12 0
Plums per score	0 3 0	0 6 0
Raisins	2 8 0	3 0 0
Roseberry per score		
Star apple		
Tamarind per seer		0 5 0
Walnut ,,	4 0 0	6 0 0
Mangoes (Green) per 100		
Do. (Madras)		
Golap Khas 6—10		
Langra 4—8		
Bombay 6—8		
Totapari per score		
Sipia		

ARTICLES.	From	To
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
FRUITS—Contd.		
Koshin Bhog 4—6		
Fazli 4—6		
Prnes S. W. per seer		
Sarda per seer		
Sugarcane each	0 6 0	
Water Melon each		
BUTTER.		
Aligarh per lb.		
Dinapur ,,		4 0 0
Ghee per seer	4 8 0	5 8 0
Pure Cow's Milk	0 10 0	0 12 0
BREAD		
Bread 1 lb.	0 5 0	
Do. ½ lb.	0 2 6	
Do. lb.	0 1 3	
FLOUR.		
Flour per seer		
Atta ,,		
Sujee ,,		
RICE.		
Patna per seer		
Banktulshi (Manja) per sr.		
Do. (Kora) ,,		
Chinisakkhar per seer		
Deshi ,,		
SUNDRIES.		
Mustard Oil (Ghani)	1 3 0	
Sugar		
Tea per lb.	1 4 0	1 12 0
Cocoanut Oil		
Gur	0 5 6	0 10 0
DAL,		
Arahar per seer	0 3 0	0 10 0
Chana ,,	0 6 0	
Khari Masoor ,,		0 3 0
Bhanga		0 6 0
Khasaree ,,	0 6 0	
Mung (Hari) ,,	0 8 0	
Do. (Sona) ,,	0 10 0	
Mattor ,,	0 10 0	
Salt ,,		0 2 0
COKE AND COAL.		
Coal per md.	1 6 0	
Kerosene Oil in Bulk		
Do. (Elephant) Brand per tin Refined		
Ordinary		
BARLEY POWDER		
Robinson Barley 1 lb. tin		
Lily,	1 4 0	

N. B.—Prices vary according to supplies.

SIR CHARLES ALLEN MARKET—Shops To Let

Applications for the privilege of occupying the undermentioned rooms on rents noted against each are invited and will be received by the undersigned in the market office daily between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.	Shops or Stall Nos.	Rent.	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
25-26	1 11 0 Daily	Business to be approved by the authority.	25B Chandney.	0 2 0 per day.	Business to be approved by the authority.
25A	0 4 0 ,,		25-26 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
24 Chandney	0 5 0 ,,		26 ,,	0 3 0 ,,	
23 ,,	0 5 0 ,,		Stall No. 28.	0 3 0 Daily	
W ,,	0 1 6 ,,				
27	0 5 0 Daily				

N. B. SEN-GUPTA,

Superintendent, Sir Charles Allen Market.

SIR STUART HOGG MARKET—Shops To Let.

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Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
H.		
1—3		Rent & Business to be approved by the Com.
5—6		
7		
13	3 0 0	Do.
15		
32-33	4 0 0	Business to be sanctioned by the Committee.
34	2 0 0	Do.
35	2 0 0	Do.
New Bldg.		
,, 7	4 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 8	4 0 0	Do,
,, 46B	0 12 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 89C	0 10 0	Do.
Cocoanut		
Range 16	0 4 0	Cocoanut.
,, 17	0 4 0	Do.
,, 18	0 4 0	Do.
,, 21	0 10 0	Potato.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
M.		
West Range (old) 23	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 26	24 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 27	25 0 0	Do.
,, 28	15 0 0	Do.
,, 29	20 0 0	Do.
,, 40	25 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 42		Misc. goods.
,, 43	28 0 0	Business to be approved by the Committee.
,, 32	25 0 0	
,, 58	45 0 0	
,, 44	30 0 0	Kerosene Oil.
,, 45	28 0 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 48	28 0 0	Do.
,, 49	23 0 0	Tailoring.
,, 50	56 4 0	Oilman's Stores.
,, 51	30 0 0	To be sanctioned by the Com.
,, 52	30 0 0	Do.
,, 53	30 0 0	Do.
,, 54	30 0 0	Do.
58	1 12 0 (Daily)	Oilman's Stores.
Poultry.		
,, 35-38	1 4 0	Poultry.
,, 39-42	1 4 0	Do.
,, 51-58	2 8 0	Do.
,, 63-66	1 4 0	Do.
,, 67-74	7 8 0	Do.
,, 115-120	1 4 0	Do.
,, 75-78		
,, 79-82	1 4 0	Do.
,, 83-98	5 0 0	Do.
,, 99-108	8 2 0	Do.
,, 109-110	0 10 0	Do.
,, 111-114	1 4 0	Do.
,, 131-134	1 4 0	Do.
,, 135-138	1 4 0	Do.
,, 139-140	0 10 0	Do.
,, 141-142	0 10 0	Do.
,, 145-146	0 10 0	Do.
,, 147-150	1 4 0	Do.
,, 151-154	1 4 0	Do.
,, 155-156	0 10 0	Do.
,, 157-162	1 14 0	Do.
,, 163-164	0 10 0	Do.
,, 165-166	0 10 0	Do.
,, 167-170	1 4 0	Do.
,, 171-174	1 4 0	Do.
,, 175-176	0 10 0	Do.
,, 177-178	0 10 0	Do.
,, 179-182	1 4 0	Do.
,, 183-186	1 4 0	Do.
,, 187-188	0 10 0	Do.
,, 189-190	0 10 0	Do
,, 191-194	1 4 0	Do.
,, 195-198	1 4 0	Do.
,, 199-202	1 4 0	Do.
,, 203-206	1 4 0	Do.
,, 207-208	0 10 0	Do.
,, 209-210	0 10 0	Do.
,, 213-214	1 4 0	Do.

Block & Stall Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.
	Rs. A. P.	
Egg 4	0 8 0	Egg
,, 9	0 8 0	Do
,, 10	0 8 0	Do
,, 18	0 8 0	Do
,, 19	0 8 0	Do
,, 22	0 8 0	Do
,, 37	0 4 0	Do
,, 35	0 4 0	Do
40—42	0 8 0 each	Do
F. R. 16	1 0 0	Sporting goods.
N. 33	0 5 6	European Vegetable.
57	0 5 6	Do.
,, 72—78	0 11 0	Do.
Milk 8—9	2 8 0 each	Milk
Suet		Suet
,, 8 & 6	0 4 0	Do
	0 8 0	Do
,, 24 & 25	0 4 0	Do
North Range	0 8 0	Beef
,, 2		

*Stalls temporarily suspended.

ENTALLY MARKET—Shops To Let.

Applications with offers of initial rents are invited for the privileges of occupying the undermentioned small rooms on rents as noted against each of them and will be received by the Superintendent in the market office daily between 10-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent.	Business.	Shops or Stalls Nos.	Daily rent	Business.
	Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.			Rs. As. P.	
4—3 S. B.	4 0 0	To be approved by the authority.				29 Chandney	0 3 0	Vegetables.
			9/1 W. B.	0 4 0	Non-foodstuff. Cloth, Shoe, etc.	30 ,,	0 3 0	,,
4 S. B.	0 10 0	Do						
			10 W. B.	0 10 0				
11 S. B.	1 2 0	Oilman's stores Non-foodstuff.	11/A, W. B.	0 12 0	,,			
			12 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
			13 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
13 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	15 W. B.	1 0 0	,,			
14 S. B.	1 2 0	,,	16 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	60 ,,	0 4 0	Potato.
			18 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	64 ,,	0 2 0	Egg.
19 S. B.	0 12 0	Mudi.	20 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	65 ,,	0 2 0	C. V.
20 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	21 W. B.	1 0 0	,,	66 ,,	0 3 0	Vegetables.
21 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	23 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	69 ,,	0 4 0	,,
22 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	25 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	75 ,,	0 5 0	Fruits.
23 S. B.	0 12 0	,,	26 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	76 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			28 W. B.	0 15 0	,,	77 ,,	0 5 0	,,
			Chandney					
Pork 3	0 9 0	Pork.				78 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 5	0 8 0	,,	17 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.	79 ,,	0 4 0	,,
,, 6	0 8 0	,,	18 ,,	0 7 0	,,	80 ,,	0 7 0	Dry Fruits.
,, 7	0 8 0	,,						

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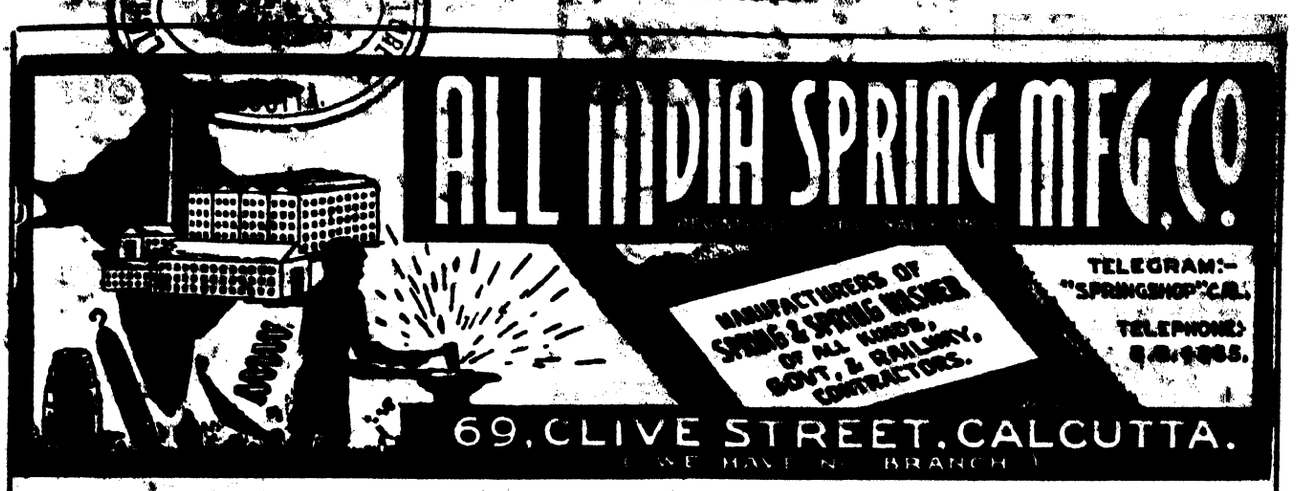








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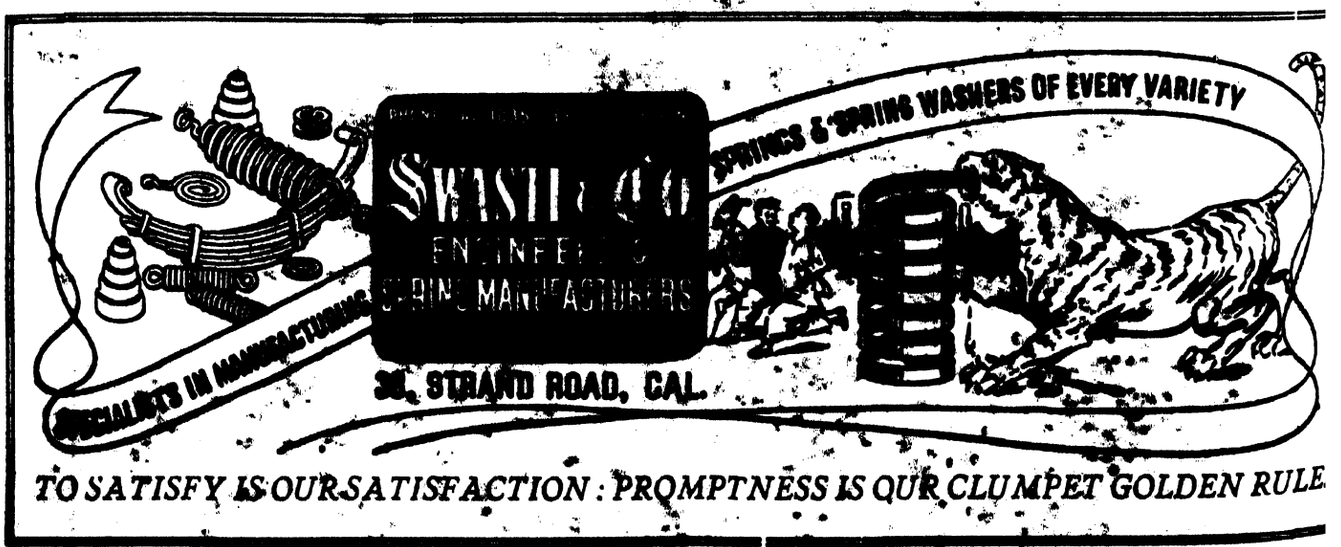


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ABOUT a year ago, this city of Calcutta came face to face with a staggering increase in the number of traffic accidents on the city roads. Even though the situation was only temporary, contributed mainly by the much increased military vehicles, a "Safety-First Week" was organized with the cooperation of the British and American military police. A sharp decline in the number of street accidents in the course of the Week, and after it, has been observed.

Closely following the "Safety First Week" the Corporation Commercial Museum opened a "Safety First Exhibition", at the inaugural ceremony of which the Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sailapati Chatterji, disclosed that a monthly average of 450 cases of accidents occurred in the city of Calcutta.

"Until the citizens learn the fundamental principle of caring for their neighbours as they do for their own selves, the number of road accidents," according to the Metropolitan of India, who opened the Exhibition, "will not decrease." But, the then Chief Minister of Bengal, Khawja Sir Nazimuddin, in the course of a broadcast, called in statistical facts to say: "A great majority of traffic accidents is caused by pedestrians using roads in more or less complete disregard of their own safety." Both the Metropolitan and the Chief Minister have, however, been equally regardful of one point: "Safety Consciousness", and from the keen sense of personal safety emanates the feeling of safety for others.

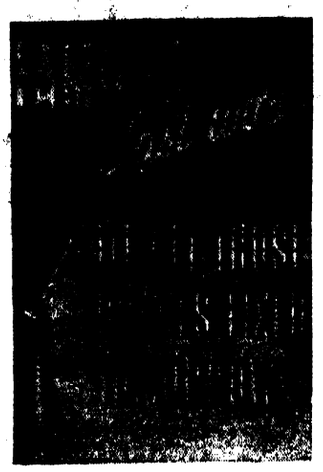
What Calcutta did a year ago for the Safety Education of her citizens amounted more or less to traffic problems and street accidents. And much of these two factors, especially in relation to this city, Mr. W. H. Prosser, Chief Engineer of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, covered when he said at the inaugural ceremony of the Safety First Exhibition :—

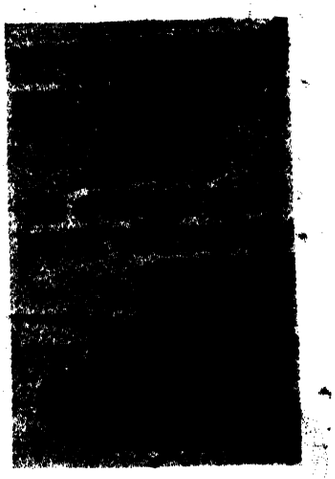
> "Calcutta, like other Eastern cities, has to cater for a type of traffic unknown in the West. The slow-moving animal and manual drawn vehicles are the most obstructive to the free flow of fast traffic and must, in many instances, be directly or indirectly the cuase of street accidents. This form of transport must be taken off the principal traffic routes sooner or later; certain roads must be reserved for them. Fast through traffic will have to be dealt with similarly by the construction of arterial by-pass roads. But so far as I can see an arrangement of this kind is impracticable in Calcutta for two reasons: *first*, because if it is considered desirable to construct an outer ring round the city it is impossible to do so (except at a terrific cost) on account of the Salt Lakes, and, *second*, an outer ring road will be of relatively small value to through traffic since through traffic, in the accepted sense, does not exist in Calcutta. When a substantial diversion of road traffic away from Calcutta is almost impossible of attainment, there remain only two principal alternatives: the widening and improvement of the existing roads; and, the improvement of road junctions."

The Safety First Week and Exhibition, that Calcutta witnessed about a year ago, may now have gone out of the memory of the public. This "Supplement" to the *Calcutta Municipal Gazette* is hoped to re-impress the 'Safety' idea on the public mind. The "Supplement" has honestly endeavoured, within its small compass, to touch upon all the important spheres wherein 'Safety' should play a prominent role.

May it make the citizens of this "no mean city" more alert and wakeful about themselves and their neighbours as well!

The Need for Safety Education





By

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ALTHOUGH preventible accidents have been increasing in India ever since the introduction of the implements of the machine age, they have enormously increased owing to war-time activities. It is not generally realized that fatal injuries in civil life which occur from day to day and kill and maim men, women and children on the streets and highways, in the home and at work, cause more deaths than fatal casualties during a war. It is curious that the loss of a large number of human lives in a disaster attracts more attention from the public than deaths from the steadily increasing accidents which occur from day to day.

India is bound to be industrialized and urbanized. With increasing industrialization, the risk of accidents will increase unless we can rationalize the training of our citizens and the education, living conditions and physiological efficiency of the workers and unless we improve the roads, traffic systems and traffic control and try to study the causes of accidents and develop and execute a programme for prevention.

Safety First Association

Realizing the necessity for such study and education, the Safety First Association of India was inaugurated fifteen years ago. The Bengal Provincial Branch was started in 1936. It has tried to focus public attention on the problem, to educate the community by informing them how and why accidents occur, how to avoid them and how to behave in the safest and the most sensible way on the road, at home and at work, and to co-operate with various authorities which are concerned with educational campaigns and control of accidents.

In analysis carried out last year, it was noticed that, of 136 deaths from road accidents in Calcutta during the first half of 1945, 25 were among children between the ages of 6 and 10, and 12 among persons of 50 years of age and over and that nearly 95 per cent of fatal accidents occurred among the poorer classes, who are often uneducated and have not yet adopted themselves to city roads and city traffic.

Traffic Accidents

Bengal has nearly 4,000 miles of unsurfaced or macadamized roads and 87,000 miles of unsurfaced roads. Pedestrian death rates are unfavourable in cities. In a recent analysis carried out in the United States of America, it was seen that 2 out of 3 pedestrians killed either violated traffic rules or were engaged in some unsafe act and that in at least 2 out of 5 pedestrian accidents, the driver was careless or violating rules. Mechanically unsound vehicles, high-speed, improper passing and driving on the wrong side of the road, vision obstructions, unsafe road conditions and badly planned road system have been considered as some of the causes of traffic accidents, apart from the age, training and temperament of the driver, and apart from unsafe pedestrian acts. The control of road traffic in India is rendered more difficult by the use of hand-carts (over 11,000 in Calcutta alone), bullock carts and Brahmini bulls, horse-drawn vehicles and rickshaws. The mechanical efficiency and equipment of these vehicles would be improved and a proper training in Safety principles of the drivers of these vehicles should be undertaken.

In cities and large towns most of the important roads have foot-paths. Nobody would question the right of every person to use the road, but in the present-day world the roads must be planned properly to fit the traffic and the traffic must be managed to fit the streets.

The former is the job of the Traffic Engineer and the latter of the Police authorities. This alone will not help reduce accidents, unless every man, woman and child develops a road sense and follows the rule of the road. The observance of a few simple rules by the public will avoid all accidents.

When you walk, keep to the extreme Right, if there is no foot-path. If there is a foot-path, stick to the foot-path unless you have to cross over. When crossing the road, observe the following simple rules :—(1) *Stop* on the extreme edge of the road (if there is no footpath), (2) *Look both ways and listen* for moving traffic, (3) *Look to the right* for approaching traffic. If the road is clear, walk briskly to the centre of the road, (4) Now *look to the left* for approaching traffic. If the road is clear, walk briskly to the opposite side of the road, (5) When crossing an intersection, never weave through traffic or cross diagonally ; always cross at right angles, (6) If you are more than one, cross together and in case of an emergency, or if you can't decide, stand still until the vehicle passes away and until the road is clear, (7) When you come to a city, study the rules and signs, and observe them intelligently. See that you don't make the road unsafe for others by throwing fruit skins, broken bottles, nails and stones. A consideration for others will stand you in good stead. Never play on the foot-path or on the road.

Origin of Safety First

Railroad accidents also take a high toll in maiming and killing our citizens. There is no agency under the Railways, to my knowledge, either in training the Railway employees or passengers in Safety principles, although the words "Safety First" took their origin from the fact that Engine Drivers in England used to be told that Safety of passengers should be their first consideration in driving engines. Accidents in factories in India are also steadily increasing. The number of industrial accidents in India which was 20,787 in 1934 had risen to 54,274 in 1942. The application of Safety principles to the handling of machines and the Safety education of workers are likely to reduce the accident figures in industries.

In the U. S. A., the largest number of deaths caused by accidents is due to motor vehicles. Next in order are falls, burns, drowning, railroad, fire-arms, non-gas poisons and poisonous gases. Burns are more common in childhood and falls more common in old age. Burns from lamps, kitchen fire-stoves, electricity and match-sticks are frequently caused by carelessness in mechanical handling or careless use of *sarees* or other apparel. Not a day passes without a newspaper report on one or more of them. Carelessly kept medicine bottles containing poisons, suffocation by swallowed or aspirated objects, poison gas, collapse of unsafe houses and careless use of fire-arms are some of the other causes. Drowning accidents and deaths are quite common in a riverine province like Bengal. But how many of us think of educating people in their prevention ?

Safety Education Campaign

We should realize that *accidents do not just happen, but are caused*, and that they can be greatly reduced by removing the causes and



conditions which produce them. It is estimated that the number of non-fatal injuries owing to any cause is ten times that of the number of deaths. Loss of efficiency and earning capacity due to an amputated finger or serious crippling of of the body, the wage loss or loss of earning capacity, besides medical expenses, when they are taken into account—it will be realized what a colossal loss of life, efficiency and property accidents cause. Many of these accidents can be avoided with a little forethought and adaptation to environment. In the home, the parents, who should themselves be trained, should impart the necessary training to the future generation from a very young age. The education begun in the home should be followed up and extended to the school, as children pick up Safety education and Safety practices much more quickly than adults. Educationists should adapt the school curriculum to the needs of our time and we must equip the citizens with knowledge to face the problems of the machine-age with intelligence and adaptability. The organization of Safety Squads and School Safety Patrols among students definitely helps them to be trained in good citizenship. It encourages them from an early age to shoulder responsibilities and prepares them for self-help, self-reliance and leadership. The training may be extended to School and Bus Patrols and to the valuable art of saving victims of lightning stroke, electric shock, poisoning and drowning. Even Health Patrols may be organized to inculcate health habits and to look after the cleanliness of the school building and its surroundings. Safety education should form an important part of the school curriculum, and teachers and grown-up students should be trained as Safety instructors.

Importance of Safety Education

The Bengal Provincial Branch of the Safety First Association has organized a Safety Instructors' Course for teachers, Welfare Officers of industries, Scouts and Bratacharis and such other people as may be keen to participate in the campaign of prevention of accidents. Safety Exhibitions should be organized in every town and industrial centre as an important item in the educative campaign.

If the principles of Safety First inspire even one-tenth of the actions of men and women, every human being, every branch of trade, commerce and industry, every institution and organization and every private and public health endeavour in our country would gain in efficiency, material and spiritual, in a manner uncomprehended and unrealized today. The National Safety First Association of U. S. A. claims that their studies and educative work during the last thirty years have helped reduce 200,000 deaths, which would otherwise have occurred in an uneducated *milieu*.



ROAD PLANNING FOR SAFETY

By

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ACCIDENTS happen in all sorts of ways, and statistics show that a surprisingly large number occur right in the home,—such as, by tripping on the stairs, by stumbling over toys, by scalding with hot water. But of late years the *rate of increase* of accidents caused in one way or other by vehicular traffic has been greater than any other, and has reached alarming proportions. The ordinary citizen, in thinking of Safety First measures to remedy this situation, thinks of more traffic lights, more traffic policemen, more careful driving (and walking), more stringent enforcement of speed laws, better public education to make people traffic-minded.

Certainly all these and many other measures are important.

PLANNING OF ROADS

The main root causes are to be found in the framework within which the traffic must operate, and in the volume of traffic of various kind. A narrow, winding road without sidewalks; a road with blind turns; the mix-up of fast and slow-moving traffic,—of lorries, passenger cars, cycles, rickshaws, ox-carts, goats; the attempt to get a large volume of automobile traffic through roads meant for *gharries* and rickshaws,—all these are the basic causes which produce discomforts, much loss of time, accidents, deaths. So it becomes clear that Safety First logically involves planning and re-planning of the cities and the villages,—their road systems.

By sensible planning and re-planning—*and execution of the plan* because plans on paper have no value or effect to lull people into the false idea that something has been done,—we remove many of the underlying causes that produce accidents, and ultimately we save money because we minimize the need for ever more elaborate systems of traffic control, and ever larger numbers of people to operate the controls.

At first it appears that such planning merely involves wider roads, better pavements, straight alignments with better visibility. But in western countries experience has shown that this alone does not solve the problem by itself, and, in fact, in many cases, this has made things worse. Wider, better roads always produce more traffic. They increase the temptation to speed. They are often even more dangerous for pedestrians to cross than the older, narrower roads. But real planning for Safety First involves much more. If such planning is carried out, its dividends include not only Safety First, but also better, healthier living, saving in time and irritation, economy in transportation costs and other costs of doing business.

ELEMENTS OF PLANNING

Such planning includes these elements :—

1. *Functional Roads :* Good planning in the U. S. A. includes separation of fast through traffic with limited cross access from slow-



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moving local traffic, and very slow-moving traffic like cycles, rickshaws, etc. The main high-speed road may by-pass or be on the periphery of the city, or it may go through the city with access to it at relatively few points, with streets for local cars near to it and parallel to it.

In India, with its volume of slow-moving ox-carts, cycles, etc., most streets or roads within the city should be developed on the same principle. Automobile traffic in the centre lanes, with strips separating this centre road from two one-way side lanes for the slower vehicles.

These principles should be supplemented by another : the main arteries and sub-arteries in a city should generally be amply wide and sub-divided into slow and fast moving traffic so as to attract traffic to them ; on the other hand, purely local streets, mainly for local deliveries or residents own vehicles, should be planned to *discourage* any other traffic. We often dead-end such streets. The application of these principles of functional segregation and functional planning of streets promotes safety by separating vehicles of different types and speeds from one other, and by keeping those vehicles out of local roads that have no business there. In addition, there is an enormous saving in time and nervous energy in petrol and time (as it eliminates much starting and breaking). Imagine the improvement if Chowringhee, Circular Road, Barrackpore Trunk Road were laid out on these principles.

Other important elements in roads are these :

A. *Providing* where necessary, *separate roads for lorries.* Keeping them off passenger vehicle roads.

B. *Providng underpasses or overpasses at certain critical intersections,* so that through-traffic need lose no time at these points, minimizing congestion and simplifying traffic control and safety.

C. *Adequate Bridge Approaches.* A bridge represents a super-concentration of traffic, and approaches should be so planned, if necessary, on different levels,—so that this concentration can be smoothly distributed to different points at varing distances, so as to avoid traffic jams and accidents. Howrah Bridge is an example of *how not to do it.*

D. *Elevated Highways.* These should be used sparingly because they are expensive. But in certain cases they provide the only means of solving a problem. In Calcutta, an elevated highway might be built from the end of Howrah Bridge to Sealdah Station, to keep traffic from Howrah Station to Sealdah off the streets.*

2. *Functional Areas within the Town or City :* Still more important for safety than the Road

*In my opinion, Calcutta requires at least one more bridge also from somewhere near the docks to the Howrah side, keeping all this heavy dangerous lorry traffic out of Calcutta streets in general, and Strand Road in particular.

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work just described, is to re-plan the city so as to eliminate a good deal off the traffic and cross traffic.

In example, most heavy industries should be placed around railway yards and docks so that they have only short hauls. Light industries should be located so that workers are within walking distance of them. Instead of one concentrated over-all business centre, to which and from which people travel daily over long distances, this main centre should be kept to a necessary minimum, and sub-centres conveniently located for those numerous businesses or branches of business not requiring to be at the main centre.

3. *Super-blocks and Neighbourhood Committees :* Even more effective in relation to Safety First is the planning or re-planning of a city on the basis of neighbourhood residential community units.

A properly planned unit of this kind contains within itself a residential area of such a size that the children within it can reach neighbourhood school on foot and without crossing any major traffic street. The school should be generally located near the centre of the neighbourhood. Each neighbourhood contains its shopping centre, one community playground and park with small playground for little children, its local theatre or cinema. Such a neighbourhood unit should be surrounded by amply wide traffic arteries, but should have only local streets within it.

COMMUNITY PLANNING

You can readily see why this kind of self-contained neighbourhood community reduces accidents and promotes Safety First. By keeping all traffic pretty well out of it except what has real business there, such as, to make deliveries, or to visit people living there, and by arranging all ordinary daily activities, such as, shopping, school, cinema within the area, so that people go about their daily activities without having much contact with hazardous traffic. In addition by having ample well-placed playgrounds within the community, children stay off the streets.

Such community or neighbourhood in the U. S. A. in modern planning is laid out in "Super-Blocks", often as large as 40 bighas each, which are not traversed by streets or roads, but are pierced by deadend streets or loops. The size of the entire neighbourhood community varies, and in the U. S. A. we base it usually on the maximum walking distance to the school. An average size might be half a mile on a side.

These planning methods cumulatively adopted will go very far to accomplishing traffic safety. They need not necessarily wait on each other and should not, because if they do, nothing will ever be finished. Each of the measures indicated will be of considerably actual value. Of course, all the elements should be planned as a whole conception so that they will link together, but actual action and execution need not wait even for cent. per cent. completion of plans. For instance, one such residential community, as described, could be carried out in an existing city without waiting for the whole city to be rebuilt that way, and much good would result. Similarly, other enterprises could be carried out simultaneously with the development of the whole plan.

The important thing is to realize the urgency of radically improving the inconvenient, dangerous, costly situations that clutter up so many cities towns and villages.

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SAFE ROAD-CROSSING

By

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THE roads now-a-days are taking a heavy toll of human lives and limbs. The motor accidents here in India are greater in proportion to the number of cars possessed than in any other country in the world. For every 10,000 cars there occur 13 deaths every year through motor accidents in U.S.A., 31 in England and 93 in India. Such accidents mostly take place when one is in the act of crossing the roads. It is the most difficult and dangerous part of a pedestrian's life in the busy streets of a city. As the days of slow-moving vehicles are gone, and speed has become the craze of the modern world through the advent and development of the motor-cars since the 19th century, one has to learn and practise the art of safe walking.

War brought in its wake an increase in traffic on the roads of Calcutta in the shape of military vehicles and the number of accidents showed up. Now that the war has ended, traffic, instead of being on the wane, would considerably increase with the removal of war-time shortages and restrictions. It would, then, be all the more necessary for the public to acquire a sufficient amount of road sense to walk with safety.

Some might think that with the development of aeroplanes, air travels and air taxis would be in vogue, and thereby the roads would be left for the use of the pedestrians only. But this seems to be highly improbable. The roads, for all times to come, will be used both by vehicles and pedestrians. Even though we let our minds soar in the stratosphere, we must not lose touch with the earth, where is our hearth and home. The art of crossing the roads and evading the speeding cars is a thing which must necessarily be acquired by all.

THE ART OF ROAD CROSSING FOR PEDESTRIANS

In this article let us discuss the art of road-crossing so far as pedestrians are concerned. Before you step on to the road to cross to the other side of it, the most important rule for you would be to Stop, Look and Listen. You will, then, bring into action the most important organs of your body—the mind, the eyes and the ears.

One thing always to be remembered is that the pedestrian should have an umimpaired view of the road both to his left and to his right before he attemps to cross it. In other words, he must not attempt to walk over to the other side of the road from behind obstructions or parked vehicles. In such a case he is likely to place himself in front of moving traffic before either party is able to check himself. Greater amount of care and precaution is necessary when a pedestrian crosses the street from behind an obstruction or a stationary vehicle. Alighting from tram-cars and crossing the street from behind them, requires an equal amount of care and caution. Once you hasten to walk across and you are taken unawares by traffic, which you did not see beforehand on account of the obstruction, you will not be able to check your momentum, and the motorist, too, will not be able to apply his brakes at the proper moment. Keep in mind always that the middle portion of the road is meant for vehicular traffic, and it is out of bounds for pedestrians when they are in the act of crossing.

When you step from the kerb on to the road, you should look first to your right and when you have walked briskly to the centre, you should look to the left, as the traffic will be from that side for the other half of the road. You should walk briskly, when the traffic is sufficiently clear, to the other side of the road without any hesitation.

In roads, where there are traffic islands, it is safe for you to walk over to the island, for traffic is in one direction on either side of the island. So long as you are on the island you are safe. One must not confuse traffic islands with round-abouts which are meant for maintaining a smooth flow of traffic. These round-abouts are

generally placed at the intersection of roads where traffic-jam very often takes place. The safe pedestrian must never use the roundabout island for crossing at intersections. In other words, he must not cross diagonally, as he is, then, likely to place himself on several paths of vehicular turning movements. This unsafe practice should be avoided, and the pedestrian should resort to the practice of crossing from footpath to footpath at the 'neck' of roads till he reaches the footpath on which he wishes to walk. In short, he must cross at right angles.

The next rule for safe street-crossing is where the road you intend crossing meets other roads, to avoid crossing between the blocks, where the traffic is fastest. As motorists naturally expect cross-traffic at intersections, there they slow down for fear of accidents, and it is surely safe to cross where the traffic is slow. If one tries to cross between blocks, he will have to weave his way through the traffic—which means quite a number of speeding cars he will have to dodge before he reaches the other footpath.

There is a mistaken impression abroad that the traffic signals are meant only for vehicular traffic. As a matter of fact Traffic Control Police and Traffic-Signals are installed not only for controlling vehicles but also for regulating pedestrian movements.

Whenever you are out on the road, either crossing it or walking along, you should keep your eyes and ears alert. Besides looking at the on-coming traffic you should also cast a glance on the road in front of you. There may be fruit skins or oil on the road. Take care not to tread on them. You might experience a somersault. Nobody knows where that fall will lead you to, when you are crossing a busy street—to the hospital or the grave !

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PERILS OF THE ROAD

By

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THE juicy mango, the succulent plantain, or the luscious orange are delicious and delectable fruits, we are agreed. There are people in Calcutta so eager to enjoy their taste, that they buy them from roadside stalls or vendors and proceed to peel and eat them on the road. We would not deny them the pleasure, but these people, unfortunately, scatter the peel or skin promiscuously about on the road way, and others enjoying the taste of these fruits inside their houses also do the same. Mr J. C. Bose, who was Collector to the Corporation upto 1932 and whose death was recently reported, was one day coming to office—I am speaking of about 25 years ago—and in front of the Municipal office building stepped on a fruitskin, fell down on the hard pavement and broke his thigh bone. The result was that he had to spend about six months in bed, partly in the hospital and partly at home and to spend a large amount of money to make his leg whole again. This is just one instance of the dire results following from the thoughtless and careless habits of people who throw fruitskins on the roadway instead of into proper receptacles or dust bins. Fruitskins are fruitful sources of street-accidents and they are not the only things which prove dangerous to passersby. Broken bottles, pieces of glass, broken tins, thrown out on the roadway cause many a cut and many a gash, and may even lead to death from blood poisoning only because the careless people who threw them out, never gave a thought to the possible evil consequences of their act. The golden Rule to be remembered is—always give a little thought to the probable consequences of your action on others,

When we go out of doors, we are all of us always in a hurry to get to our destination, which may be the shop, business place, office or many other places. In consequence of the hurry we are always in, we never care to wait when a bus or tramcar comes up, but must board it immediately, even though it is jam-packed with a seething crowd, even if people are standing or ruther hanging on foot boards, and even (in buses) on the bumpers behind.

We see this daily in Calcutta, but in the sister-city of Bombay, I understand, they manage things better. There, people have to wait in queues at the stopping places of buses and tramcars, and as soon as the car is full, no more passengers are allowed to enter, but must wait their turn for the next car. In Bombay buses, too, as soon as the seating accommodation is filled up, only six persons are allowed to stand. Why cannot Calcutta follow this example? By rushing wildly to get on board and scrambling or hanging on anyhow, we put a premium on accidents. People, I have been sorry to observe, are so deficient in civic sense that they will persist in crowding on the entrance of tramcars *even when there is room* to move up inside. Conductors some times take such people to task, ask them to move up, but the offenders generally resent this and refuse to move up. It, therefore, frequently happens that people rushing wildly to get on board are thrown off. It also happens that simultaneous attempts by one man to get on and another to get off, result in a collision between the two, and both may be thrown off, at the imminent risk of life and limb. Another frequent cause of accidents is that people will step off without looking behind, failing to see the truck, car, or lorry dashing up. In consequence, as soon as the passenger steps off, he is run over by the approaching car or truck. Crossing the road behind a running tram car is also a dangerous practice, because another car may be coming in the opposite direction concealed from view, and as soon as you try to cross the tram tracks the other car may come up and run you over. A little thought, a little care, given to these "small" matters, may save many lives and limbs, and the pedestrian should always remember that by too much haste he may gain a few minutes but may lose life or limb. Swami Vivekananda was once going with some friends to the Howrah station to catch a train. When near the station, the sound of the starting signal for the train was heard and the friends asked the Swamiji to hasten, to hurry. He, however, walked majestically on, unhurried, saying "what matters if I lose this train? I can take the next one, or the next after that—I have all eternity

before me !" That was sound common-sense.

So far I have dealt with the pedestrian and will now take up another class, who are taken to be the born foes of the pedestrian, viz. the motorist. Careful driving, specially in a congested city, should always be a rigid rule, but alas, it is a rule frequently honoured "more in the breach than in the observance", with a resulting toll of maimed and killed human beings. I will quote some lines from a remarkable article published 10 years ago in America and now reprinted in the "Readers' Digest" for the month of December, 1945. It is well known that road-accidents in the United States of America reach an enormous figure and the foreword to the article (of which the title is "—and sudden death") is illuminating, applying equally to conditions in Calcutta brought about by the war. It says that "great strides were made in recent years in accident prevention, and the fatality figures were reduced" but—

> "Then came the war...Thin tires, unskilled or careless drivers, warworn vehicles, battered roads, depleted personnel...add up to the grim prospects of an all-time peak in deaths next year, unless vigorous measures are taken to step up the safety program. With fatalities already running 26 percent. higher than 1944, and going up fast, the reprinting of this article is a shocking reminder to each of us of our responsibility to drive and walk safely....."

The article begins with the statement that "the total of motoring injuries was almost a million last year, with 36,000 deaths "but that mere statistics—figures—do not have any lasting or real effect "in jarring the motorist into a realization of the appalling risks of motoring. He does not translate dry statistics into a reality of blood and agony." The writer goes on :—

> "Figures exclude the pain and horror of savage mutilation—which, means, they leave out the point. A passing look at a bad smash or the news that a fellow you had lunch with last week is in a hospital with a broken back, will make any driver but a born fool slow down at least temporarily. But what is needed is a vivid and *sustained* realization that every time you step on the throttle, death gets in beside you, hopefully waiting for his chance."

The writer lays emphasis on the fact that a single isolated accident you may have seen, or read about in the paper, does not convey the horror of it, and that "no artist working on a safety poster would dare depict the scene of the accident itself in full detail".

> "That picture would have to include motion picture and sound effects, too,—the flopping, pointless efforts of the injured to stand up ; the queer grunting noises ; the steady, panting groaning of a human being with pain creeping up on him as the shock wears off. It should portray the slack expression on the face of a man, drugged with shock, staring at the Z—twist in his broken leg, the insane crumpled effect of a child's body after its bones are crushed inwards.....Minor details would include the raw ends of bones protruding through flesh in compound fractures, and the dark red, oozing surfaces where clothes and skin were flayed off at once. Those are the standard, every day sequels to the modern passion for going to places in a hurry and taking a chance or two by the way."



CARELESSNESS COSTS LIFE
NARROWLY ESCAPES MOTOR ACCIDENT TO BE SWALLOWED BY THE MANHOLE

The writer next says that he can't help if the facts are revolting, and that if you have the nerve to drive fast and take chances. you should have also nerve to face facts. He, then, gives a vivid description on what a thunderolt of destruction the modern motorcar can become in certain circumstances :—

> "The automobile is treacherous...it is tragically difficult to realize that it can become the deadliest missile. As enthusiasts tell you, it makes 65 (miles per hour) feel like nothing at all. But 65 an hour is 100 feet a

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SAFETY RULES FOR THE PEDESTRIANS

: REMEMBER :

It is better to be late in this world than early in the next. Or, give your- life for a noble cause and never die needlessly.

Look to the right and cross the first half of the road.

Look to the left and then cross the other half.

Use the foot-path ; the road is meant for the cars.

Do not make a crowd on the road and avoid all gossips there.

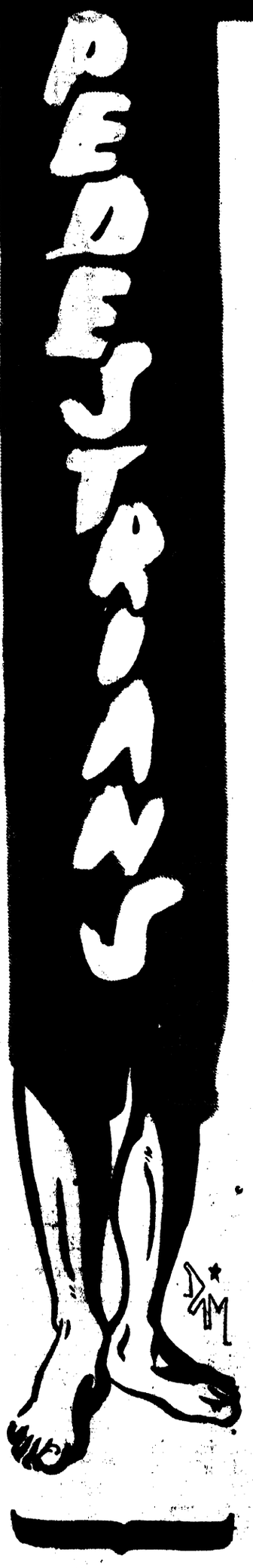
On roads without foot-paths, walk at the extreme right, facing the on-coming traffic.

Use the pedestrians' walk while crossing the road ; the driver expects you there.

Do not hurry on the road ; stand still when caught in the traffic.

Never cross roads diagonally ; cross only at right angles. Also cross at intersections and not between blocks where traffic is fastest.

Never step on to the road from behind, or in front of a stationary vehicle.



: REMEMBER :

Look both ways before getting down from a tram-car or a bus.

Never steal rides on the axles or drawbars of vehicles. You may be killed if you fall off under the wheels of a following car.

Never throw fruit skins on the road or foot-paths. Move them out of harm's way with your feet or stick if you see them there.

Carry an umbrella upright and well above the head. Carry a closed umbrella like a walking stick.

On dusty roads wait till the dust settles after a car has passed.

Take more precautions during the monsoon ; the roads are slippery then.

Always help the old, the infirm, and the very young to cross the streets.

Look, Listen and Walk. Obey the traffic signals and do not meditate upon your domestic or office work while on the road.

SAFETY RULES FOR THE DRIVER

: REMEMBER :

Waste of Life must be stopped.

Observe all traffic rules.

With red signal, stop at least a foot away from the pedestrian walks.

Look out for children and drive with care.

Check the brakes before taking the car out.

Follow other vehicles at a safe distance.

Provide for fresh air inside the car.

Slow down far in advance of intersections and curves.

Blow your horn when coming out of a lane or before taking a curve.

Remember that heavy loaded vehicles rarely skid but half-empty or light cars do.

In case of skid, turn the front wheels in the direction of skid.

Look, Listen and Drive.



: REMEMBER :

Be alert and ready to obey all signals.

Keep your wind screen clear ; you must see danger to avoid it.

During rains give signals for intended stops and turns ahead of time.

Follow after vehicles at a safer distance. Remember that it takes 3 to 11 times longer to stop on slippery surfaces.

Remember that brakes may lock on wet surfaces causing car to skid.

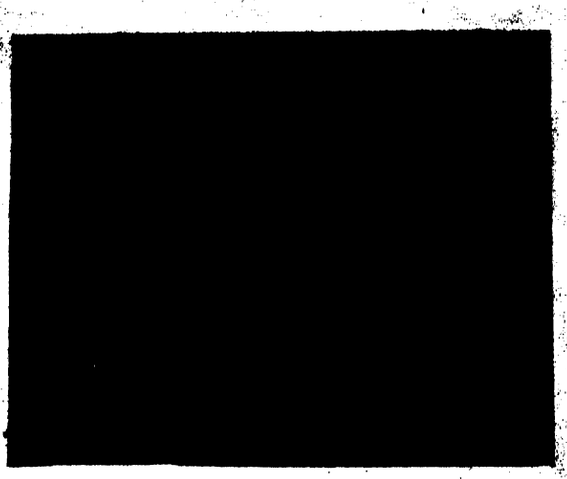
During the rains apply brakes with a light foot pressure until the skidding point, then release brakes and apply again in a like manner. This will prevent skidding.

Use lower head-light in rain.

Take extra precautions during the monsoon. Do not drive at a speed over 20 miles per hour.

Accidents don't just happen ; they are caused. So, they can be prevented.

You can help avoid accidents.



[A historic picture of traffic-control in Vienna after the Allied Victory over the Germans in the World War No. II. In the picture U. S. Military Policeman (left), a Viennese Policeman (centre) and a Russian Military Policeman (right) may be seen to co-operate in directing traffic in one of the city's main thoroughfares.]

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> second, a speed which puts a viciously unjustified responsibility on brakes and human reflexes, and can instantly turn this docile luxury into a mad bull elephant. Collision, turnover or side swipe, each type of accident produces either a shattering dead stop or a crashing change of direction, and since the occupant—meaning you—continues in the old direction at the original speed, every surface and angle of the car's interior immediately becomes a battering, tearing projectile, aimed squarely at you—inescapable. There is no bracing yourself against these imperative laws of momentum...The best thing that can happen to you—and one of the rare things—is to be thrown out...True, you strike the ground with as much force as if you had been thrown from an express-train at top speed, but at least you are spared the lethal array of gleaming metal knobs and edges and glass inside the car."

The writer, then, describes with vivid and terrible reality the results of different kinds of accident : head-on collisions, a car rolling down a bank, etc. "By no means all head-on collisions occur on curves. The modern death—trap is likely to be a straight stretch with three lanes of traffic." A description of the latter kind of accident follows : "five cars in one mass, seven killed on the spot, two dead on the way to hospital, two more dead in the long run", and the writer remarks "a first class massacre of that sort is only a question of scale" and remarks—"seven corpses are no deader than one. Each shattered man, woman or child who went to make up the 36,000 corpses chalked up last year had to die a personal death."

Describing the different kinds of injuries caused by different types of accidents, the writer spares no details. He describes injuries caused by flying glass thus :—

> "Flying glass—Safety-glass is by no means universal yet—contributes much more than its share to the spectacular side of accidents. It doesn't merely cut : The fragments are driven in as if a cannon loaded with broken bottles had been fired in your face, and a sliver in the eye, travelling with such force, means certain blindness. A leg or arm stuck through the wind shield will cut clean to the bone through vein, artery and muscle like a piece of beef under the butcher's knife, and it takes little time to lose a fatal amount of blood under such circumstances."

He forcibly brings out how it is the policemen and the doctors who have to bear the brunt of the ghastly aspects of an accident, but that "to be remembered individually by doctors and policemen, you have to do something grotesque", such as, "the pair of youths who were thrown out of an open roadster this spring—thrown clear but each broke a windshield post with his head in passing, and the whole top of each skull down to the eye brows, was missing." That is the kind of impact produced by modern speeds.

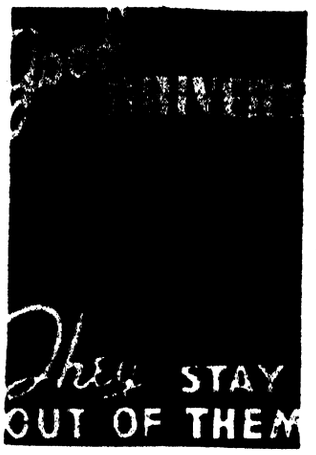
It is hard, the writer says, to find a surviving accident victim, who can bear to talk.

> "After you come to, the gnawing, searing pain throughout your body is accounted for by learning that you have both collar-bones smashed, both shoulder blades splintered, your right arm broken in three places, and three ribs cracked, with every chance of bad internal ruptures.....when they shift you from the ground to the stretcher, your broken ribs bite into your lungs, and the sharp ends of your collar bones slide over to stab deep into each side of your screaming throat....."

The write concludes with the following :—

> "And every time you pass on a blind curve, every time you hit it up on a slippery road, every time you step on it harder than your reflexes will safely take, every time you drive with your reactions slowed down by a drink or two, every time you follow the man ahead too closely, you are gambling a few seconds against blood and agony and.....sudden death."

DRIVING REGULATIONS FOR CALCUTTA



DRIVERS in Calcutta are instructed by the Public Vehicles Department of the Calcutta Police to drive their Vehicles on the left hand side of the road as this gives vehicles coming in the opposite direction ample room to pass by their right. They are instructed also to pass by the right of all vehicles proceeding in the same direction as themselves.

The only instance in which they can pass by the left of a vehicle proceeding in the same direction, is, when the driver in front of him indicates his intention to turn to the right by giving his signal and drawing to the centre of the road. They can overtake a moving tram-car if they are not going to endanger the life of any person. Under no circumstances can they pass by the left side of a stationary tram-car.

They must not pass any vehicle where a corner or an obstruction is ahead of them and the road ahead is not clearly visible.

When they are being overtaken by another vehicle they should allow the vehicle to pass them and not obstruct same in any way.

When nearing all main roads or corners they must at all times slow down for the safety of other persons.

They will always give way to vehicles on the main road and pay particular attention to vehicles approaching on their right.

When they see a body of troops or police marching along a road or any workman doing any repairs to a road, they must drive at a speed within 15 miles an hour.

They must drive on the left hand side of the road and when turning to the left keep to the left of the road entered into.

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the other road they must draw to the left hand side.

SIGNALS

They must give their signals at all times long before they intend doing anything.

If they want to turn to the right they will put out their right hand and keep it straight with the palm of their hand in front for a short while.

When they want to turn to the left they will swing their right arm in the opposite direction of the hands of a watch.

When they want to slow down, they must extend their right arm with the plam downward and move it up and down several times.

When they want to stop, they should raise their right hand upright with the plam to the front.

When they want a vehicle to overtake, then they must up their right hand out low and swing it backwards and forwards.

They must always remember that their signals must be given long before what they intend doing, and that they must be clear.

CAUTIONARY SIGNS

Drivers are told that all of them have seen various notices on the streets. These include parking places, period of parking, bus stop, taxi stand, etc. Parking in any stop or stand is strictly prohibited, and a vehicle must not park longer than the period specified.

CONTROL OF TRAFFIC

They must obey all traffic signs. They must comply with signals given by the police on duty and should obey any direction given.

They must not leave a vehicle in any place where it is likely to cause any danger, for instance, near the corner of any road where it may cause obstruction or even be the cause of an accident.

On no account must they have a child seated on their laps, or have any bedding or package placed near or in front of them which would prevent them from handling the steering and gears freely.

If at any time any Police Officer in uniform wants to see their license or any other documents in respect of the vehicle they are driving they must produce the same.

While they are driving they must, at all times, have in their possession the following:—

Private Car Drivers : Driving License, Petrol Permit and Registration Certificate.

Bus and Lorry Drivers : Driving License, Petrol Permit, Registration Certificate and R.T.A. Permit.

Taxi Drivers : In addition to the above will carry the Meter Inspection Book.

If at any time they meet with an accident and they find a person injured they must, if possible, give first-aid to the injured person, and if they think it necessary they must take the person to the nearest hospital, unless the injured person or his relatives do not want them to do so.

If any Police Officer requires any information regarding an accident they must give him the information.

If no Police Officer is present at the time of the accident, they must report this accident to the nearest police station as soon as they can, in any case within 24 hours of the accident.

RULES OF THE ROAD

Drivers must keep to the right of any other vehicle or horse proceeding in the same direction when overtaking them.

They must give their signals clearly and in ample time showing what they intend doing.

When they require to stop their vehicles they must stop on the left-hand side of the road within 1 foot of the kerb.

They must not park their vehicles closer than 20 feet distance from any crossing or where one road meets another.

When any Police Officer in uniform, or any person in charge of a restive animal, wants them to stop their vehicles they are bound to do so.

They must not park their vehicles in any narrow street. There must be 10 feet distance between their car and the kerb, footpath, or building on the opposite side of the road.

Wherever they see the vehicles of the Fire Brigade, Police vehicles on urgent calls, vehicles conveying His Majesty's mails and Public Ambulances, they must either stop or give right of way to these vehicles at all times.

PRACTICAL HINTS

Their signals must be clear and must be given long before they intend turning, stopping, etc.

If they are driving slowly, they must keep close to the left-hand side of the road.

If from a stand-still they want to drive off, they must look behind to see that no vehicle is about to pass them.

They must not turn their vehicle in a narrow street. They can do so by entering any road or gate.

They must not turn till they are quite sure that they are not obstructing any traffic.

While turning at a corner to the right, they will always leave room for another vehicle coming in the opposite direction on their right.

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IN my opinion, "Safety First" is an attitude of mind, and the main goal of all Safety propaganda is, or should be, to make people "Accident Conscious". "Safety First" should be practised everywhere, in your homes, offices, towns, or villages, and last but not the least, in your factories. Just think of the number of lives that could have been saved, or tragedies prevented, if only the housewives were "Accident Conscious," when they lit up their primus stoves. I have no doubt that many of you have experienced the prick of a pin that has been inserted in your files by a careless clerk. You have all, I am sure, also seen the shepherd driving his flock along the road, especially in Cawnpore, and on the approach of a car, he does his best to drive the flock to one side of the road, and himself remains in the centre—that is his idea of "Safety First"—for his flock.

MEMORIES OF THE PAST DIRECT OUR FUTURE ACTIVITIES

It may well be asked, and I dare say, is often asked: "What good is History?" My reply to that would be "history is a narrative of past events, it may deal with the development human affairs in whole or with some special phase of human activity." I think it is Bacon, who has said that nothing in the world is powerful as an idea. World history also shows that those ideas may profoundly effect the thinking of the millions of people, and the destiny of countries. The value of history, entirely apart from the interest, is to point a finger of direction to-day for our actions in the future, because our present decisions are guided by our memories of things in the past, or in short, by our knowledge of history. For example, if one has a neighbour, who owns a dog which does not like you, your memory, (or facts of history) remind you of the necessity of care and caution, when you visit the neighbour, or when you meet the dog in the street.

It is said that there is nothing new under the sun. Similarly, "Safety First" is not new for the simple reason that it is recorded even in the laws of King Hammurabi, of Babylon, about 4,000 years ago that "when thou buildest a new house, then thou shalt make a battlement for thy roof, that thou bring not blood upon thine house, if any man fall from thence."

There are also some old sayings, which contain the wisdom of the past, such as, the "burnt child dreads fire," meaning, of course, that the child has become fire conscious, or I would suggest "Accident Conscious." That is the whole secret of successful accident prevention, it is to make people accident conscious.

SAFETY EDUCATION OF CHILDREN AT SCHOOLS

Citizens would begin teaching their children in Safety at school by means of games, lessons, posters, charts, and films. To go a natural step further would be to start enforcing this in the day to day traffic on roads. At first, the larger roads should be strictly supervised and breaches of all traffic regulations taken a very severe notice of. To be able to do this properly, we would, of course, first have to make

*Adapted from a talk delivered by Mr. Batlivala at the Rotary Club of Cawnpore.

our custodian of the law more accident conscious, and would have to be trained first of all to know what he is expected to do, and how he is expected to control traffic. He would have to be taught that since he has been given the assistance of his brother-in-arms,—some would like to call him the brother-in-crime,—the Civic Guard is as a help, or relief, not with a view that both of them would control the traffic independently and often in opposition.

Industrial progress is of the greatest interest, and I am sure that bearing in mind the present trend, this would also be so in future, and perhaps to a greater extent, and therefore, "Safety First" in industry should receive our active attention. Safety in all walks of life, and more so in Industry, is a sound economic proposition, and apart from the prevention of human misery, it is conducive to better and more efficient work, in so far as the workers feel that some active steps are also being taken for their Safety.

FOUR WAYS OF LOOKING AT ACCIDENTS

There are four ways of looking at accidents: from *first*, the humanitarian side; *second*, the economic side; *third*, the patriotic side; and *fourth*, here is the self-respecting side for the workers, and for the firm, who take pride in their work, in doing it well, and in doing it safely. Safety is a big problem and deserves the closest attention and consideration of every man, woman and child. Safety Engineering is in a large measure human engineering, and, therefore, it is obviously impossible to reduce it to any formula. It is only through a combination of education, engineering revision, and intelligent enforcement that real progress can be achieved. Conscientious and systematic efforts can and will prevent many accidents, and it should be our endeavour to encourage safe and efficient living either in the home, on the road, or in the workshop, but the sum-total of human happiness as envisaged in "Safety Work" cannot be realised unless the call and urge for accident prevention comes from the people or workers themselves, and this is largely a question of mobilising public opinion by propaganda, training and example.

In an industrial community it would be much easier to organise for Safety than it would be in other communities, and, therefore, I give a brief outline of the organisation.

ESSENTIALS OF FACTORY SAFETY-FIRST

Mere display of Safety posters, and the issue of literature to workers is not sufficient to ensure the maximum efforts at Safety. Care for Safety is an intrinsic part of efficient management. I have to urge that in factories, where the Safety Committees have not been set up, the early establishment of such Committees should be regarded as a matter of primary importance. They can be adopted to the particular needs of the factory, and thus be able to take full advantage of its service. The six essentials of a Factory Safety-First Organisation are:—

Support of the Management: No safety campaign can be really successful unless the Management give active and sincere support. It is particularly important that the Management take steps to convince each department manager and foreman of his individual responsibility for safety as an essential part of the efficient running of the department.

Focussing the Safety work in one man: Safety work should be centred in one individual, either whole or part-time, working in close conjunction with a Committee. He should occupy a responsible position in the works as his principal duty is to provide the driving force behind the campaign. The Safety Organiser's duty is not to accept all the responsibility for preventing accidents, so much as to see that others also accept the responsiblity that is theirs.

Formation of a Safety Committee: In any but the smallest works proper and efficient Safety organisation would be impossible without the help of a Safety Committee to perform the vital function of letting the workers know that they have a share in the Works Safety Movement, and of thus gaining their cooperation. The Safety Committee should be presided over by the Manager, or by a very senior member of the firm, and should consist of the heads of each department, the foremen, or head mistry, and at least one worker from each department, and the Medical Officer.

Inspections and Investigations: Accidents tend to repeat themselves. Experience of what has happened before shows that it may happen again,—the value of 'accident history' has been referred to before. Therefore, dangerous conditions should be sought for and remedied before they cause accidents. It is particularly necessary that all accidents and near accidents should be most carefully investigated, and necessary steps taken to prevent a recurrence. The Safety Committee should be made responsible for the training into Safe methods of all the workers, and especially those who are newly employed. With this Committee, Safety should not only be a slogan, but a creed.

Propaganda: The poster is an invaluable means of mass education, especially where, as in India, we have to deal with a large percentage of illiterate workers. When properly displayed the poster can reach everyone in the Works Posters, however, are not the only method of Works Safety propaganda. The distribution of pamphlets, and the showing of films, encouragement, of healthy interdepartmental competition by the organisation of No Accident Week, awarding of small prizes to departments with no accidents, or the least number of accidents, are all part of propaganda.

Accident Reports: Records and statistics have necessarily to be kept to a minimum, but without certain records it will be impossible to improve the accident situation. In particular, it is suggested that records and investigations should be based on all accidents causing loss of time beyond the day or shift on which they happen, and not merely reportable accidents.

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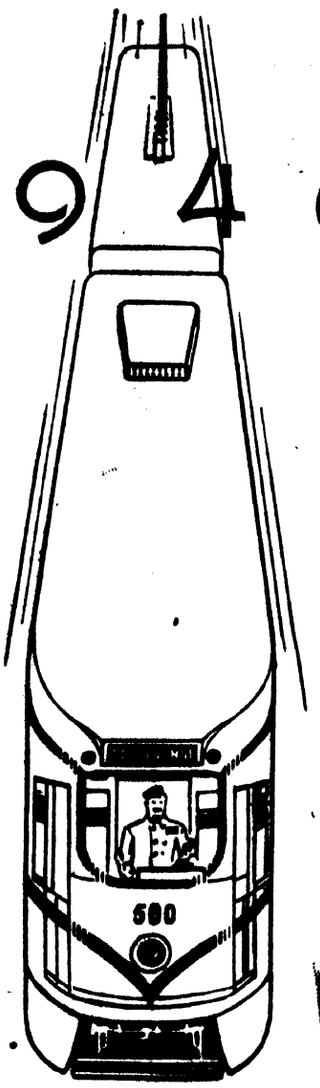
ONLY A MATCH-STICK
IS SUFFICIENT TO SET THE WHOLE WORLD ON FIRE

THE accidents caused by Fire, Gas and Electricity have assumed such alarming proportions in almost all the civilised countries of this world that the subject cannot but attract our serious attention. The National Fire Brigades Association of London has some important observations with regard to the accidents caused by fire. In the opinion of this Association fires in the home are generally traced to the following major causes: rubbish, hot ashes, defective flues, children playing with fire, defective heating apparatus, petrol, benzine, paraffin, matches, careless smoking, etc. Lack of thought or carelessness is the chief cause of the majority of the accident cases, and just a little common sense and forethought can surely prevent many of these fires that often prove disastrous in their courses. The anti-fire precautions suggested by this association are: Remove rubbish regularly from the house and provide covered metal bins for the collection of rubbish. When burning rubbish in the garden, do so as far away from the houses and wooden fences as possible. Hot ashes should never be put into wooden boxes, but always into metal dustbins. Burning coals should not be removed from one fire place to another. If the fire does not burn, do not pour paraffin or other inflammable liquid on it. It is also a dangerous practice to hold newspapers before the fire. Petrol, benzine and other inflammable liquids should never be brought into the house.

Chimney flues should be swept regularly. Keep tops of stoves and ovens free from grease. All open fires should be surrounded by an efficient metal guard. An Act of Parliament makes this imperative where there are children (under 7 years of age). Set clothes to dry at a safe distance from the fire. Children should not be allowed to play with matches, or highly inflammable celluloid toys. Always use safety matches. Provide a liberal supply of ash trays throughout the house. Spent matches and cigarette ends should be extinguished before they are thrown away. Candles should be fitted in proper holders, for many fires occur through lighted candles falling over or burning down to the base. Portable stoves or heaters should be placed on non-combustible bases well away from walls, floor or wood work. Oil stoves and lamps should be filled in daylight away from any flame. When alight, a lamp should not be placed near loose draperies or window curtains and should be on a firm base. Take care that there are no leaks in the container of an oil stove. Flannelette, light fabrics, cotton and wool burn with great rapidity and are, therefore, dangerous to wear. The use of highly inflammable celluloid should be avoided. Above all, know where the nearest fire-alarm is; how to get the fire-brigade by telephone; and know all exits, or means, of escape. The National Fire Brigades Association also gives some valuable suggestions in case there is a fire in the house. First and foremost, the Association asks the members of the house to keep their heads, *i. e.*, to act calmly. Then, the other instructions are: Warn all persons on the premises and call the Fire Brigade, at the nearest street fire-alarm, or from the nearest telephone, or police box.' Wait at the fire alarm, unless you have already given the address, until the Fire Brigade arrives. In the house, close all doors, windows and other inlets for air likely to assist the fire. Use fire extinguishers (if available) getting as near the centre of the fire as possible. If not, throw water on the fire quickly and with force. Water must not be used on fire which consists of burning oils, spirits, chemicals or electrical switch boards or fittings. In such cases, fine, dry sand or earth should be thrown over the fire. If the smoke is very dense, place a wet handkerchief over the nose and mouth, and

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crawl on hands and knees. If a person's clothes are on fire, place him face downwards on the ground and smother flames with blanket, rag or heavy coat.

The safe usage of gas appliances, too, is of first-rate importance in the home. In fact, considerable efforts have been made and are being made to make the use of such services free of risks, but there may be occasions when the consumers may expose themselves to a risk of one kind or another with untoward consequences. Some simple precautions are in such cases necessary to combine complete safety in the home with the many advantages that gas can give to its consumers, but it is very unfortunate that these precautions are often neglected. To inform the gas-undertakeing to attend to a loose tap which has worn out after some years' use, to have a guard to the gas fire to eliminate the risk of flimsy clothing coming in contact with it, to provide special gas taps on fires to avoid the risk of children turning on the gas, to avoid using any cheap, unreliable and consequently unsafe appliance, to take proper care of the tubing so that no damage to it can result in an escape of gas that cannot be promptly stopped, the inspection of gas taps to make sure that they are all turned off—before leaving home for any length of time, to overhaul the appliances at necessary intervals, to inform the Company immediately to stop any leak, to avoid looking for a gas-escape with a nacked light,—are some of the precautions that are demanded here, by exercising just a little common sense as in any other action in the present-day world.

What is true of gas is also true of electricity. Caroline Haslett, Director of the Electrical Association for women, observes that "in one of its many forms, electricity now enters into the daily life of everyone of us, whether as lighting, cooking, heating, traction, radio or some other form. It is, therefore, important that all should know something of electrical safety precautions, and that school girls and boys should be taught the elementary facts about electricity,—its application to modern life, how to carry out small home repairs, and also to know when a fault requires the attention of a skilled electrician."

To carry out Haslett's suggestions in this respect, it is imperative that the electrical installation in the home should be done by an efficient and recognised electrical engineer. Then, the importance of good lighting in the prevention of falls, burns and scalds. Glaring or inadequate light may cause an eyestrain that may result in more serious eye-troubles. So the light should by all means be of the right power. "In the placing of electrical apparatus", says Haslett, "it should be remembered that water-pipes and stone floors are good conductors of electricity, so that any one touching faulty apparatus when standing on a cement floor, or touching a pipe, may receive a severe shock. To avoid the possibility of this, electrical apparatus in the bathroom or scullery should be fixed well away from the bath, sink or pipes, and metal parts should be "earthed". Switches, lampholders and, where possible, the apparatus also should be made of bakelight, or some similar insulating material, rather than metal."

Haslett points to the danger of small children touching or approaching any electrified pole, rail or wire and also of putting outdoor ærials in the proximity of power lines. It is also advised that flexible cords on lampholders and appliances, being a potential source of trouble, should immediately be replaced by good ones as soon as they start to fray or wear away. They should not be left knotted or linked, and should be dusted with a dry cloth. In case of an irregularity of electric current, the "Fuse" serves as the safety valve of the home, shutting off the supply of electricity until the fault has been remedied. So, the fuse should not be mended with wire which, when a fault occurs, is too strong to melt easily. Another important point with regard to electrical safety is that the electrical arrangements in the house should always be protected from damp, dust and dirt. Pulling the plugs out of their sockets by jerking on the cord, using an electrical appliance while in the bath tub or with wet hands, replacing lamp-bulbs and fuses without putting off the main switch first, getting electrical repairs done by a person, who is not a licensed electrician,—are dangers that are also to be guarded against.

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SAFETY PLANNING OF FACTORIES IN GREAT BRITAIN

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In 1943 official statistics recorded 1,220 fatal and 309,924 other accidents in factories in Great Britain. Thousands of others, not necessarily trivial, went unregistered. The object of this article is to consider the main causes of industrial accidents in relation to the design of the buildings and to indicate how these risks can be reduced by forethought in planning.

WHILE many factory accidents have no no connection with the design of industrial buildings it is true to say that every type of accident is less liable to happen in a well-designed and well-maintained factory. There are, however, many types of everyday factory accidents, which can be prevented from happening, and this prevention should be planned at the design stage of every factory project.

The Factories Act has a section dealing with safety, but this is largely concerned with the fencing of machinery, which is not the direct concern of the designer of the factory buildings.

The main requirements of the Factories Act in connection with safety are in regard to lifts, hoists, staircases and passages, and requirements are laid down regarding exits and means of escape. The Factories Act does not give detailed requirements, but in London, where the London Country Council administers the Act, detailed principles have been laid down covering the various classes of industrial buildings, and these should be studied to ensure that the conditions are fully met.

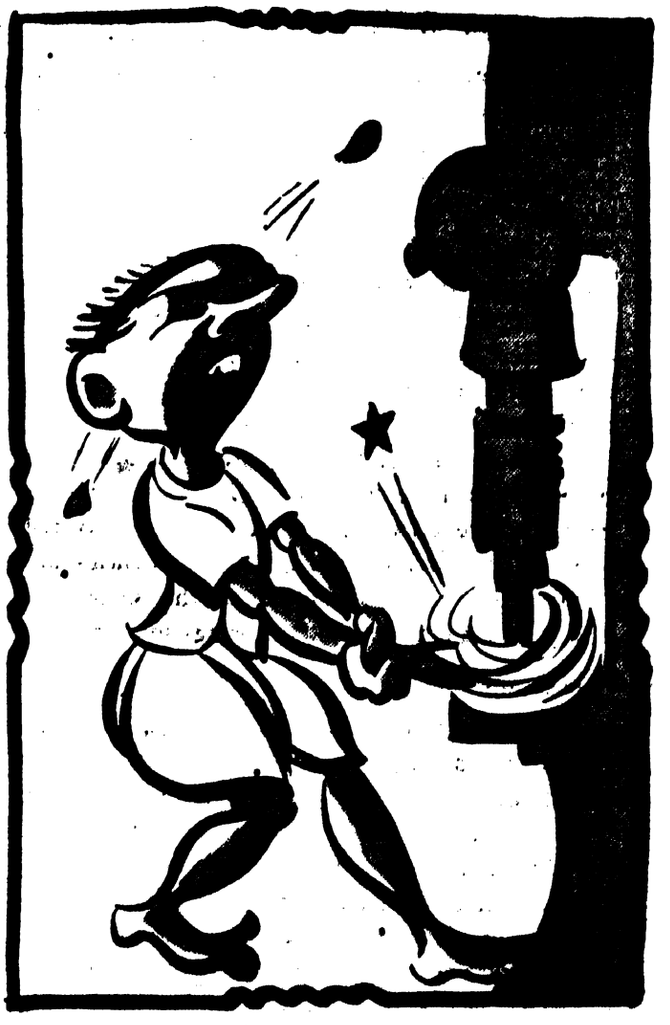
Too Much Carelessness

The majority of everyday factory accidents are the result of simple mistakes : carelessness, or lack of simple precautions. The Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents states that "over 25% of the total number of accidents in factories are caused during the handling of goods, a higher percentage than it is due to any of the other 28 types of hazard under which such accidents are classified by the Factory Department."

Although the majority of these accidents could be prevented by the exercise of more care and by better training of personnel, adequate lighting, both natural and artificial, can do a great deal to assist, and adequate space in warehouses will also help in the reduction of accidents occurring during the handling of goods.

Causes of Falls

Falls are the cause of 12% of all factory accidents and a fair number of fatalities. The



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lines have differing patterns of cocks or taps, a newcomer may make a mistake which could cause the loss of many lives. This type of accident can occur in a laboratory as well as a process building, and cylinders of gas can be easily confused. The accidental connection of a cylinder of oxygen to a plant instead of a cylinder of nitrogen could produce a violent explosion in some conditions.

To lessen this danger it is essential that all service pipes and gas cylinders used in any part of a chemical factory should be clearly marked with the recognized identification colours, preferably for the full length of the line. The approved colours are listed in two British Standard Specifications : one for process buildings and one for laboratories.

Fields for Foresight

The list of various types of factory accidents could be greatly enlarged, but already it will be seen that three major faults in the design of industrial buildings either cause accidents themselves or are hazards which may lead to accidents. These three faults are :—

1. Flooring materials ;
2. Lighting, natural and artificial ;
3. Ventilation, natural and artificial.

These three points should, therefore, be given special consideration in all chemical factory buildings, offices and laboratories and process buildings, etc.

Planning for Welfare

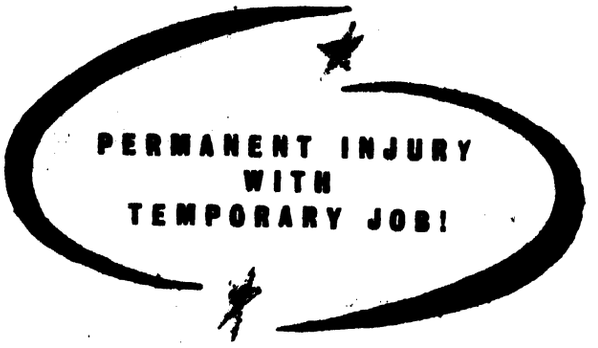
It has been said that "industry, too often, owes a debt to landscape," and it is difficult to travel around any industrial area of Britain without finding evidence of this debt. If casualties and accidents in factories are showing a welcome decrease in numbers annually, the industrial planning casualties in both town and countryside show a definite annual increase. Endless examples of unpleasant and unneighbourly factory buildings could be used as illustrations, cases both in town and country.

Industry is essential to the life of Britain, especially in these post-war years, but there is no reason whatever why an essential part of British life which provides work, food necessities and luxuries for the world should at the same time disfigure the land to which it brings so much.

Landscape Plan

Whenever an industrial plant is prepared, whether it is large or small, a landscape plan should be prepared at the same time. This idea is comparatively new and has been put forward by Mr. G. A. Jellico, F.R.I.B.A., F.I.L.A.

In country districts carefully planned tree-planting can do a great deal to blend industrial groups with the surrounding landscapes, and not



only to camouflage dumps and tips and general unavoidable unsightliness, but to screen dust and smoke from trains, etc., and generally humanize the industrial scene. Great care should be taken in the siting of buildings and the materials used so that the structures do not dominate the landscape. Pretentious architecture should be avoided at all costs in spite of the free advertizing possibilities it seems to offer.

Government Directions

In the Ministry of Works Post-War Building Study No. 16 the section detailing with factories states :—

"During the period which followed the industrial revolution, brains and enthusiasms were concentrated on the new magic of plant and machinery at the expense of the workers and of the surrounding amenities. Architectural advice was rarely sought, and a co-ordinated master plan of ordered developments was rarely prepared. The growth of the factory was spasmodic and inefficient, governed only by the immediate desires of the Manufacturer.

"Since then values have changed. The subordination of a factory scheme to the layout of vital and intricate plant and machinery and to production sequence is clearly acknowledged ; but attention has been increasingly focussed on the welfare of the occupants, on the amenities of the site and its surroundings, and on the necessity for comprehensive treatment and a master plan for orderly development. By such means the lives of the workers, the amenities of the countryside, and production itself can be and are being improved."

Industrial ribbon development is an evil as great as domestic ribbon development. Factories should be grouped off main traffic roads and served by suitable subsidiary roads.

Too many factory building owners forget that any new building project is not simply a private affair consisting of the erection of a new structure, but is a permanent and inescapable feature in the lives of countless people. Ill-considered industrial building can help to spoil both town and country.



surprising fact is recorded in official publications that about half of these accidents occur when people are walking on the level. The main causes which can be obviated at the design stage of a factory are :—

1. Uneven or unsuitable floor surfaces causing pools of oil or water ;
2. Bad lighting, particularly glare and shadow ;
3. Unsatisfactory ventilation, causing sudden clouds of steam, smoke, dust or fumes.

Serious falls from heights can also be avoided if ladders, gantries and platforms are fitted with railings. Midrails as well as top rails are always desirable in factory handrails. These rules also apply to openings in floors which are used for access, and to hoppers, chutes, etc., between floors.

Light materials used for roof coverings,—asbestos cement sheets, glass, etc.,—are other serious hazards, as the lack of strength of these materials is not always appreciated. When repairs to roofs are carried out precautions should be taken so as to avoid walking on roof sheeting, and guard-rails should be fixed when there is any possibility of falling. Permanent cat-ladders giving access to roofs are desirable, and warning notices should be displayed pointing out that asbestos roofs, etc., should not be walked on without the use of "crawling boards" to spread the load.

Falling Objects

Every year more than 100 deaths are caused in factories by falling objects, and 12% of all the factory accidents are due to this cause.

Most of these accidents are caused by the fall of small, light objects. Bins, racks and containers should, therefore, be provided to encourage tidiness, and railing to upper floors, gangways, etc., above ground level should have toe-boards to prevent tools, nuts and bolts, etc., being kicked over the edge.

Transport Risks

Only 1·5% of industrial accidents are caused by transport, although the percentage is higher in some industries than others. The general layout and site planning of a factory can do a great deal to prevent these. Well-planned, unobstructed roads, adequate footways, roads clear of obstacles, such as, drums and carboys, will all help to reduce the number of these accidents.

The final responsibility, however, rests with individual employees, who must be persuaded by every means possible to exercise as much care when travelling around a factory either by foot or by mechanical means as they would in a busy thoroughfare.

Fires

It has been estimated that in peacetime more than £10,000,000 worth of property is destroyed annually by fire in Great Britain. It is desirable that the main causes of fire should be listed so that the obvious dangers will be appreciated and precautions taken when new buildings are planned, or existing buildings altered or adapted for industrial purposes. The following points are of particular importance in chemical and allied factories :—

SOURCE OF DANGER	CAUSE OF FIRE
1. Electrical installations	Defective or inefficient electrical systems
2. Inflammable liquids or gases	Lack of precautions against accidental ignition
3. Spontaneous combustion	Inflammable materials left or stored near sources of heat, etc.
4. Dust explosions	Insufficient ventilation and lack of cleanliness resulting in accumulation of dust
5. Miscellaneous hazards	Smoking in unauthorised places ; Contact of water with such substances, as, sodium and potassium, etc.

Machinery Risks

About 17% of all industrial accidents are caused by motors engines and tool machines and other mechanical devices. Accidents from mechinery usually produce severe injuries and the permanent disability rate is very high, although no figures are available. Prevention of machinery accidents is largely a technical and managerial matter, but there are hazards to which the design of factory buildings contributes, including :—

1. Slippery or uneven floors liable to cause falls on to moving machinery ;
2. Untidiness resulting from insufficient storage space for tools, etc. ;
3. Insufficient light or glare causing unsafe conditions for the operation of machines.

Service Pipe Lines

In chemical and allied factories serious accidents have occurred when an operative has connected a vessel or piece of plant to the wrong service line—for example, to a gas line in mistake for a compressed air line. While most supply

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HOW TO ORGANIZE EFFICIENT FIRST-AID SERVICE

WHEREVER men and women work there should be adequate provisions for first-aid treatment of injuries and acute illness. The scope of such provisions will, of course, vary with the size of the establishment and the nature of the hazards. In the larger plants, the facilities may rival those found in modern hospitals, with elaborate equipment for various therapies and a comprehensive programme of health service.

In most plants, however, first-aid means just what the term implies. The first-aid attendant, if a layman or a registered nurse, takes care of those cases which are obviously minor in nature, and calling on professional practitioners for the more serious ones.

Satisfactory first-aid service requires :

1. Competent attendants.
2. Adequate quarters and equipment.
3. Proper organization and systematic records.

Personnel

Minimum standards for satisfactory service call for the employment of a full-time trained nurse. In many of the smaller plants, however, this is obviously impractical. The next best method is to select at least two responsible employees, who have completed a standard course of first aid. These attendants will handle the work under the general supervision of a nurse or a doctor.

Attendants should be allowed sufficient time from other duties to keep the first-aid room in order, check supplies, and keep the necessary records. One of them should be available during all working hours.

First-Aid Kits

In its simplest form, first-aid service consists merely of a kit located in some convenient spot. Such an arrangement is permissible only when nothing better is practicable.

With a competent and conscientious person in charge, even simple facilities can be extremely valuable to the plant. Too often, however, the kit is quite useless. Employees help themselves and frequently contaminate absorbent cotton and bandages which they do not use. Labels sometimes fall off and are not replaced. The first-aid cabinet may become a catch-all for nostrums and cosmetics.

Keeping the kit locked is not the solution. In an emergency the person with the key may be hard to find. The best plan is to have at least one trained and responsible person on hand on each shift to supervise the kit and its use.

Location

The first-aid kit should be readily accessible to the working zone, particularly where unusual hazards may be found. In some plants more than one kit may be desirable. In general, the following are essential :

1. Proximity to operating zone.
2. Toilet facilities.
3. A lavatory with hot and cold running water.
4. Convenience for supervision and care.
5. Reasonable privacy and quiet for the patient.

It may not be possible to find a location with all these requirements but the best compromise should be made.

Contents of Kit

Any list of first-aid supplies should be regarded purely as a suggestion. The contents of a kit will necessarily vary with the industry and the hazards involved. In general, the set-up should be kept as simple as possible, particularly when the supplies are to be used by laymen.

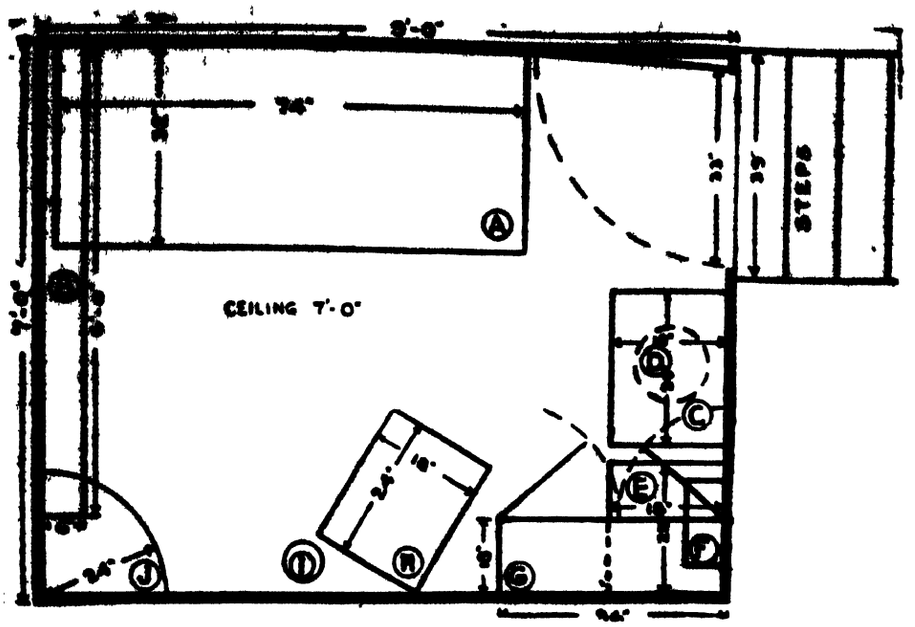
The following supplies are basic essentials for first-aid treatment :

1. Tourniquet.
2. Scissors.
3. Teaspoon.
4. Medicine droppers.
5. Eye cup.
6. Safety pins—assorted sizes.
7. Paper drinking cups.
8. Small covered dispenser for absorbent cotton.
9. Package of applicators.
10. Roll of 1-inch adhesive tape.
11. Gauze bandages preferably in individual dressings.
12. Aspirin or other analgesic.
13. Dressings for burns. (Better consult local physician.)
14. First-aid antiseptic.
15. White wine vinegar.
16. Boric acid—4 per cent aqueous solution.
17. Aromatic spirits of ammonia.
18. Bicarbonate of soda.
19. White petroleum jelly.
20. Finger compresses.

A reserve stock of supplies should always be kept on hand in the office for replenishing the kit.

Keeping a first-aid kit clean under the conditions of use found in many plants, is a difficult job. When dressings are purchased in large packages, unused protions are likely to be returned to the kit after being handled. To avoid this hazard, unit dressings are recommended. Each dressing is fresh and uncontaminated when its sterile wrapping is opened and there is less likely to be waste of supplies.

A few simple items of equipment should be near the first-



SUGGESTED LAYOUT FOR SMALL FIRST-AID ROOM

A. Hospital cot.
B. Stretcher—hung on wall brackets 6 feet above floor.
C. Writting table—folds up to wall.
D. Stool.
E. Porcelain top table.
F. Sterilizer—mounted on wall.
G. Medicine cabinet—4 ft. 7 in from floor.
H. Headrest chair with folding armrest.
I. Gooseneck lamp stand
J. Corner lavatory.

aid kit. These should be available in most plants :

1. A small desk or table on which records and reports are filled out.
2. A chair or stool.
3. A small filing case for records.
4. A basin with running hot and cold water.
5. Liquid soap in a dispenser
6. Paper towels.
7. Waste can with cover
8. A bulletin board

The bulletin board should carry the following information:

1. Name and telephone of doctor or nurse on call.
2. Telephone numbers of other physicians to be called if regular doctor cannot be reached.
3. Name and telephone number of the nearest hospital.
4. Name of worker in plant responsible for first-aid and name of his assistant.
5. State legal requirements regarding first-aid.

Appropriate posters may be used effectively at this location. These should deal with the importance of prompt treatment for injuries, the need for cleanliness in giving treatment, cleanliness of the first-aid kit, and similar information.

A first aid manual should be kept on hand. Every doctor has a medical library and it is [illegible] practicable to [illegible] room [illegible] and a treatment [illegible] from time to time and check procedure when ifi doubt.

First-Aid Room

Whenever possible, a separate room should be provided—preferably with a nurse-in-charge. If this is out of the question, qualified employees may be assigned.

With a first-aid room, the eqipment and stock of supplies may be somewhat more complete than those previously listed. A cot and stetecher may be added and the medicine chest enlarged.

Quarters for the modest first-aid facilities would include :

1. Good, lighting (daylight if possible).
2. Adequate ventilation and heating.
3. Basin with running hot and cold water.
4. Quiet location.
5. Walls and ceiling painted with light washable paint. (Eggshell enamel in white or light tint is satisfactory).
6. Floors of durable and easily cleaned material.
7. Immaculate cleanliness of walls, ceilings and floors.
8. Toilet facilities.
9. Reasonable privacy for the patient.

room, a screen can often be used.

The accompanying sketch shows how first-aid facilities can be arranged in a room 7 by 9 feet, which is the minimum size for practical use.

Equipment

The following list is suggested for basic equipment and supplies in a plant dispensary with a registered nurse-in-charge under the supervision of a part-time physician. If minor surgery, or any treatment beyond the routine first-aid is contemplated, the physician-in-charge will, of course, select the eqipment :

1. Two white enamel chairs and a bench.
2. Enamel-top table or desk
3. Stool.
4. One or more beds or cots.
5. Stretcher.
6. Linen and blankets.
7. Liquid soap and dispenser. (preferably tincture of green soap.)
8. Sanitary can with cover
9. File for medical records
10. Floor lamp.
11. Telephone.
12. Small sterilizer.
13. Treatment table or instrument cabinet.
14. Medicine chest.
15. Small office and surgical equipment, such as, basins, pitcher, rubber gloves (sterile), scissors, tweezers, forceps, hot water bottle, ice bag, etc.

For special conditions found in some plants special eqipment may be essential. Where asphyxiant gases are likely to be encountered, there should be an inhalator with a cylinder of 7 per cent carbon dioxide and 93 per cent oxygen. The inhalator is used in connection with the Schaefer prone pressure method of resuscitation in cases of gas asphyxiation. It is not a mechanical resuscitator.

A supply of medical records should be kept on hand for recording accidents and treatments, and the entries should be made immediately. Special forms as required by the State compensation laws should also be kept on hand.

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Isolated Groups

Where men must work in locations at some distance from medical service, the problem of first-aid is more difficult, and more important. Miners, oil-field workers, construction gangs, lumbermen, truck drivers, and train and boat crews come under this classification. As many of these men as possible should be trained in first-aid and the kits chosen with regard to the hazards encountered.

First-aiders frequently must show considerable ingenuity in improvising splints, bandages and stretchers in emergencies, but it is always better to provide approved eqipment and supplies. Many of the injuries suffered in remote locations are serious and the patients must sometimes be moved long distances to medical aid. Skill in splinting fractures, stopping bleeding and treating shock may prevent extended disability or even save a life.

In snake-infested country it is advisable to include snake-bite kits in the first-aid equipment.

Emergency Kits

An emergency kit to be carried on a car or truck or on the person, where the situation may require it, should contain such articles as the following :

1. Tournipuet.
2. Two 1-inch and two 2-inch roller bandages.
3. Sterile compress bandages in individual pakages.
4. One triangular bandage.
5. Sterile gause in individual dressings.
6. Safety pins.
7. Aromatic spirits of ammonia—3 ampules.
8. Dressing material for burns.

If the kit is not an individual one to be carried on the person, splints should be added.

Transporting the Injured

Many a life has been endangered and many an injury aggravated because well-meaning but untrained person bundled an accident victim into a car and rushed him to a hospital. The trained fist-aider, on the other hand, makes sure that fractures are properly splinted before he attempts to transport the patient to medical aid.

Although a stretcher may be improvised in an emergency, it is advisable to have a well-constructed stretcher available. The army-type stretcher is easy to manipulate and can be used as a temporay cot at the scene of the accident, during transit in a truck or other vehicle, and at the first-aid room or hospital.

Stretchers should be kept in accessible places at all points where hazards are serious. They may be kept clean by storing them in cabinets made for the purpose. Blankets and splints should also be kept in the stretcher cabinets.

Dispensary Records

Accurate records should be kept of all treatments given by the fist-aid attendants. If but few injuries are received in the plant, a small day book may be all that is necessary, provided it is kept systematically. However, care should be taken to see that the entries give adequate information such as :

1. Date and time of injury.
2. Date and time when injury was reported for treatment.
3. Name of the injured.
4. Address of the injured.
5. Where and how injury was received.
6. Names of withnesses, addresses and telephone numbers.
7. Nature of injury.
8. Kind of treatment given and by whom.
9. Whether employee returned to work immediately after treatment; if not, when.

Occupational Hygiene

From the beginning of organized accident prevention work in industry, the physician and the safety director have worked together for the protection of the worker against the risks of injury and occupational diseases.

The modern concept of industrial medicine is "adequate care of the health of the worker." To some employers that means merely complying with the minimum requirements of the state laws. At the other extreme it may include complete medical and hospital care for the worker; sometimes his family as well.

Just how far industrial medical service should go is, of course, a matter for each company to decide, with due regard to economics, local medical and hospital services, relations with labour, and other considerations.

The chemical age, complicated by many wartime operations, has brought new health problems to industry. In addition, the growing tendency to increase the list of compensable diseases has stimulated activity in the field of industrial hygiene.

Industrial Medicine

The funtions of industrial medicine have become more and more preventive. Pre-employment examination of employees and periodic check-ups, particularly of workers in processes where health hazards, are known or suspected are important in the health programme. Control of ventilation, illumination and plant sanitation has brought closer working relationships with safety engineers, chemists and laboratory technicians.

The basic objectives of industrial medicine have been expressed by the American College of Surgeons and the American Medical Association as follows :

1. To ascertain, by examination, the physical and mental fitness of the employees for work.
2. To maintain and improve the health and efficiency of those already employed.
3. To educate the worker in accident prevention and personal hygiene.
4. To reduce lost time and absenteeism from illness or injury.

An adequate industrial medical service requires a definitely organized plan, thoroughly understood and supported by management.

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HOME accidents and Domestic Safety mean a study of the nature of accidents in the home and in our every-day life, and a study of the causes of such accidents and their prevention. As a matter of fact, "Safety First" has a close bearing on our common sense, and unless we have eyes to see things in their true perspective, "Safety First" will mean practically nothing to us. The trouble with most of us is that we carry on an existence but seldom care to live a decent, alert and really useful life and we take only that much of care and interest in ourselves as our impulses dictate us to do—without being methodical in our training and thorough in our achievements.

A HAPPY HOME

It is strange that human beings should be, in some respects, as callous as some of the beasts and animals of a lower order, who do not bother much about any Safety principle in their lives and run headlong into habits and practices that are detrimental to their well-being in every possible way. We build up a home, but seldom care to make it beautiful with proper education, discipline and taste at each step of our activities, and what adds more poignancy to the tragedy is that we do not even know that living decently or making a happy home is a great art, and quite a large number of people fail to appreciate the charms that a well-planned and well-conceived home-life affords in the midst of our otherwise unavoidable sorrows and earthly miseries.

The aim of this contribution is, in fact, to rouse a Safety consciousness in its readers, and through them in others, who seek to become good and efficient citizens and to give them just an outline of the causes and nature of some of the preventible accidents with their implications in every home, and also some figures that clearly indicate our duties in this line of work for their prevention through proper education and efforts.

BRITAIN AND U.S.A.

Few, as a matter of fact, are aware that in Great Britain alone, over 8,000 fatalities are caused annually in the home and in everyday pursuit, and about 2,000 of these occur to children. In an analysis of injuries in wartime England from 1939 to 1943, we find that while the rates of accidental deaths in the home at ages over 45 showed a decline, the death rates increased among children and young adults. The accidental death rates among men and women at ages over 45 declined by 20—30% but they increased among young children by 5%, among school-going children by 28%.

From the studies and investigations that have been made in the United States of America it has come to light that home accidents take a heavy toll of human lives and are responsible for various types of bodily injuries. In that country home accidents come next to the street accidents. In this connection various studies have been made as to the type of accidents, the ages of those victimized by such accidents, the locations of the accidents and the objects involved. Of all types of home accidents only falls from a high place account for 63 per cent and burns for 8 per cent. 18·9 per cent of the accidents occurred in the yard; 17·9% in the kitchen; 12·9% outside stairs, while 85% in the bed-rooms.

SEASONAL ACCIDENTS

It is interesting to note that some accidents have a seasonal trend, and deaths in different seasons have shown different tendencies of their own. Deaths from burns have been found to be most frequent in winter, while drownings peak in July. Deaths due to careless use or handling of fire-arms are most frequent in November. In vacation months deaths of persons from 5 to 24 years of age are at their highest. In winter, deaths are above average for other ages.

HOME ACCIDENTS

The causes of home accidents have been divided into two groups: mechanical causes and personal causes. In mechanical causes, articles, kept in a disorderly manner in the bed-rooms and elsewhere, have been responsible in the U. S. A. for 18% of total deaths, while improper equipment for 10%.

A distinction has been made between 'improper equipment' and 'improper use of equipment.' While 'improper equipment' means some arrangements which are in themselves defective, 'improper use of equip-

ment' indicates that although there were no defects in the things themselves, they were handled or used in such a careless or ignorant manner as to cause an accident, involving an injury, major or minor. This improper use of equipment has caused 10% of the total accidents in the U. S. A. The collapse of a house, which needed repair but was unheeded to, has been responsible for 8% accidents. Ice on walk is responsible for 4%. Lack of light, or proper illumination has brought about 4% accidents, and 10% of the accidents are invited by other mechanical causes.

PERSONAL CAUSES

As regards the personal causes, poor judgment has been found in the U. S. A. to play a very important part in causing various accidents at home, and it accounts for 24% of the total accidents. Accidents among children for which the fault lies with the adults of the house constitute 10%. Physical weakness is responsible for 8% of the total accidents. Moving in a hurry has been responsible for 6%, and intoxication for 5%. Physical handicaps on account of blindness or a broken limb have formed 3% of the total accidents, while 12% are for various other personal factors involved.

SITUATION IN INDIA

The seriousness of the situation can be realized from the fact that in 1942 as many as 30,000 people were killed in home accidents in the United States of America alone. It is interesting to note that 47% of the accidents, which children are subject to, take place while they are at home, and that 39% of the total home accidents occured in the bed-rooms. No reliable records of accidental deaths are now available in India and no systematic study in an extensive manner has been made in this country in that direction. But from a general study it has been disclosed that in India about 23,000 accidents are from 'falls' in the home and 20 is the disquieting figure in the Bombay City alone of women who are killed every year because they do not know how to handle a stove properly.

FACTS ABOUT ENGLAND

A general analysis of accidental deaths in the homes of England reveals that poisoning by coal gas or carbon monoxide, accidental swallowing of poison or foreign body, conflagration, burns by clothing from domestic fire or by falling into fire, burns by clothing from stoves, candles, paraffin, etc., scalds



and burns from other causes (age group 0—5 yrs.), suffocation by food or rubber teat (a large percentage in 0—5 years age group), falls downstairs (older age group predominating), falls from ladder or window, falls indoors or from bed or pram (older age groups predominating), electric currents (children and adolescents predominating), and explosions (predominantly in young and middle-aged people) etc., are the salient features in home accidents.

SAFETY RULES

A knowledge of first-aid in certain emergencies, such as, shock, burns and scalds, cuts and abrasions, entries of foreign bodies in the ear, eye or nose, etc., cannot be over emphasized in the matters of home-safety. Infectious diseases, like Malaria, Small-pox, Tuberculosis, Cholera, Typhoid, Dysentery, Syphilis and Plague take a heavy toll of lives every year in India ; so, the observation of certain Safety Rules for the prevention of these diseases by drinking only filtered or boiled water ; avoiding stale, cold, adulterated, rotten food ; keeping food-stuff well-protected from flies and dirt ; avoiding crowded places when Colds, Cough, and Influenza are prevalent in the town ; sleeping inside a mosquito-net ; keeping from promiscuous sexual intercourse and by getting vaccinated or inoculated during epidemics—is essential in the home.

The care of the baby also requires a special training on the part of its mother and a safety-minded mother cannot but have a thorough knowledge in the fundamental principles of taking care of a baby in an efficient manner at each stage of its growth and at each stage of its movements.

IN THE HOME

I have, perhaps, harped upon certain points that my readers already know. But do they ever think seriously about these problems and the methods of their rectification which are more often than not a matter of common sense—and sincerely act upon them, and also help or teach others to do them ? No. And that is the reason why Rt. Hon. Lord Moynihan regrets : "The magnificent work done by our hospitals is universally admired and the serious financial position in which so many of them find themselves must be just as widely deplored. The situation is greatly complicated by the burden placed on hospital resources, human as well as monetary, by the great volume of accidents, which extra care could prevent.

Generally, it is thought that traffic mishaps alone create this burden, but in reality they take second place to those accidents which occur in the home, and arise from every-day causes."

SOME LITTLE DUTIES

As a matter of fact, that a stove should be kept on a raised platform so that the cooking lady's 'saree' does not catch fire ; a banana-skin should not be thrown on staircases so that there is no occasion for anybody's slipping on it ; the temperature of a baby's bath should at first be tested by the elbow so as not to burn the tender skin of the baby ; needles and pins should not be scattered here and there so as not to allow anyone getting pricked by them ; the children should not be allowed to play with a knife in order to save them from a nasty cut ; care should be taken of the eyes while whitewashing or brushing the walls ; timely removal should be made of the pieces of a broken glass that may have been left on the floor ; suitable precautions must be taken when coming in contact with any kind of gas or electrical arrangement in the house for any season whatsoever ; necessary attention should be paid to health whenever there is an 'out-of-sorts' feeling ; or, that thousand and one other things of a similar nature should be done for the home-safety, etc.,—are not things to be learnt by university degrees or by some special strains or efforts.

SUCCESSFUL CAREER

A moderate intelligence, a little ability in observation, and just a little progressive outlook with some Safety sense—are all that is needed. And to develop all these in the children is the bounden duty of all the parents as well as the teachers, since, as my readers know, childhood is the man's most impressionable age, and any Safety education now will slowly pave the way of his training for an efficient civic life in the future and also protect him from many unnecessary and avoidable hazards on his way in the midst of a successful career at home or in society.





Safety Education For School Children

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WE, at the present age, live in a world of speed—speed on the road, at the office, factory or workshop, even at home. This has brought about an enormous rise in the number of accidents of every kind. Unless we train ourselves to suit these changed conditions, such accidents would only go on increasing in number and frequency. An analysis of the causes of accidents shows that they are in most cases due to "the partial or complete failure of the human element invloved". A system of Safety education, thus, would lead to the saving of countless precious human lives every year. In America alone, it is claimed that Safety training in the course of 30 years has saved 30,000 lives. Safety sense is very little developed in our countrymen, and the number of deaths owing to accidents is appalling. It is very difficult to obtain reliable accident figures, but it is estimated that accidents of some sort or other take the life of one man per thousand. It is particularly desirable, therefore, that training in Safety habits should form an integral part of the mental equipment of our countrymen to-day.

STREET ACCIDENTS

Let us take the case of street accidents alone, for instance. The speed and amount of traffic have increased many times in course of the last few decades. There has been no adequate rebuilding of roads, and those which were originally meant for a traffic of 10 to 15 miles per hour are often made to meet the demands of motor vehicles moving at more than thrice that speed. In India, every motor vehicle kills more men on an average than in any other country in the world. In Calcutta, the official figure for road accidents during a recent year was 5708 of which 256 proved fatal, and since many accidents are not properly reported and recorded it would not be surprising if the actual number was still higher. In view of the alarming destruction of lives that is caused through street accidents, I should like to confine my remarks to Safety training on the road alone, and discuss how road Safety habits, scrupulously learnt and developed during the formative years of childhood, can reduce this huge slaughter.

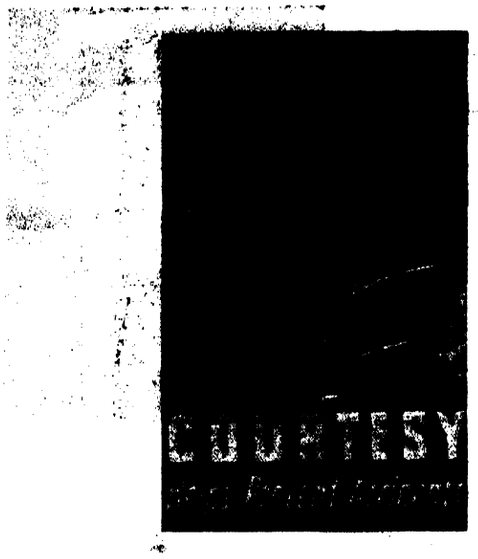


Children pick up habits much more easily and quickly than their elders. Therefore, Safety training can be imparted very effectively during the years at school. The benefit of Safety habits does not lie in the mere understanding but in the constant practice of them, in making them a part of one's nature. Learnt and practised at school, they would be so strongly impressed on a person's mind that the knowledge and practice thereof would become one and the same. And, as the children of to-day are the citizens of tomorrow, within a few years' time such training would spread far and wide among the people.

PROPER USE OF ROADS

Children are not expected to know of themselves the proper use of roads and foot-paths, when very often this knowledge is not possessed even by grown-up persons. It has been revealed through careful investigations that in most cases it is the pedestrian, who is responsible for the street-accident. In the fast and thick traffic of a big city, the pedestrian often finds himself compelled to take a certain amount of risk in crossing a crowded thoroughfare, for a chance to cross in absolute Safety comes only after a long and tedious interval of waiting. A great deal can be done to reduce the number of accidents on the road by training children in the careful and proper use of roads.

Very valuable work in the sphere of Safety education for school-children has been done by the Safety First Association of India. This Association, with its branches in several provinces, carries on extensive propaganda for training and developing the road sense of the public. For



schools, in particular, it has made an elaborate programme for Safety education, through its Traffic Games lessons, School Patrol and other arrangements. Some of its activities and suggestions are mentioned below, and they deserve the careful attention of all teachers and parents as well as everyone interested in the education and welfare of children. The Bengal Branch of the Association has prepared a curriculum of Safety education for the Primary Schools under the Corporation of Calcutta as well as for the High Schools. If implemented, it will no doubt supply a very vital need in the present educational system.

SAFETY RULES

As an essential part of the Safety instruction of children, they should be taught the rules of the road, so that they may form habits of walking in conformity with them. The risk to which the pedestrian in a busy city is exposed to-day, as compared with the condition prevailing forty or fifty years ago, arises chiefly from the fact, mentioned already, that vehicular traffic has increased bewilderingly both in extent and in speed of movement. A motor vehicle moves much faster than other street-locomotives, and if a pedestrian is to walk in a city with a considerable amount of motor traffic with the same measure of safety as in the past, it is necessary that new walking habits must be formed. As the law stands, drivers of vehicles have to learn and obey the rules of the road. Their failure to do so would be a legal offence. But the movements of pedestrians are not restricted in any way. Thus, it happens quite frequently that the movements of the fast-moving vehicles and pedestrians are in conflict due to the latter's ignorance or disregard of the road rules, and accidents follow in consequence. It is vital, therefore, that children should acquire a knowledge of these rules at school, and they should be so drilled in the children that their observance becomes automatic.

One of the most important things to be remembered while walking in a busy street is the proper use of the foot-path. This should be given a foremost place in a course of Safety teaching for school-children. Failure to use a foot-path, through carelessness or indifference, has been responsible for many a street-accident. Wherever there are wide and well-marked foot-paths, the pedestrian should always keep to them, except, of course, at the time of crossing the road.

CROSSING THE STREET

Safety instruction in schools must essentially include a thorough training and practice in crossing the street. It is one of the hardest and most risky parts of walking in a large city. How completely bewildered a person becomes, how frequently on the verge of losing his head, when held up by an endless stream of rapidly moving cars, he finds that there is no possible way of reaching his destination in time except by dashing madly through the traffic! Most accidents in busy streets are caused by pedestrians, who take undue risks in crossing. It is essential to wait until the road is sufficiently clear of traffic for a person to cross without hurry, with a cool head and with eyes and ears alert, first looking to the right, and when the middle of the road is reached, then looking to the left. Some streets have traffic islands which provide safety to the pedestrian in the middle of the road, and these should be utilized whenever necessary. Similarly, Safety-crossing zones, wherever they exist in busy streets, must be used even if one has to walk a few paces more for the purpose. Crossing streets diagonally is a very risky action, and should be avoided. Traffic police signals and coloured light signals are meant for both pedestrians and vehicles; their significance should be learnt and they should be obeyed. Children should be taught with the utmost care and patience never to cross busy streets except under the conditions of full safety. Safe crossing often involves a delay, but children should be made to understand from the very start that it is far more preferable to be a little late than to take serious risk to one's life. Frequently, when we investigate the case of the unfortunate pedestrian who falls a victim to an accident in rashly attempting to cross a road, we find that there was no question of his reaching the destination late, nor his aversion to indefinite waiting was really at the root of the accident. But even if there is a real chance of being late, one must submit to it, for it is much better to be late in this world than to be early in the next. This lesson cannot be impressed too strongly in the minds of children in course of their safety training. They should be taught to form the habit of thinking beforehand, and allowing for some extra time in crossing streets if the journey takes them through busy thoroughfares. Such a habit would not only save many a delay in life, but

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would rule out grave risks to which they would expose themselves through fear of such delays. As most children come to school on foot, there is very good opportunity of forming this habit in their journey to school everyday.

OTHER SAFETY HABITS

Another important safety habit, which must be inculcated in children, is to keep streets clean. Fruit-skins and other rubbish carelessly scattered about on roads and foot-paths are often the cause of serious injuries. Children should also be taught the proper rules for the use of vehicles. They should never board or alight from tram-cars or buses when they are in motion. Often people take quite unnecessary risks by jumping on or off the running vehicles just for the sake of showing off, when the slightest slip or error in judgment might lead to an accident. Children should be made to form the habit of waiting until the vehicle stops, and then to mount or dismount facing the direction of the vehicle.

A very common habit among children is playing in the streets. It is extremely dangerous and should be discouraged. For, even in the streets where traffic is not heavy and in spite of their utmost carefulness, children, through the excitement of the game, often fail to see or hear approaching vehicles in time, for which they have to pay a heavy penalty. Besides, playing in the streets causes much inconvenience to other users of the road; it is against the Rules of Courtesy of the Road, which children should be taught to observe. Very often we find, in a game, played in or near a street, a group of chidren rush headlong in the path of traffic, chasing a ball, which results in an accident. The precaution to be taken in such a situation must be no less than that while crossing a street. When the road is clear, only one child should go and fetch the ball, without excitement and with a careful look-out for approaching vehicles.

LEARNING THROUGH GAMES

As children learn easily and effectively through games and dramatic representations, the bulk of their Safety education can be carried on through specially devised games. The Safety First Association of India has invented a series of interesting Traffic Games for school-children, a few of which are briefly described here. In these games, usually one child stands for a pedestrian, two children for a motor car, and the other vehicles on the road are represented by a varying number of children. In order to make the game more dramatic, appropriate paper hats and decorations may be used. In a game for crossing the road, a straight highway, with a cross-road, is chalked out. The provision of foot-paths may also be made at the option of the players. The pedestrians walk along the foot-path, if there is one, or along the edge of the road. They cross at intersections in accordance with the rules which they have learnt. Dramatic demonstrations may be held to illustrate the significance of various situations, such as, the danger of running across the road or crossing diagonally, the importance of standing still at an emergency, and so on. In another game, with similar arrangements, traffic police are stationed at crossings. Pedestrians cross the road in obedience to these signals. The advantage of paying regard to the signals when crossing and the dangers arising from a violation of them may be demonstrated with the help of appropriate dramatic situations. There are many other such games; they can be varied according to circumstances, and also new ones may be invented. Excellent instruction in the essentials of road-safety, such as, the right use of the foot-path, proper method of mounting and dismounting vehicles, duty to other users of the road, can be given through them.

THE SCHOOL PATROL

Another very useful Safety-first activity for the school is the School Patrol. It is selected from active volunteers from the higher standards, and its function is to direct and control students in properly approaching and leaving school, and in crossing the dangerous streets near by. The members, who are in charge of a captain, are given careful instruction and supervision in their work.

They take their position 10 or 15 minutes before the school begins. At the time of dismissal, they leave their classes a few minutes before and remain on duty while the children are leaving. The Patrol member stands on the side of the road and controls the movements of the children. He holds them back by extending his arm, and when he sees a gap in the traffic, he motions them to cross in a group, and at the same time raises his hand in the direction of the approaching traffic to invite its courtesy and co-operation in enabling children to pass safely across the street. The School Patrol was first started in Chicago in 1921, and by virtue of its utility, it has now been introduced in 1,800 cities and towns of the U. S. A.

A TRAINING FOR CITIZENSHIP

Safety education trains children in the prevention of accidents to themselves and others, which is a very important and worthy end in itself. But it has an even wider significance and value. It is indeed the adjustment of the child to his external surroundings. To walk safely on the streets, he must be alert of mind and body. He must acquire a knowledge of the Rules of the Road, and have an idea of traffic control and movement. He must learn to recognize the right of others in the use of the road and to help them when necessary. Such education thus becomes a solid foundation of character and a vital part of the training for citizenship.

TRAINING IN CITIZENSHIP

IN RELATION TO USE OF ROADS

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PREPARATION : Teacher asks the children to mention some method of travel by land and discusses the need for good roads since the growth of motor transport.

AIM OF THE LESSON : The students learn the history of road-making up to the building of the modern highways. They also learn what it costs to build and maintain good roads. Finally, they shall discuss a few Safety Rules to be observed when using the road.

PROGRESS IN THE BUILDING OF ROADS

PRESENTATION : Teacher tells the children that it is probable that the first "roads" used by man was not made by man but were pathways cut through bushes and shrubbery by animals in their daily search for food and drink. Travel in early days was hardly necessary as most families grew their own food and made their own clothes and other articles of necessity.

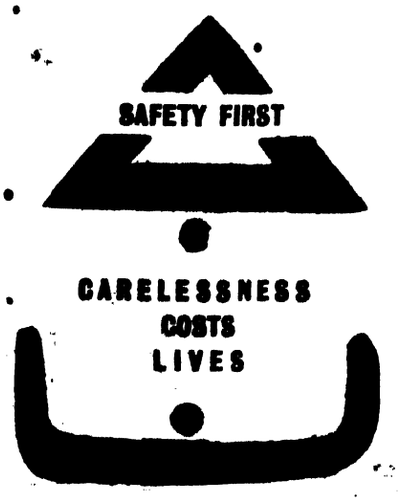
With the spread of civilization there was wider communication between countries and nations. This resulted in the building of Trunk Roads, and later, of Railroads and the development of Transport by Sea. For many years, however, wider and longer roads were the only concern of road engineers ; it was not until the advent of the automobile and the introduction of speed into road transport that the question of good road surfaces was given proper consideration.

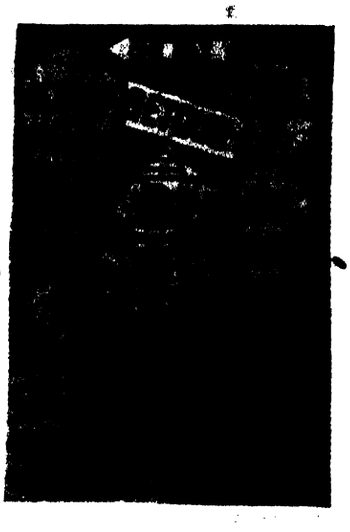
TYPES OF ROADS AND THEIR USES

Teacher, then, explains to the children that there are many types of road surfaces, each of which has its own advantages. The cart tracks and dust-laden roads, which can still be seen in the suburbs, are out of date in the city. The different types of road surfaces are generally :—

Sheet Asphalt, Bituminous Concrete, Cement Concrete, Bituminous Macadam, Surface Dressings, Stone Sett Pavement, Water-bound Macadam.







The width of a road to be constructed is determined chiefly by the use to which it will be put. The three classes of roads, according to their different uses are :—

1. COUNTRY ROADS : passing through Suburban areas ; 2. RESIDENTIAL ROADS ; 3. THROUGH ROADS : which by-pass the congested portions of the City and are meant for fast traffic.

Teacher asks the children to mention the various types of vehicles which use the road, and explains why City Roads are generally built with five traffic lanes. The centre lane carries tram lines on a width of about 18 feet. On either side of the tram tracks is the traffic lane for cycles, carriages, motor cars, buses, etc. These lanes vary in width from 10 to 40 feet depending on the volume and types of traffic in the locality. The outside lanes are for pedestrian use and are called footpaths. Their width varies from 6 to 10 feet. The border separating the footpath from the roadway is called the kerb. American writers spell it "curb."

The centre and two inner lanes are all on the same level to allow vehicles to overtake one another ; the footpath is 4 to 6 inches higher than the roadway to prevent vehicles from using them and endangering the lives of pedestrians.

HOW ROADS ARE MADE SELF-DRAINING

Teacher asks the children what happens to the rain water which falls on the road and explains how roads are made self-draining. To do this, the road surface is sloped in the transverse direction. This slope is called the chamber of the road ; the longitudinal slope is known as the gradient. Water running along these slopes is accumulated in chambers built every 100 feet, or so, on both sides of a road. They are built of brick and provided with open cast iron gratings. The chambers are connected

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with pipes to a drain underneath the surface. The rain water thus passes first to a chamber and then to the drain through pipes and finally to the place of disposal.

In small streets the rain water is allowed to run into open drains built by the sides of the roads. From there it runs to its point of discharge.

On Country Roads the water runs into ditches built by the side of the roads, or where the road is sufficiently high, into the surrounding fields.

ROAD FOUNDATION

A road surface is laid on a foundation, which may be of macadam or cement concrete. Its thickness varies from 6" to 12" according to traffic and the materia l used. Underneath the foundation lies the original soil of the road, levelled, shaped and rolled.

All over Europe, once the Roman highways ceased to be kept in good repair ; roads appear to have suffered from neglect and ignorance. The surfaces were deeply rutted with wheel tracks ; the softer parts were washed away by rain, leaving great potholes in the ground. The common method of repair was to fill up these holes and ruts with loose stones. These stones tended to be dislodged and dispersed under the weight of traffic, and they by no means hindered the accumulation of water. Two men finally demonstrated in England the principles upon which a road must be built for heavy traffic. Telford showed that the route must be carefully graded and aligned and a solid foundation built up with proper drainage ; Macadam showed how a top layer of broken stones of equal sizes would consolidate under the effect of traffic into a hard and water-proof crust.

ROADS HAVE A DOUBLE USE

Teacher tells the children that roads have a double use. Pedestrian and vehicular traffic move on the surface and water mains, gas pipes, electric cables, sewers and drain pipes can be found a few feet below. In the absence of roads, it would be very difficult to look after the various underground works.

When one walks along a city street he should make it a point to notice the number of iron boxes and pillars which are placed on the kerb, and find out their use. These are called road fixtures and include water hydrants, lamp posts, sign posts, electric standards, vent shafts, etc.

It is now easy to understand why enemy raiders by air drop high explosive bombs on important streets. They aim at causing damage to water mains and thus hindering the work of fire-fighters. If they succeed in bursting a gas pipe, huge fires may be started, and if they cut through an electric cable they will disorganize industrial production and cause inconvenience to the residents, shopkeepers, etc., by depriving them of electric supply.

SAFETY MEASURES BY TRAFFIC AUTHORITIES

Teacher asks the children to mention what measures the traffic authorities take to ensure the safety of pedestrians and explains the value of pedestrian crossings, and pedestrian guard rails. Crossings are usually marked in white lines at the throats of streets entering a junction. In some cities, underground passages are provided to enable pedestrians to move safely and continuously at important junctions.

Pedestrian guard-rails are erected at the edge of the footpath at street corners so as to prevent pedestrians from crossing diagonally and to direct pedestrian traffic towards the crossings, marked at the throats.

Traffic islands, or Safety islands as they are commonly called, are erected in the centre of the street, in between blocks, to prevent pedestrians becoming confused by heavy traffic on both sides of the street. By using a Safety island, a busy street can be crossed as if it were two one-way streets.

JUNCTION OF ROADS

Where two roads meet the traffic can be regulated by a Policeman but he cannot cope with the traffic at junctions of three or more roads. At such places the former practice was to provide a Policeman on each road, but this meant a great deal of coordination, also it required a number of Policemen. Present practice is to provide wide round-abouts which make sufficient space for turning in the direction of travel without interfering with traffic in other directions. At more congested places a whole block of buildings is set out as a round-about.

ROAD ADMINISTRATION

The construction of a City Road calls for great skill, provides work for many artisans and requires a variety of materials. The man, who constructs a road, is known as an Engineer; under him work a Surveyor to determine the alignment, a Draftsman to make the drawings and an Estimator to work out the cost of construction. The main artisans working under him are a mason, carpenter, smith, stone-breaker, roller-driver and other skilled workmen. The materials used in road construction are sand, stone, cement and Bitumen. The fixtures and appurtenance of a road require steel, copper and cast iron.

In cities, roads are controlled by Municipalities; outside cities they are controlled by the Public Works Department.

SOME IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT ROADS

ACTIVITIES AND ASSIGNMENTS —1. To mention different modern methods of travelling by land. What methods were used 100 years ago? To collect pictures and make models of these.

2. To mention five rules of the road for pedestrians and for motorists.

3. To give the origin of street names in a locality.

4. How school children may help to make the roads safe?

5. To explain what damage can be caused by a high explosive bomb dropping on an important City Road.

A NEW ERA IN ROAD-BUILDING

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Gravel roads are just what the name implies merely gravel spread over the roadway. These are very dusty in dry weather and the wheels scatter the gravel and form ruts in the road. Other types of road surfaces are cobblestones, bricks, planks, and crushed seashell and cinders.

The surface of a road has to be dustless, free from mud, smooth and lasting, otherwise traffic will not move quickly and also the health of persons using them will be affected. Hence, it is built with special materials like Cement and Bitumen.

Foot-paths are built of stone slabs, concrete blocks, or concrete cast at the side. A road is not complete without trees which provide shade and also improve the appearance of the road. However, they cannot be planted on narrow city roads as they obstruct street lighting and affect the ventilation and visibility of adjoining buildings. They are planted on wide city roads having wide foot-paths and on country roads. They are generally planted at intervals of about 60 feet.

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BABIES AND THEIR SAFETY

By

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INFANT mortality is usually a sensitive index of the economic and sanitary conditions of a country. That it is extraordinarily high in India is an indication not merely of the state of public health but of the vast source of misery and waste that pervades throughout.

The rate of infant mortality is, of course, related to various factors, such as, the age of the mother, her general health, adequate intervals between child-births and, last but not least, her habits. The prevention of death depends more upon diet and good habits than upon any other factors.

CHILD WELFARE

Maternity and Child Welfare work in India is in its initial stage and is chiefly confined to a few of the larger towns. Hence, no serious attempts have been made to estimate the actual extent of infant mortality here in India. In Calcutta alone the average death-rate is about 350 per thousand. This applies to children whose ages vary from one month to six years. In European countries, on the other hand, child mortality is even less than 40 per thousand. Of the figure mentioned above at least 50, if not 75, die from accidents, whereas in the countries of the West the death-rate on this count is even less than 1%. In spite of the fact that there are over 8½ million annual child-births in our country it is a matter of deep regret that such forms of social service have not as yet assumed the character of a serious national concern. Hence, though they are governed by philanthrophic ideals no appreciable movement has been made towards the reduction of the rate of infant mortality far less in the direction of imparting health education and a spirit of safety consciousness to all.

PROBLEM OF DIET

Regarding the problem of diet it is an admitted fact that the period of life during which adequate and scientific nutrition is particularly vital is the period immediately preceding and immediately after birth. It is at this time that the individual is being formed. The commonest effect of inadequate diet at this early stage is rickets, the cause of which, according to doctors, is lack of Vitamin D. A deficiency of this Vitamin is also said to be responsible for bad teeth.

Not only does defective diet in infancy lead to deficiency diseases, the effect of which endures throughout life, but also to diseases which may



prove immediately fatal or be so severe as to weaken and undermine the child's constitution. This lowered power of resistanc every often, if not always, paves the way to tuberculosis on a later date.

An infant's health is in large part dependent for its betterment upon its mother. Hence the supreme importance for expectant and nursing mothers of an adequate and scientific diet. The mother needs, besides her normal diet, an extra-supply of Vitamins, Calcium and Iron. This may be provided by a daily extra feed of one seer of milk, two ounces of orange juice and two ounces of fish. These should be supplemented by a liberal supply of Vitamin B in the shape of leafy and green vegetables. This diet should be strictly adhered to till the child is weaned.

TINNED FOODS

But when the mother's milk proves insufficient then the effects of incorrect and inefficient dieting becomes all the more pronounced. The injudicious use of tinned infant foods does incalculable injury. Most of these contain an excess of Carbohydrate and are deficient both in Proteins as well as Vitamins. Infantile liver complaints and in certain cases even rickets may be traced to the use of these foods. The chief reason is that these tinned stuffs though vacuumatically sealed become unusable after some time and thus do more harm than good. It has been noticed that though babies might grow temporarily fat on them and outwardly seem to thrive they do not come to possess the stamina of infants fed correctly. We should all, therefore, revert to goat's milk. This, diluted with a little water, equalizes with human milk, and yields far better nourishment than the canned article.

GOOD HABITS

So much for the preservation of the health of the mother and the child. But, as I have mentioned before, about 7% of infant mortality in this country is due to accidents. Nobody seems to concentrate on this

at all. This untimely removal of so many would-be citizens can safely be avoided if mothers are a bit careful. It is the desire of every mother to see her wards growing up into sturdy, healthy, happy and efficient citizens. She wants them to succeed in life. Since those, who succeed, are those who do everything well, the mother should teach her children to do everything properly from their very infancy. She has helped them to build their bodies and it is, therefore, her bounden duty to build their characters and teach them habits which will enable them to pull their weight in the great contests of life.

Habits are the result of repeated actions. A baby, like a grown up person, has a tendency to do again something that he has done before if he has found satisfaction in doing it the first time. When a child insists on doing something dangerous it is no use suggesting *Fear* by saying "Don't do it". The less orders are passed, the more will the child be saved from many dangers. The correct procedure in that case is to take him in hand and teach him with patience the manner to act propely, by explaining to him the reason why he should do otherwise and and not as he wants to do. Children are seen to form habits more easily if they know the reason. The 'Thinking' mother is thus a great asset to her children and in a way to the nation. She tells them *Why*; she shows them *How* and thus her children learn to *THINK FIRST* before they act—a sure road to success.

FOOD POISONING

The important habits that should be established in the first year of a baby's life have to do with eating, sleeping and elimination. Human milk is easily digested by babies. In case this is not available a physician should be consulted. The correct feeding during the first year of a child's life determines his after-health. The mother should be careful to keep all food covered, specially the sweet things and delicacies as they attract insects. She should also make it a point to boil milk as well as water before using them. If the doctor at all prescribes the use of tinned milk it is advisable to examine the tin before opening to see that there are no signs of bulging or tampering. The best method is to empty the contents on opening the lid and examining it carefully every time before allowing it to be used. Absence of such precautions might result in Ptomaine poisoning. The cooking vessels feeding bottles, etc., should also

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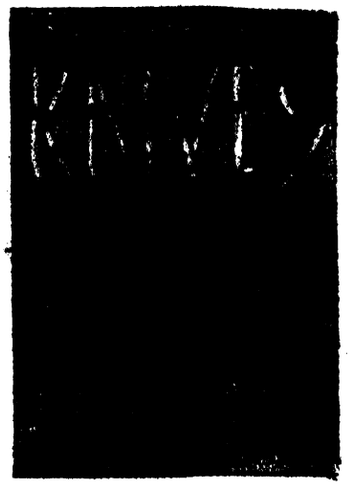
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SLEEPING CONDITIONS

As regards sleep the baby should have the best possible sleeping conditions. A separate cot, with plenty of turning over and kicking space; suitable, clean, sleeping clothes and planty of circulating air (for strengthening his lungs) are all that are necessary. To prevent overlaying it is wise to provide him with a separate unpainted cot. A separate place to sleep in lessens the baby's bed linen and thereby minimizes the risk of suffocation. A cot can be easily made out of a clothes busket or a superfluous drawer. The side of the piece of furniture next to the baby should be unpainted and unpolished, because licking the surface might derange his system. In case, however, a bed is



selected its vertical bars should be so spaced as to prevent the child from getting his head or foot fixed in between them.

A baby's coverings should be light, warm and of washable material to facilitate frequent changing. They should be fixed with tape so that the child cannot move them and so possibly smother himself. Down and feather pillows are dangerous as the infant might run the risk of being smothered. The bedding should be aired well every morning and never left out in the open on evenings as dew might fall on it quickly.

A CREEPING CHILD

As the baby gets a little older it is a wise precaution to fix a piece of tennis net or ordinary fishing net securely over the cot. This will eliminate the risk of his overbalancing himself. If circumstances permit he should be provided with a play-pen. This piece of furniture is not only useful in keeping a child out of harm's way but also in helping it to walk. A clean white cotton rug on the floor of the pen keeps the baby comfortable. Dyed wooly rugs should be avoided as the child may chew up the dye and wool. In case circumstances do not permit the use of such a play-pen, a corner of the room especially set apart

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will serve with equal purpose. But in this case the child must never be left unattended and the mother has to be extra-careful. A creeping child has a great fascination for small objects, such as, pins, razor-blades, buttons, phials, etc., and if they are placed in an easily accessible position he will pick them out and the result may be injurious, if not fatal. The mother should also be careful never to hold any small object in her mouth in the presence of her offspring and forbid other adults to do so. This setting of a good example would amply recompense her in the long run.

TOYS SELECTION

As regards the selection of toys the mother ought to exercise great discretion. Till the age of two a youngster should be given playthings of such a kind that can safely be put into the mouth. They should be washable and, therefore, *rubber* and *bone* toys are the only ones that could be safely recommended. Wooden toys are very dangerous as splinters thereon might hurt the eyes or the tongue. Toys for projecting missiles, such as, air-rifle, cap-pistols, bows and arrows, etc., etc., should only be allowed to be handled by a young boy of nine or ten summers. In younger hands they are known to have been the cause of the loss of many an eyesight. Domestic pets should be always kept removed from children because their bites or inadvertant scratches might be responsible for blood poisoning.

TO BE TIDY

Habits, as I have stated prevously, are best learnt during infancy. The mother's extra responsibility of inculcating good habits into her offspring starts as soon as the child begins to toddle. Children are grand imitators and, therefore, the first thing that the mother should do is *to be tidy herself*. "A place for everything and everything in its place"—should be her motto. The little darlings can then be trained not to leave playthings on stairs or walks or in any dark place. When they have finished playing, the toys can be shelved in inside a cupboard or a drawer. If they can put those in themselves well and good, otherwise the mother should teach them to do so and daily supervize their actions till it becomes a second nature to them. A guard rail at the top of the staircase also proves efficacious in as much as it prevents the child from playing on the stairs and in consequence from tumbling down.

A STEP FURTHER

After teaching them to be tidy the mother should move a step further. She can now explain to them the dangers an ordinary household has to cope with, such as, going near the fire, twiddling with electrical switches and other appliances, playing with easily inflammable or hot articles and so forth. In short, mother, instead of imprinting fear on their tiny hearts, should become their confidante and coax them to become her ardent disciples. This practical training will, indeed, be a great asset to them in after-life.

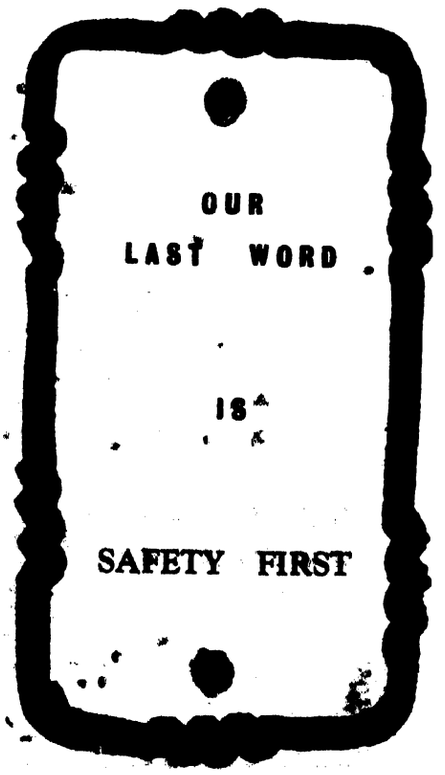
An overhanging tablecloth is another source of danger to an unattended child. Many fatal causes of scalds are known to have been caused by a child pulling over itself a teapot, cup of hot tea or even a shaving mug. Young children can stand much less heat than adults and they are, therefore, more likely than the grown up people to die from a shock. It is for this reason that the first thing that a doctor does, in case of an accident to a child, is to guard him against shock by keeping him warm and quiet.

USE OF TOOLS

Another item that deserves mention is that children as they grow up should be taught the proper use of tools in a graded and systematic way. For instance, the use of scissors might be taught by selecting a pair of blunt round ended ones at first. Here the male parent could be of some use (of course, if he so desires) as he could give facinating instruction by cutting up pictures from old books set apart for the purpose.

MOTHER'S CHARGE

The health, happiness and efficiency of the older child and of the adult depend largely upon the habits formed in early childhood. Hence, if the child is to have desirable habits of health and behaviour and grow into a healthy, happy and efficient adult, training must be given immediately after birth and regularly throughout infancy. As a rule children want to know why they are asked to do one thing and avoid another. They form habits more easily if they know the reason. Hence, mothers should explain to their fond charges the reason as to why they forbid them to act otherwise, and then make their orders clear and concise and exact implicit and strict obedience to them. Make few orders and your child will be saved from many dangers and will enjoy much freedom and happiness. As he grows older he will want to do more for himself, and if he is properly trained, he will be in a position to perform the acts of life in the safest way.



FOUR-DAY GENERAL STRIKE OF CORPORATION EMPLOYEES

ENDS ON TERMS AGREED TO BY ALL PARTIES

FOLLOWING the final settlement of the dispute between the Corporation of Calcutta and its 20,000 employees the four-day long strike was totally called off on Wednesday, the 28th November, when normal work of the civic administration, in all its departments was resumed.

"All's well that ends well, Calcutta's biggest Municipal strike is over without use of any violence or force and on terms agreed to by both parties," said the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, at a Special Meeting of the Corporation held on Wednesday, the 28th November, whereat the additional terms of settlement were ratified.

The Mayor estimated that the Corporation would have to pay about Rs. 60,000 per month from December in order to implement the new terms of settlement.

Since early in the morning of Wednesday the scavengers, and after them the whole fleet of Conservancy lorries, were engaged on removing the accumulated garbage all over the city, in the main thoroughfares, streets and by-lanes. The supply of water, which had been limited in the morning, improved for certain parts of the city in the afternoon. Street lamps, gas and electric, were again illuminated to their full strength.

Then only three-day old, the General Strike of the employees was announced in the Press on Monday, the 26th November, to be over on that day. At the conclusion of a series of negotiations carried throughout Sunday, the 25th November, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee and Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, President, Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association, announced in two separate Press statements that a settlement had been reached.

In terms of the settlement arrived at between the Mayor and the President of the Employees' Association the office-staff and the work-shop men returned to work on Monday afternoon.

On the other hand, a resolution challenging the authority of Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association to call off the strike was passed at a meeting organized by the Corporation Workers' Union at Shraddhananda Park at which Mr. Gopal Acharya presided.

The four additional terms of settlement besides the thirty-nine terms that had been decided between the Mayor and the President of the Employees' Association and ratified at the Special Meeting of the Corporation held on Monday, the 26th November, were further ratified at another Special Meeting held on Tuesday, the 27th November. Ratification of these four additional terms made possible the labourers' strike to be finally called off.

ORIGINAL AND ADDITIONAL TERMS OF SETTLEMENT

The terms of settlement arrived at between the Mayor and the President of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association regarding the Municipal employees' strike were ratified at a special meeting of the Corporation held on Monday, the 26th November.

Pursuant to the terms of settlement the Corporation appointed a committee of seven members consisting of the Mayor, Mr. W. A. Burns, Mr. Anandi Lal Poddar, Mr. Mahamed Rafique Mr. N. C. Paul, the Chief Executive Officer and a representative of the Corporation Employees' Association, with a view to implementing the terms of settlement. The decision of the Committee will be final.

ORIGINAL TERMS

The following are the terms of settlement :—

1. There will be no victimization of the strikers in any case whatsoever, the incidents of strike should be forgotten and forgiven.
2. The military assistance be forthwith withdrawn.

3. That no member of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association be victimized or harassed by transfer or otherwise for his rightful and constitutional Trade Union activities so long as they do not come in conflict with the maintenance of discipline.

4. That an increment of 20 per cent. be given with effect from 1st April, 1946, over and above the present pay including Grain Compensation Allowance or Good Conduct Allowance, as the case may be, but exclusive of the Dearness Allowance, to all labours excepting skilled labours as hereinafter mentioned, and the "gully pit" boys and "pipe sewer" boys.

5. That the "gully pit" boys and the "pipe sewer" boys shall be paid a monthly salary of Rs. 12 with effect from April 1, 1946, inclusive of Grain Compensation Allowance or Good Conduct Allowance but exclusive of Dearness Allowance.

6. That the labour staff mentioned above do continue on the present basis but their services be regarded as permanent in so far as the same will not be terminated except on the ground of misconduct or violation of Service Rules.

7. That the labour staff mentioned in Clauses 4 and 5 shall if hurt or injured on duty be entitled to all the privileges granted under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

8. That the above provisions shall not apply to casual labour, the definition of casual labour being labour employed from time to time as occasion arises whose services are not of a continuing nature.

Skilled Labour

9. That all skilled labour in 3 years' Corporation services in different stations such as in Motor Repairing Workshop, Pumping Station, Corporation Workshops, Electric Generating Station and Sub-station etc., and certified and determined by the Chief Engineer and the Chief Executive Officer shall be made permanent with proper grade and with the benefit of Provident Fund under separate rules to be fixed and framed by a Special Committee to be constituted as mentioned below.

10. That the skilled labour staff working in Pumping Stations and Electricity Generating Stations and sub-stations be paid Re. 1-8-0 per head per month in lieu of quarters until they are provided with suitable quarters from January 1, 1946.

11. That the skilled labour staff working in Pumping and other Stations or Sub-stations which are at present not treated as factories be considered as Factory Staff so far as amenities etc., granted to such staff are concerned.

12. That all facilities should be given to the sons of skilled labour staff for mechanical training in Corporation institutions and in the matter of appointment at least 25 per cent. should be recruited from them provided they attain requisite skill and qualifications.

13. That the coolies in the Water Works Department functioning as 'Diary Peon' be designated as Peons and placed under the category of "clerical and subordinate staff."

14. That the Nekasi Sarkar, P.R.O., Gangers and mates be placed in the category of 'clerical and subordinate staff'.

15. That the change of designation of 'Process Servers' in the Law Department will be considered by the Special Committee.

16. That the matter of giving uniforms and clothings be referred to the Special Committee to be formed, for provision according to a programme to be drawn up on the basis of need, urgency and availability and supply of materials.

17. That in appointing Foremen and Assistant Foremen in the M. V. Department fullest consideration should be given to the claims of the experienced mechanics and drivers, provided they possess the necessary qualifications.

Temporary Hands

18. That a panel of temporary hands be made and maintained in service of every department having as leave reserve and that all vacancies be filled up by appointment from such panel.

19. That the temporary hands detained on political grounds be provided with suitable jobs when released at the earliest opportunity.

20. That the vacancies caused by the retirement or death of employees designated as clerical and subordinate be filled up by departmental promotion and consequential vacancies in the lowest grades in the chain of appointments up to 25 per cent. be filled up by sons or dependants of the retired or deceased employees provided they possess the requisite qualifications.

21. That promotion to higher grades be given to departmental candidates according to seniority provided the efficiency of the administration does not suffer thereby.

22. That in case of acting arrangement not being sanctioned in time the substantive pay of the acting incumbent be paid on the usual pay day and the allowances be paid at the earliest opportunity on receipt of proper sanction.

23. That in case of departmental promotion in overlapping grades the persons promoted should be given the next higher stage in the next higher grade.

24. That in inflicting punishment to any employee opportunity shall be given to him to explain and defend his conduct either personally or through representative.

25. That as a rule the drivers of the Motor Vehicles Department shall be defended in all cases of accident by the Corporation provided the Chief Executive Officer is satisfied that the accident took place in the course of his duty.

26. That as regards the demand for accommodation for labour staff the Corporation should formulate an adequate housing programme for the accommodation of their labour staff and take necessary steps to implement the same at the earliest date.

27. That the management of the Employees' Tiffin Room be handed over to the Employees' Association on and from January 1, 1946.

UP-TO-DATE HOSPITAL

28. That the demand for an up-to-date hospital for the exclusive free treatment of Corporation employees is a reasonable one and the Corporation should implement such a scheme at the earliest possible date, and that in the meantime, the Chief Executive Officer be requested to make suitable arrangements with various hospitals receiving grants from the Corporation for granting facilities for free treatment of Corporation employees in those hospitals.

29. That free treatment should continue to be given to the labour staff at Corporation Dispensaries as is being done at present.

30. That the second War Advance made as the grant of extra-allowance to all employees of the Corporation drawing a pay up to Rs. 200 per month be written off.

31. That the pre-natal and post-natal benefits should be given to the female workers as are given by all other employers, and that the details of the benefits to be given should be worked out by the Special Committee.

32. That mustard oil and kerosene oil should be obtained from the Government for supply to the employees at the rates to be settled by the Government and the Chief Executive Officer be requested to take up the matter with the Government at an early date.

33. That the Chief Executive Officer having no objection to the withdrawal of cases of Babu Mansha Bakshi and Babu Amulyadhon Deb pending before the Services Standing Committee No. II those cases be dropped and the consideration of other cases be expedited.

34. That the Corporation agrees to take up the question of grading and regrading of the salaries of the employees drawing a monthly salary up to Rs. 300 excepting of the unskilled labour and arrive at a final conclusion within December 31, 1945, with a view to give effect to their decision on and from April 1, 1946.

A SPECIAL COMMITTEE

35. That with a view to implement the above, the Corporation agrees to constitute a Special Committee or Board consisting of seven members of whom one must be the Chief Executive

Officer and one representative of the Corporation Employees Association. The decision of the said Committee or Board shall be final.

36. That as regards the demand for payment of arrear dearness allowance to the labour staff, the same if covered by proper sanction, be paid forthwith.

37. That the period of strike be considered as leave with pay.

38. That durwans and maid-servants of Primary Schools be made permanent and their grades be considered by the Special Committee.

39. That leave rules passed by the Corporation for the menial staff on 23rd March, 1938 be strictly followed.

ADDITIONAL TERMS

The following additional terms were approved of by the Mayor and leading Councillors of the Corporation of Calcutta at a conference held on Tuesday at the Mayor's room and ratified by the Corporation at its Special meeting held that day:—

1. All employees of the Corporation drawing up to Rs. 100 per month (labour, skilled and unskilled, clerks or subordinate compositors, and distributors of the press) excepting those who had their grades increased or got an increment in 1944, or 1945 will get a flat increment of Rs. 3 only from December, 1945, it being understood that this will be tentative increment and will be subject to any alteration in the grade of basic pay that will be settled by the Corporation in consultation with different Workers' Unions and Associations dealing with employees of the Corporation and the labour leaders present in to-day's (Tuesday) Mayor's Conference. It is understood that in no case an initial increase in pay will be less than Rs. 3.

2. All unskilled labour who have put in one year's service will be given 15 days' sick and casual leave with full pay in a year; those who have put in six months' service will be entitled to seven days' sick and casual leave with full pay.

3. It is understood that the Special Committee will consider a scheme for giving benefits after retirement of a special provident fund to the unskilled labour staff.

4. All other terms accepted by the Corporation on 26th November, 1945 will be considered by the Special Committee.

Besides the Mayor and other leading Councillors among those present at the meetinpg held in the Mayor's room were the following labour leaders:—Mr. Somnath Lahiri, Md. Ismail, Begam Sakina, Mr. Shibnath Banerjee, Dr. Suresh Banerjee, Mr. Mrinal Kanti Bose, Mr. Sudhindra Nath Pramanik, Dr. Maitreyee Bose, Dr. Charu Chandra Banerjee, Mr. Rajani Mukherjee, and Kumud Bhattacharya of the Employees' Association.

THE BACKGROUND OF THE STRIKE

A fifteen-day strike notice was handed over on Thursday, the 8th November, to the Chief Executive Officer and the Secretary to the Calcutta Corporation, by Mr. Kumud Lal Bhattacharjee, General Secretary, Corporation Employees' Association.

The decision to serve a strike notice was in pursuance of a resolution adopted at a general meeting held the day before on Wednesday, the 7th November last. The resolution stated that the Corporation authorities had not so far taken any step to meet the demands and to remove the grievances of the employees or to ameliorate their conditions of life and service. It added that the Corporation had not considered the recommendation of the Labour Commissioner, Bengal, under the Essential Services (Maintenance) Ordinance, in regard to the raising of the basic wages of the employees to Rs. 20 per month.

The Callcutta Corporation Employees' Association was authorised to call all or any section of the employees to stop the work in case of delay or adoption of dilatory tactics of the authorities.

A list of their demands was also forwarded to the Chief Executive Officer.

This list included revision of the basic scales of pay and rates of wages, granting of leave facilities and free medical aid to all the employees, including the labour staff and maternity benefits to women workers.

Copies of the notice as also the resolution and the demands were forwarded to the Mayor of Calcutta, the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Department of Public Health and Local Self-Government, the Labour Commissioner, Bengal, and the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta. All the Aldermen and Councillors of the Corporation were also informed.

The Calcutta Corporation Workers' Union was thinking of asking the workers to stop work to force a quick decision on some long-standing grievances of the Corporation workers—declared Mr. Dhiren Dhar, Organising Secretary of the Union, in course of a statement to the press.

Mr. Dhar thought that there was no other alternative left to compel action on the part of the Corporation and the Government of Bengal who had been maintaining an attitude of indifference towards the grievances of the workers in spite of negotiations and representations.

The statement says:—"The workers are treated as daily labourers and have no claim to annual leave, provident fund, etc. The Corporation has no rule to determine the conditions of service, nor does it think it proper to introduce any when the annual budget of the Corporation is discussed. Every year the Corporation puts off measures of general welfare—specially those relating to the workers—on the perennial plea of shortage of funds."

Referring to the Labour Commissioner's order for an enquiry into the grievances of the workers, issued last year, it was stated that an officer had been appointed but no action was taken on the basis of the enquiry. The Corporation too decided to improve the conditions of services by the introduction of the 'grade system' and a committee was also formed for the purpose 8 months back but the committee did not meet yet.

In conclusion Mr. Dhar invited the intervention by the citizens and the leaders of all political parties to avert the impending crisis.

The Press employees also threatened to go on strike from the 10th November unless their demand for revision of the grade of their pay was met before that date.

In the strike notice submitted by them to the Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation and the Labour Commissioner, Bengal, on the 3rd November, it was stated that several represenations had been made in the past to the municipal authorities but nothing had so far been done to improve conditions.

Twenty-five compositors and six distributors of the Calcutta Corporation went on a sitting strike from the 10th November last demanding redress of their grievance regarding revision of scale of wages.

The employees of the Press had served a notice of strike on the Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation on the 26th October last and also intimated the Labour Commissioner, Government of Bengal, their decision.

A resolution reiterating the modified demands of the Corporation employees, labourers and workers submitted with the notice of strike placed by the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association on the 8th November last and their determination to stop work on and from the 23rd November unless the demands were met within the 22nd was adopted at a general meeting of the employees, labourers and workers of the Corporation of Calcutta held on the 8th November last at the Deshabandhu Park. Mr. J. N. Bhose presided.

THE FORTY-FIVE ITEMS OF DEMANDS

The forty-five items of demands of the employees as modified after those published in the *Gazette* of the 3rd November last are as follows:—

(1) No victimization of the Employees' Association leaders.

(2) Minimum basic wages of Rs. 20 per month to all labour and menial staff.

(3) Proportionate increase in the pay and grade of other labour staff drawing above Rs. 20 per month.

(4) Revision of grades of employees drawing up to Rs. 300 per month.

(5) Revision of wages of the staff of the Motor Repairing Workshop as per recommendation of Col. Harris and also revision of the pay of the Pumping Station staff and making them permanent.

(6) Labour staff to be made permanent.

(7) Motor Repairing Workshop staff to be made permanent.

(8) Hours of work of all outdoor staff as well as the Workshop and Pumping Station staff to be 42 hours per week.

(9) Outdoor employees excluding those of the Workshop and the Pumping Stations to be allowed to avail of Sundays and other Corporation holidays. If they are to work on Sundays and Corporation holidays, they are to get double wages for each day of work during those days.

(10) For work over and above 42 hours a week. employees are to get overtime allowance.

(11) Coolies of the Water Works Department, to be designated as peons and placed in the grades of peons, jamadars, etc.

(12) Nikashi sircars, P. R. O. Gangers and Mates to be placed in the category of 'Clerical and Subordinate.'

(13) Process Servers of the Law Department, to be designated as Assistant Court Clerks with new grades to be fixed for them.

(14) Outdoor labour staff to be supplied with uniform.

(15) Block Sircars and drivers of the Motor Vehicles Department to be supplied with uniform..

(16) One month's privilege leave and 15 days' casual leave to be allowed to all employees of the labour staff and privilege leave to be allowed to accumulate for six years.

(17) Labour staff to be allowed sick leave for 15 days in a year with full pay and another 15 days on half pay, in case of serious illness.

(18) Vacancies caused by retirement or death to be filled up by the sons or dependants of the deceased or of the retiring person.

(19) Vacancies caused by the death of retirement not covered by (18) above, to be filled up by departmental promotion.

(20) No outsider to be appointed to higher posts in supersession of the claims of the employees of the department.

(21) Foremen and Assistant Foremen in the Motor Vehicles Department to be appointed from other experienced mechanics and drivers of the department.

(22) Panel of temporary hands to be maintained in every department.

(23) Temporary hands detained on political grounds to be provided with suitable jobs when released.

(24) All employees to be given one year's extension of service after superannuation and labour and menial staff, etc., to be given five years' extension of service after superannuation.

(25) Substantive pay of an employee working in another post in a leave vacancy to be paid on the usual 'Pay Day' and the balance soon thereafter.

(26) In case of promotion to posts in higher grades, the person promoted to be given a suitable pay to fit in with the stage in the new grade.

(27) In case of punishment, the charge against the person to be punished, to be given in writing and a written explanation called for and thereafter proper enquiry to be made by a Special Committee consisting of Corporation Officers and representatives of the Association.

(28) In accident cases, drivers of the Motor Vehicles Department, to be given legal assistance.

(29) Proper housing accommodation to be provided to the labour staff.

(30) Management of the Employees Tiffin Room to be handed over to the Employees Association.

(31) Establishment of an up-to-date hospital for exclusive and free treatment of Corporation employees.

(32) Free treatment of labour staff at Corporation Dispensaries.

(33) Proper compensation to employees in case of death or serious injury sustained while on duty and leave with pay in case of slight injury.

(34) No reduction of dearness allowances, etc., during privilege leave, casual leave or sick leave.

(35) Corporation to sanction, as extra allowance, one month's advance already given.

(36) Pre-natal and post-natal benefits to be given to the female workers.

(37) Mustard oil, kerosene oil, soap, etc., to be supplied to the employees at controlled rates.

(38) Foodstuffs at subsidised rates to be supplied to all employees drawing up to Rs. 300 per month.

(39) Educational facilities to be given to the children of the employees.

(40) Order meting out punishment to certain employees to be cancelled.

(41) Suspension orders passed against certain other employees to be also cancelled.

(42) Arrears of dearness allowance to be paid to the labour staff forthwith.

(43) Free quarters to be provided for the entire outdoor staff or house rent allowance at 10 per cent. to be sanctioned.

(44) Cycle allowance to be increased to Rs. 20/-.

(45) C. M. Act to be amended to give the workers and labour staff of the Corporation the right to vote in the Labour Constituency of the Calcutta Corporation and the Bengal Legislative Assembly Elections.

The demands of the Corporation Jamadar, Peons and Workers Association, as formulated in the meeting of the Association held on the 27th October last, are as follows :—

1. Grade of all menials (Jamadar, Peon, Orderly, Durwan etc.) from Rs. 40—2—60.

2. Free quarters and family quarters for all menials, workers and labours.

3. Free Medical treatment and diet to all menials and labours including free beds at hospitals.

4. Amendment of Leave Rules for menials, workers and labourers so that they may get one month's P.L., as per resolution of the Corporation dated the 23rd March, 1938.

5. Kits to be supplied to all menials, workers and labourers both in summer and winter season.

6. On superannuation menials and workers should be kept employed or paid till he receives his Provident Fund and Gratuity and quick payment to heirs on death.

7. The next in kin, if any, of the retired man should be appointed in his place.

8. Educated menials should be promoted in consideration of merit.

9. House rent of Rs. 8 per month till free quarters be provided.

10. Menials' vacancy should be filled up by menials' relatives, if available.

11. The seniormost tempotrary man to be made permanent in permanent vacancies.

12. Pay of labour should not be less than Rs. 30 per month.

13. Labour post should be permanent.

14. Facilities for Provident Fund to be extended to the labour.

15. Facility for one month's leave with pay in a year to the labour and 15 days' casual leave.

16. Supply of cloth to all menials, workers and labourers on credit.

17. To arrange a bigger room for the J. P. & W. A. Office and Library and provide it with a fan.

18. Educational facilities free for adults and children of all employees.

19. Welfare Officer and Petition writer.

20. Free Library room and meeting hall.

All the demands set out in the strike notice given on behalf of the 20,000 employees of the Calcutta Corporation were discussed at a conference between the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee and representatives of the Employees' Association on the 13th November last.

The discussion centred round a proposal made by the Mayor for appointment of a committee with representatives of the Government, the Corporation, the Association and the public to consider the men's demands and their financial implications.

This proposal of the Mayor was unanimously rejected at a joint meeting of the Central Strike Committee and the Executive Committee of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association and Jemadar and Peons' Association held on the 15th November last.

The workers indicated that they were not agreeable to accept the Mayor's proposal as this would mean shelving the whole matter and further that Party leaders were not agreeable to give representation to the Employees' Association on the proposed committee.

The Strike Committee's decision rejecting the proposal was communicated by the General Secretary, and Labour Secretary, Employees' Association, before a meeting of the Party leaders in the Corporation, convened by the Mayor, the same day in the Municipal Buildings.

On the 16th November the Mayor discussed the situation with the Secretary of Local Self-Government Department and the Additional Labour Commissioner. The Congress Municipal Association also considered the state of affairs.

The demands of the Calcutta Corporation employees as set out in their Association's strike notice were again considered at a conference of leaders of different parties in the Municipality on the 17th November last. Discussion centred round a proposal for a committee to consider and report on the demands. No decision was reached.

A Special Committee of twelve members was appointed by the Corporation at its Special Meeting held on the 19th November last to consider the grievances and demands of the employees and suggest ways and means for providing funds for meeting the demands. The Special Committee was directed to submit an interim report to the Corporation by the 22nd and a comprehensive report by the 23rd December.

The Special Committee consisted of the Mayor, Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul, Councillor Naresh Nath Mookerjee, Councillor Jagannath Kolay, Councillor Md. Rafique, Councillor M. A. H. Ispahani, Councillor W. A. Burns, Councillor J. H. Methold, Councillor Anandi Lall Poddar, Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Basu, Councillor Kaviraj Satyabrata Sen and Alderman Hemaprova Mazumder.

While the Corporation was debating the situation arising out of the strike notice, its employees also were simultaneously holding a mass meeting of theirs at the Market Square, situated just opposite the Municipal Chamber, reiterating the stand they had taken in regard to their demands.

Speeches were made at the workers' meeting which terminated long after the Corporation had risen, characterising the decision to appoint a Special Committee to go into their grievances as nothing but an attempt to shelve the whole matter.

Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, President, Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association, who was in the chair asked the workers to wait till the 22nd November when, he believed, the Corporation would take a decision to meet their grievances.

The resolution for the appointment of the Special Committee to consider the demands of the employees was sponsored by Councillor Naresh Nath Mookerjee. Three amendments to the resolution were moved but they were all ruled out of order by the Mayor.

While narrating at the outset what had transpired at the Party Leaders' Conferences, convened by him on two occasions, to consider the demands of the workers as set forth in the strike notice, the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee said that everybody in the Corporation was sympathetic towards the employees' demands and there was a genuine desire to do something immediately to improve conditions. The appointment of the committee suggested, was not an attempt to shelve the matter.

"I can assure the employees' organizations," he said, "that if such a committee does not come to a decision within a stipuated period of time, I will resign my office and lead a procession of the men, demanding redress of their grievances."

But he would emphasise that without carefully scrutinising the financial aspect of the matter, it would not be wise on their part to commit the Corporation whose finances were greatly depleted, to any further monetary obligation.

Councillor W. A. Burns said that mere appointment of a committee even though backed by the assurance given by the Mayor would not satisfy the workers. He felt that something should be done imme-

diately to prove their *bona fides* in the matter. His suggestion was that they should decide on the floor of the House to revise the basic wages of the workers on the basis of some index figure of current prices.

In moving his motion for appointment of a special committee to scrutinize the grievances of the employees Councillor Naresh Nath Mookerjee said that they realized the seriousness of the issue before them. They were convinced that some of the demands were reasonable.

The basic pay of the employees was only Rs. 13 and even in some cases it was Rs. 8 only. It was certainly not possible for any human being to live on the ridiculous wages. There were also other demands which deserved their attention. They should inform their employees that they had no desire to delay the matter.

The question was, where they could get funds to meet the demands. But they hoped that they would be able to devise ways and means immediately or in the near future by reorganising all the revenue yielding departments. In their opinion careful scrutiny of the income yielding departments was likely to be of benefit to a large extent and would enable them to meet at least a part of the extra cost that would be required to meet the demands.

He suggested that the Building and Assessment Departments of the Corporation should be placed on proper footing.

He hoped that the Committee suggested by him would be able to make reasonable recommendations which would satisfy the more pressing demands of their employees.

Councillor Jagannath Kolay seconded.

Councillor J. H. Methold was of opinion that unless they made an immediate gesture they might find the employees in the pumping stations refusing to supply water to the rate-payers. They should do something now which would satisfy the employees for the time being and until such time as a committee would take to submit a full report.

He suggested in an amendment that minimum basic wages of all whole-time employees be raised to Rs. 18 per month with effect from December, 1, 1945, and of those whose working hours did not exceed five hours a day, increased correspondingly on a *pro rata* basis. The outstanding balance of a month's pay already given to the employees should be treated as a bonus. He suggested that of the 12 members of the committee to be formed, six should be from the Corporation, four from employees' unions and two from the public.

Seconding Councillor Methold's amendment, Councillor A. A. Wise said that the financial difficulty could be solved by proper handling of the Assessment and Collection Departments which would increase the Corporation revenue by at least two per cent.

Criticising the attitude which the Corporation had adopted in the past and on the present occasion in regard to the demands of the workers, Councillor Somnath Lahiri by an amendment suggested that the House should agree to raise the basic pay to Rs. 20 immediately, and that the proposed committee should be asked only to provide extra funds that the raising of the basic pay to Rs. 20 would require.

Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, President, Corporation Employees' Association, said that if the Corporation did not do something by the 22nd November so far as he could find from the arrangements made by the employees a strike was inevitable. It was no threat that he was giving the Corporation.

As President of the Employees' Association he would like to assure the House that the workers were amenable to reason and if a reasonable offer was made, it would be accepted by them. What was necessary was to tackle the whole question at a time and say something finally by the 22nd November.

The basic wages, he said, had got to be fixed at Rs. 20 per month.

While expressing sympathy with the cause of the employees, Councillor Md. Rafique said that he believed that there could not be any strike in these days when hundreds of war workers were being discharged.

In an amendment he suggested that the basic wages of whole-time peons and chaprasis be raised to Rs. 18 a month from January 1, 1946, and that in order to meet the extra cost the consolidated rate be raised by 3 per cent. with effect from January, 1946. The speaker said that mere appointment of a committee would not meet the situation. Something should be done immediately to show that they meant business.

Councillor Madan Mohan Barman said that he was prepared to give Corporation three days' time to consider the question. But he would like to say as the President of one of the Workers' Unions that if this time the Corporation failed to meet the demands they would have to face a serious situation.

Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury condemned Councillor Mookerjee's resolution as "ridiculous" and as intended to shelve the matter. He supported Councillor Methold's motion.

The Mayor then requested the movers of various amendments to withdraw their amendments.

At this stage Councillor Anandi Lall Poddar and Councillor Dr. S. N. Sinha raised a point of order and stated that all the amendments were not in order.

The Mayor ruled the amendments out of order and the resolution of Councillor Mookerjee was accepted unanimously.

Then, Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee moved that the Special Committee be constituted with the following members:—

The Mayor, Messrs. N. C. Paul, Naresh Nath Mookerjee, J. Kolay, Purnendu Sekhar Basu, Satyabrata Sen, Md. Rafique, M. A. H. Ispahani, A. A. Wise, W. A. Burns, A. L. Poddar and Mrs. Hemaprova Majumdar.

The house accepted the motion.

(To be continued)

FOUR-DAY GENERAL STRIKE OF CORPORATION EMPLOYEES—II

ENDS ON TERMS AGREED TO BY ALL PARTIES

(*Continued from the issue of 1st December*, 1945)

On the 22nd November last while the Corporation was considering the *ad interim* recommendations of the Special Committee, members of the Employees' Association held a meeting at Market Square. The Municipal meeting was adjourned for half an hour to enable Councillor S. C. Ray Chaudhuri, President of the Association, to explain the implications of the Committee's recommendations to the men and ascertain their reaction. The men rejected the Corporation offer and decided to go on strike.

AD-INTERIM RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The following are the ad-interim recommendations of the Special Committee appointed to consider the grievances and demands of the various organisations of the employees.

Owing to shortness of time allowed to this Committee to submit their ad-interim report, it was not possible for them to go into Item Nos. 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 44 of the demands, which involve revision of grades and regulation of working hours, overtime and other allowances, which have to be gone into in very great detail. As regards the other items the Committee recommended as follows :—

1. That no member of the Calcutta Corporation Employees Association be victimised or harassed by transfer or otherwise for his rightful and constitutional Trade Union activities so long as they do not come in conflict with the maintenance of discipline.

2. (a) That in the case of labour staff, the existing grain compensation allowance or good conduct allowance be consolidated with the present basic pay and this consolidated pay be considered as the basic pay for new entrants.

(b) That all labour staff drawing up to Rs. 20 per month inclusive of grain compensation allowance or good conduct allowance be given an increment of Rs. 5 at the rate of Re. 1 per year the first yearly increment taking effect from 1st April, 1946.

6. (a) That the labour staff do continue on "No work no pay" basis as at present.

(b) That the labour staff be however regarded as permanent in so far as their services will not be terminated except on the ground of misconduct or violation of service rules.

11. That the coolies in the Water Works Department functioning as diary peons be designated as Peons and be placed under the category of "Clerical and Subordinate staff."

12. That the Nikashi Sircars, P. R. O. Gangers and Mates be placed in the category of "Clerical and Subordinate."

13. That the Committee regret that they cannot recommend the change of designation of the Process Servers of the Law Department to "Court Clerks", but as regards the question of their grades that matter will be considered later along with the question of revision of grades of all employees.

14 & 15. That the Committee recommend that the demand for supply of uniform to outdoor staff, Block Sircars and drivers of Motor Vehicles Department be considered most sympathetically when the cloth situation improves.

16, 17, & 33. (a) That the Committee regret that they cannot see their way to accept the demand for privilege, sick and casual leave to the labour staff, but they recommend that all employees, if hurt while on duty, should be entitled to all the privileges granted under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

(b) That skilled labour, as defined by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Chief Executive Officer, in the Water Supply and

Drainage Pumping Stations and Electricity Generating Stations and Sub-stations, be allowed 10 days' causal leave and 15 days' leave on full pay per year, commencing from 1st April, 1946, it being understood that an employee who has put in at least one year's service will be entitled to get this latter leave. No leave will be allowed to accumulate from year to year.

That the Chief Executive Officer, when he considers necessary, be empowered to appoint substitutes even in casual leave vacancies in skilled labour staff.

(c) That the skilled labour staff at all Pumping Stations and electricity generating stations and sub-stations be paid Re. 1-8 per head per month in lieu of quarters, until they are provided with suitable quarters.

(d) That skilled labour staff working in Pumping Stations which are at present not treated as factories, be considered as factory staff so far as amenities etc., granted to such staff are concerned.

18. & 19. That vacancies caused by the retirement or death of employees designated as clerical and subordinate be filled up as far as possible, by departmental promotion and the consequential vacancies in the lowest grades in the chain by appointment of sons or dependants of the retired or deceased employees, provided they possess the requisite qualifications.

20. That as far as practicable, promotions to higher grades should be given to departmental candidates provided efficiency of the administration does not suffer thereby.

21. That in appointing Foremen and Assistant Foremen in the Motor Vehicles Department fullest consideration should be given to the claims of the experienced mechanics and drivers of the Department provided they possess the necessary qualifications.

22. That panels of temporary hands be maintained in every department and that as far as practicable, vacancies should be filled up by appointment from the panels.

24. That the Committee regret that they cannot see their way to accept the demand for granting extension of service after superannuation, but they note that as regards labour and menial staff, the existing rules provide for that.

25. That in case of acting arrangements not sanctioned in time, the substantive pay of the acting incumbents should be paid on the usual pay day and the allowances should be paid at the earliest opportunity on receipt of proper sanction.

26. That in the case of departmental promotion in overlapping grades, the person promoted should be given the next higher stage in the higher grades.

27. That the Committee regret their inability to accept the demand that in case of punishment, the charge against the person to be punished is to be given in writing and written explanation called for and thereafter proper enquiry should be made by a Special Committee, consisting of Corporation Officers and representatives of the Association.

28. That the Committee recommend that the Chief Executive Officer be given discretion to decide in consultation with the Head of the Department as to whether or not the Corporation will undertake legal defence of any of the drivers of the Motor Vehicles Department who are involved in accidents in the course of their duties.

29. That as regards the demand for housing accommodation for labour staff, the Committee are strongly of opinion that the Corporation should formulate an adequate housing plan for the accommodation of their labour staff and take necessary steps to implement the same at the earliest date.

30. That it be recommended that the management of the Corporation Employees' Tiffin Room be handed over to the Employees' Association.

31. That the Committee consider that the demand for an up-to-date hospital for the exclusive free treatment of Corporation employees is a reasonable one and they recommend to the Corporation for implementing such a scheme at the earliest possible date, and that in the meantime, the Chief Executive Officer be requested to

make suitable arrangements with the various hospitals receiving grants from the Corporation for granting facilities for free treatment of Corporation employees in those hospitals.

32. That the Committee are of opinion that free treatment should continue to be given to the labour staff at Corporation Dispensaries as is being done at present.

33. That as regards the demand for payment of full dearness allowance, while on privilege, casual or sick leave, the Committee note that this is being done according to Government rules, and they recommend that the present system do continue.

34 & 35. That as regards the demand treating the war advance as the grant of an extra allowance, the Committee note that in pursuance of a previous Corporation Resolution, the recovery of the advance will commence after the final declaration of the end of the war, and the Committee recommend that this matter be considered at that time.

GOVERNOR'S BROADCAST ON THE STRIKE

His Excellency Mr. R. G. Casey in the course of a broadcast speech in connection with the Calcutta disturbances and the Corporation employees' strike on the night of 22nd November last said :—

"I have seen the Mayor and he has told me about the negotiations that preceded the strike. He has assured me—and he gave me chapter and verse for it—that he and his colleagues in the Corporation have offered to meet all reasonable demands of the Corporation employees and have only resisted such demands as are clearly unreasonable and impossible of acceptance.

"In the light of this, we must all deplore what appears to many of us to be a very unnecessary strike and a very unnecessary and troublesome interference with the essential services of Calcutta. The public services of Calcutta—the provision of filtered water and the working of the sewage system—have got to be continued : strike or no strike, the health of Calcutta must be preserved.

"Government will do everything in its power to see that these essential services are maintained and that the great inconveniences which will inevitably be caused are minimized. As a start we have enlisted the services of Army engineers to ensure the maintenance of the filtered water supply. The engineers are quite familiar with the work and I am confident that no serious difficulties will arise with regard to water supply or sewage."

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36. That the Committee are of opinion that pre-natal and post-natal benefits should be given to the female workers as are given by all other employers, and that the details of the benefits to be given should be worked out along with the question of the revision of the grades of the Corporation employees.

37. That the Committee are of opinion that mustard oil and kerosene should be obtained from the Government for supply to the employees at the rates to be settled by the Government, and they recommend that the Chief Executive Officer be requested to take up the matter with the Government at an early date.

38. That the Committee regret their inability to accede to the demand for supply of foodstuffs to all employees drawing salary over Rs. 35 upto Rs. 300 per month at subsidised rates.

39. That the Committee regret that no provision can be made for granting stipends and scholarships for technical and higher education to the children of the employees, beyond what is now available from Corporation Free Primary Schools, night schools and Schools in Gowkhanas.

40 & 41. That as regards the demand for cancelling the orders of punishment and suspension against certain employees named by the Association, the Committee recommend that the cases should be sent to the respective authorities for immediate disposal.

42. That as regards the demand for payment of arrear dearness allowance to the labour staff, the Committee recommend that if there be any arrear which is already covered by proper sanction, it should be paid forthwith.

43. That the Committee regret their inability to accede to the demand that free quarters should be provided to the entire outdoor staff and that house allowance at 10 per cent of pay to be sanctioned in lieu thereof.

44 & 45. The Committee feel that the demand regarding the amendment of the Calcutta Municipal Act, so as to give the workers and labour staff of the Corporation the right to vote in the Labour Constituency of the Calcutta Corporation and the Bengal Legislative Assembly Elections, is outside the purview of this Committee and the Corporation and the employees may refer it to the Government direct if they so desire.

With regard to the twenty items of demand placed by the Calcutta Corporation Jamadars, Peons and Workers' Association, dated the 1st November, 1945, the Special Committee found that most of these demands were identical with the demands made by the Calcutta Corporation Employees Association.

As regards those that were not included in the comprehensive demand of the Employees Association, the Special Committee resolved as follows:—

16. *Re.* supply of cloth to all menials etc.

The Committee regret that in the present day conditions they are of opinion that they cannot entertain the proposal.

17. *Re.* Provision of a bigger room for the Association.

The Committee regret that it is not possible to provide a bigger room for the use of the Association with a fan.

20. *Re.* Free Library room and meeting hall:

In view of the fact that the Corporation have no accommodation at present the Committee regret that they cannot provide a free library room and meeting hall.

The Committee held over the other items because the time at the disposal of the Committee was too short for considering them. The Committee therefore requested the Corporation to allow them time until the 21st or 22nd December, 1945, by which time the Committee hoped to submit their final recommendations covering all the points raised and also the financial implications arising out of the recommendations made by the Committee.

CORPORATION CONFIRMS THE 'AD INTERIM' RECOMMENDATIONS

Moving the confirmation of the *ad interim* recommendations of the Special Committee, at the meeting of the Corporation held on the 22nd November last the Mayor informed the House that out of the 45 demands of the men, 27 had been conceded, eight of the items could not be considered for lack of time and the financial implications involved; six items had been rejected, three others partially accepted and another was out of the purview of the Corporation. Every effort had been made to consider the demands sympathetically and reasonably. The recommendations of the Committee proved its *bona fides*. Whatever might be the financial implications of their recommendations, the Corporation had to find means of giving effect to them.

The recommendations included pay increment of Rs. 5 at the rate of Re. 1 per year with effect from 1st April, 1946, to all labour staff drawing up to Rs. 20 per month inclusive of grain compensation allowance or good conduct allowances, and in the case of labour staff, a consolidation of the existing grain compensation or good conduct allowance with the present basic pay, the consolidated pay being considered as the basic pay for new entrants.

When the meeting reassembled after the adjournment, which was necessary to allow Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri to meet the employees, who had assembled at a meeting before the Corporation premises, Councillor Ray Chaudhuri intimated the House his failure to persuade the members of the Employees' Association to agree to the Corporation offer. They maintained, he said, that most of the Committee's recommendations were vague. They were not at all satisfied and thought that the recommendations did not meet their demands.

The Mayor, before putting the recommendations for the acceptance of the House, said that the Committee had carried on their duties honestly. Their intention was not to shelve the matter.

The House adopted the Committee's recommendations, two members dissenting, three having remained neutral.

When the result of the voting was announced, Councillor Naresh Nath Mookerjee said that negotiations had failed, the men having refused to accept the Corporation offer.

Councillor Somnath Lahiri asked if he could request the Mayor or the Chief Executive Officer to see that the police or the military were not called for in connection with the strike.

Replying, the Mayor said that force would not be used against the strikers but military labour might be applied if necessary to meet the situation.

CORPORATION EMPLOYEES' DECISION TO GO ON STRIKE

At a general meeting of Corporation employees held at Market Square opposite Central Municipal Office buildings on the 22nd November last at the time when the Corporation meeting was considering the recommendations of the Special Committee under the auspices of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association a resolution was adopted that all employees of the Calcutta Corporation drawing salaries up to Rs. 300 per month decided to go on strike from midnight of the 22nd.

Staffs of maternity homes, maternity units, hospitals and medical institutions, ambulances, crematorium, burning ghats, burial grounds and Corporation food supply shops were, however, excluded from the strike.

At a special meeting of the Calcutta Corporation held on the 23rd November last the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, announced that the Royal Engineer military staff had started work in Tallah and Pulta Pumping Stations and that drinking-water would be available in the city from the next morning (*i.e.*, of November 24 last).

In accordance with a motion sponsored by Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, who had been entrusted with the sole authority to carry on settlement terms on behalf of the strikers, the House adjourned the meeting till the next day to enable the Special Committee to give further consideration to the matter.

The Mayor's Statement.

In the course of a statement the Mayor said that the Labour Commissioner and also the Private Secretary of His Excellency the Governor rang him in the morning and he met the Governor. In course of a discussion after having heard about the purport of the decision of the Special Committee the Governor expressed his opinion that the terms of settlement offered by them had been very fair and reasonable. The Governor however, was very much concerned about the health of the city and he said that in order to maintain the supply of drinking water to the 30 lakhs of people of the city and to carry on the conservancy services the Viceroy had asked him on phone to run the pumping houses with the help of the labour and engineering staff available to the Government from the military authorities. The Governor was also discussing with his officers about the taking over and carrying on of conservancy works for the sake of the health of the city. He expected that the Corporation would co-operate with the Government in this work.

Replying to questions the Mayor said that the taking over of the Pulta and Tallah Pumping Stations by the military was only to help the Corporation to run them during the present crisis. His impression was that it was only an assistance rendered by the Government to the Corporation during this impasse. No expenditure would be incurred by the Corporation and the services of the military would be rendered gratis.

The Mayor also assured the House that the military or police force would not be used by the Corporation to coerce the strikers or to punish them.

The House then went into discussion about the situation evolving out of the strike.

The strike situation was again discussed at an adjourned meeting of the Corporation held on the 24th November last when the implications of the Corporation's proposals to the men and their best efforts to bring about a speedy and satisfactory solution was explained.

The meeting was adjourned without coming to any decision to enable the Mayor to continue negotiation with the President of the Corporation Employees' Association and the representatives of the different Unions of the Corporation workers with a view to reaching a settlement.

A meeting of members of the Corporation Employees' Association was held simultaneously at Market Square opposite the Corporation

Building, where a resolution was passed reiterating the men's determination to continue the strike until their demands were met.

Councillor M. A. H. Ispahani, who opened the discussion said the overwhelming majority of the Councillors felt that they should do their bit to meet the legitimate and just demands of the workers.

He regretted that certain important dailies had indulged in criticisms which were not based on facts. He wanted to emphasize that a Corporation worker besides receiving a wage of Rs. 13, had also been receiving grain compensation allowance. Another point which had also escaped the notice of the critics was that the Corporation gave a dearness allowance of Rs. 20 per month to a worker.

What the Special Committee had recommended in its 'ad interim' report would raise basic minimum pay of Corporation labour to Rs. 18 in place of Rs. 13 per month. The increment had been accepted by the Committee at the suggestion of Mr. Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, who was the President of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association.

Some Suggestions By Councillors

Councillor Ispahani requested the Mayor to make a press statement this evening letting the public know that the Corporation councillors were reasonable and that they proposed to do something good to the workers and it was not in their interest that the strike should continue and the public suffer all the inconveniences which could be avoided if the workers returned to work.

Councillor Somnath Lahiri wanted to know from the Mayor whether it was a fact that the strikers in Palta, Tallah and Mullickghat Pumping Stations were made to go out of their barracks on the point of revolvers and whether such actions on the part of the military had been approved of by the Corporation.

The Mayor said that he had no information of this matter. He added that the Government had taken charge of the pumping stations on instruction from the Viceroy. They had no approval from the Chief Executive Officer, who knew nothing about this.

Councillor Lahiri then said that negotiations with the workers' representatives by themselves without any fresh offer or increased terms would not help the Corporation to meet the situation.

Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury said that the number of officers of the Corporation should be cut down in order to make the Corporation fit for public service. He suggested that the Mayor should be authorized to meet the workers' representatives.

Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli suggested that the Special Committee should be asked to expedite its labour and submit its report to the Corporation by the 25th. The situation, he said, brooked no delay.

Councillor Madan Mohan Barman said that Rs. 20 was the basic wages recommended by the Labour Commissioner and that is the pay which the labourers were demanding. They had not gone on strike at once. The fire of discontentment had been smouldering for more than a year. He wanted the Mayor to declare in the House and to His Excellency that they would never invoke the help of the military to run the pumping and the drainage stations. The workers were the workers of the Corporation and these special types of work could not be done properly by the military. He hoped that the Mayor himself would discuss the matter with the Strike Committee and bring about a just and fair settlement of the strike.

Financial Obligations Explained

Explaining the financial obligations if full effect was given to the demands of the men, Councillor Anandi Lal Poddar, Chairman of the Finance Standing Committee informed that, according to his calculation, the approximate cost of meeting the 45 demands made by the Employees' Association would be Rs. 1,05,00,000 as capital expenditure and Rs. 57,00,000 recurring. This would include Rs. 10,00,000 for raising the minimum basic wages of all labour and menial staff to Rs. 20 per month, Rs. 11,00,000 for revision of grades of pay of all employees drawing salaries up to Rs. 300 a month; Rs. 5,00,000 for revising hours of work of all outdoor employees and workshop staff to 42 hours a week; Rs. 6,00,000 for uniforms for outdoor labour staff; Rs. 7,00,000 for leave facilities; capital expenditure of Rs. 75,00,000 for proper housing accommodation for labour staff; medical aid, hospital accommodation etc., Rs. 25,00,000 capital cost and Rs. 5,00,000 recur-

ring; and educational facilities for children of employees, Rs. 2,50,000. An additional Rs. 5,00,000 would be required as supervision charges.

The maximum that the Corporation could now manage to find would be Rs. 20,00,000. By increasing the rates they would get Rs. 8,00,000 a year. The Mayor should see the Governor and induce him to consider the Corporation demands regarding their shares of Motor Vehicles tax and Council House tax (bringing Rs. 5,00,000 to the Corporation). They could get Rs. 5,00,000 from the Petrol Tax. The Corporation could also augment their revenue by increasing the tramways track rent by Rs. 5,00,000. In this way they could have an additional income of Rs. 23,00,000 which could be utilized in meeting the demands of their employees and thus arrive at a satisfactory solution of the present dispute.

Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi said that the whole basis of the strike which had been declared on behalf of the Corporation Employees' Association of which Councillor S. C. Ray Chaudhuri was the president, had been unreal. Councillor Siddiqi criticized the role of Councillor Ray Chaudhuri as a Councillor on the one hand and as the President of the Association on the other and said that it was neither real, fair or honourable for any member of the House to double cross the Corporation. He suggested that the Mayor should talk to the real men who were suffering rather than negotiate with those who were moving in a bargaining spirit.

Councillor A. A. Wise said that he was told there were subversive elements behind all the troubles that had arisen. If he was not right in that statement of his, he could not understand why the workers continued to strike in the face of what they had offered.

He added that he had heard that Tallah Pumping Station and other stations were inundated with water, so that the generators got damped. It was said that this had created difficulties in the work of the military who had been asked to run these stations.

Unfair Criticism By The Press.

Councillor Naresh Nath Mookerjee regretted that the Press had made unfair critcism on facts which were not true. Personally, he felt that unless the Special Committee was given a free hand to deal with the situation it should cease to function.

He suggested that representatives of the Employees' Association, the Press Employees' Association and if necessary, representatives of other unions and associations should be asked to meet the Special Committee. Councillor Mookerjee endorsed the suggestion made by Councillor Poddar that the Corporation was prepared to spend Rs. 20 lakhs in all in order to meet the demands of the workers.

It was eventually agreed that the meeting should be adjourned till the 26th November in order to enable the Mayor to meet the workers' representatives.

The Mayor said in the interest of a settlement of the strike that he would be prepared to meet the workers' representatives on the 25th.

Councillor S. C. Ray Chaudhuri, President of the Corporation Employees' Association, in a statement expressed his regret that things were not properly handled before and were not being conducted now in the right direction. He also said :—

> "Most of the grievances of the employees are long-standing and just and proper. The Corporation has difficulties, too, in view of its present financial position. The Mayor should have endeavoured to secure from Government the payment of the just and legitimate dues of the Corporation. That would have appeased the strikers at once and eased the situation.
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> "The employees would have accepted a reasonable settlement had there not been attempts to drive a wedge between them by dealing with the claims of some sections and deferring the consideration of claims of others. The Mayor has been ill-advised to instal the military in the pumping stations. Their mishandling may cause irreparable damage the cost of which would be much above the expenses the Corporation would have to incur in coming to a reasonable settlement."

The General Secretary of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association, Mr. Kumud Lal Bhattacharyya, issued a statement on the strike situation in the course of which he said :—

"Employees, workers and labourers of the Calcutta Corporation have been forced to resort to a strike on account of continued in-

decision and inaction on the part of their employers to redress their very legitimate grievances. During the whole period of the war they had cried hoarse to raise the standard of their wages in consonance with the abnormal rise in the prices of commodities."

"But after dilatory designs, the city fathers ultimately in March last appointed a Committee to pronounce their verdict within two months therefrom as to what basic wages should be fixed for the labour staff and what improvement should be made in the salary of other staff.

"The Committee did nothing in course of nine months when proper notices were from time to time sent to the Mayor and the Chief Executive Officer about the impatience of the employees. No steps were taken in regard to such notices nor was any reply thereto even ever given to the Association. Ultimately the strike notice was given with clear 15 days' time.

"We were approached by the Additional Labour Commissioner for the intervention of the Government but we refused the same, while the Mayor has not only held conferences with high Government officials but, as we learn, approached the Governor on the 23rd November for military help.

"The machinery of the Pumping Stations is very old and delicate and the employees will not be responsible if they are injured by mishandling to the great loss and suffering of the citizens.

"Such a step was taken during the last strike at Pulta and the damages that were then done by the military are still being repaired at the great cost of the rate-payers

"The Mayor is taking a great risk by handing over the pumping stations to the military. The damages may be so great that even when the strike is called off, it would not be possible to resume city services until new machine parts are imported from foreign countries."

Corporation Employees' Association Appeals

An appeal was issued by the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association to the citizens of Calcutta in a public meeting held at the Hazra Park on the 25th November last. The appeal stated:—

"We are sorry for all the difficulties and the terrible insanitary conditions and increasing nuisances caused by our strike in the city, but we firmly believe that the strength of this autonomous organization lies in the citizens and rate-payers of Calcutta and if they exert their civic right to arbitrate in such unfortunate situations we have no doubt that the dispute will be solved in no time. Citizens please do not let us down"

THE STRIKE ANNOUNCED TO BE OVER

The decision to end the then three-day old strike was announced in the newspapers of the 26th November last. The settlement was reported to have been reached at a late hour of the previous night after prolonged discussions between the Mayor and Councillor S. C. Ray Chaudhuri, President of the Corporation Employees' Association. Both the parties declared the terms of settlement as satisfactory.

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, in his statement said:

"Having been authorized by the Corporation of Calcutta at the meeting of the 24th November last to settle the dispute with the strikers, I proceeded to meet Mr. Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, President of the Corporation Employees' Association, for a settlement. I am glad to mention that all disputes have been settled on quite reasonable and satisfactory terms for which credit must be given to Mr. Ray Chaudhuri, the President, for his spirit of compromise and strenuous labour.

"I must convey my best thanks to Messrs. Nalin Chandra Paul, Purnendu Sekhar Bose and Prabhangshu Kumar Sett, Councillors of the Corporation, for the great assistance they have rendered to us from the morning till 10-30 p.m. without any rest. I want also to mention the services of Mr. D. N. Ganguli, Officiating Chief Engineer, in this connection and also during the strike.

"I have been assured by Mr. Ray Chowdhury, the President, that this strike will be called off immediately and the employees will resume their duties from this morning. It is a matter of profound satisfaction to me that the dispute has been settled without the intervention of any outsider.

"I am extremely sorry that the city had to suffer considerable hardship during the period of this strike and I apologise to the citizens for the same."

In the course of an invividual statement Councillor S. C. Ray Chaudhuri, President of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association stated:—

"I am glad to declare that with the disciplined co-operation and help from my co-workers and members of the Association and other labour and Workers' Union for which my heartiest thanks are due to them, I have been able to arrive at a satisfactory settlement as regards the various demands.

"It is needless to say that in the course of my negotiations due consideration was given by me to the interests of both the ratepayers and to the just and proper claims of the employees who have been suffering for so long.

"Now that a satisfactory settlement has been arrived at, I have called off the strike and request the employees to join their duties forthwith."

While a large section of the office staff and men of the workshop returned to work in the afternoon of the 26th November last in terms of the settlement that had been arrived at between the Mayor and the President of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association, majority of the workers of the Water Supply, conservancy and street lighting services did not join work.

The General Secretary of the Employees' Association, had issued an appeal to all members, including teachers of schools and training college, clerical staff, workers of pumping stations and workshops, jemadars, peons, labourers and all indoor and outdoor staff drawing salaries up to Rs. 300 to resume their duties immediately. According to him the terms of settlement had been accepted at a meeting of employees and workers.

On one side of the picture, the Corporation at a Special Meeting held on the 26th November, unanimously ratified the terms of settlement that had been agreed upon by the Mayor and the President of the Calcutta Corporation Employees' Association on the previous night. On the other, at a meeting of the workers and employees held at Shraddhananda Park under the auspices of the Corporation Workers' Union the terms of settlement were rejected and the strike was resolved to be continued.

In accordance with clause 35 of the terms of settlement a Special Board consisting of the Mayor, Councillor W. A. Burns, Councillor Anandi Lal Poddar, Councillor Mohamed Rafique, Councillor Nalin Chandra Paul, the Chief Executive Officer and a representative of the Corporation Employees Association was formed to implement the terms which were ratified at the Corporation Meeting.

"A Storm Has Blown Over The City"

The Mayor in the course of a statement before the House said that storm had blown over the city and some time must elapse before things became normal.

"On the day when we met last you authorised me to negotiate the terms of settlement with the representatives of the different Unions and I took a great responsibility on my shoulders, because I thought that the city must live and must be saved from the crisis in which it had been placed anyhow. Whatever happened before I met Mr. Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, the President of the Employees' Association. I do not like to mention before the House at the present moment the details of the discussion, but I may tell you that yesterday from the morning through the intervention of Mr. N. C. Paul and Mr. Purnendu Sekhar Basu arrangements were made for Mr. Ray Chaudhuri and myself to meet together and to know each other's mind about the points of dispute on the part of the employees. We commenced the sitting in the morning at about 10 a.m. without any rest or cessation and the meeting continued till 10-30 p.m. when the terms of settlement were concluded and the meeting ultimately broke at 12 o'clock.

"As you have noticed from newspapers we have managed to come to a settlement. Although it was distinctly understood between ourselves that the terms should not be published unless they

were placed before the Corporation, they appeared in a newspaper. Our responsibilities were very great and that was why I thought it prudent to get the Chief Engineer of the Corporation to be by my side for necessary reference and guidance and as the question also involved matters of administration and discipline on one or two occasions we also communicated with the Chief Executive Officer. I am glad for the settlement because if you scrutinise the terms of settlement arrived at and the recommendation made by the Special Committee they were at least to my mind substantially the same. The most important point which reqaire immediate attention and decision of the committee of the Corporation was the basic rate of wages and secondly the revision of grade and thirdly the question of making the labour staff permanent. There were other matters which were not so urgent but no doubt of importance in the interest of our employees and labour, staff. I mean provisions of hospitals, or houses, supply of clothing and various other things. On the initial rate of pay of the workers, you have found that the decision has been a 20 per cent. increase on the present basic rate plus Grain Compensation Allowance, which means 20 per cent. would be added to the basic rate as increment. This was exactly the decision of the Committee at the beginning. Yesterday we were able to persuade the representatives of the Unions to agree to the terms. So I think that it will be acceptable to the House although I know it would involve financial responsibilities. The other things that you find regarding the provision of the houses or hospitals the committee's recommendations have been accepted in toto by the terms of settlement between Mr. Ray Chaudhuri and myself. As regards the question of the permanency of the labour staff substantially the Committee was exactly of the same opinion as we have been in our terms of settlement. Of course everything has been accepted subject to the ratification by the House. It certainly depends upon the power of judgment of the individual members of the House but I must tell you that the situation in which the city had been placed was so dangerous and menacing to the health of the city that everyone of you would agree that it was imperative that something must be done to save the lives of so many millions of the citizens living in this city."

"In my opinion the terms of settlement are fair and reasonable. As regards the financial implication some arrangement should be made immediately by the Committee to be formed and that Committee must palce before the House a cut and dry scheme so that the labour staff may understand that we are serious and sincere and that it would not be agair left to the budget committee for the future. That is my appeal to the House. Let us face the situation if we are determined to give them relief we must give provision on the receipt side as it ought to be done."

Referring to the criticisms made in the press the Mayor admitted that the grievances which were embodied in the demands of the labourers were legitimate grievances. But the reason why these grievances could not be taken up was that a number of important members of the House, including Councillor Ray Chaudhuri who was also the President of the Employees' Association had been absent on account of the Puja holidays. Under the circumstances the Mayor did not think that the Corporation had made any unusual delay as had been suggested in many newspapers. Since April last to November he did not remember any notice of any motion tabled by the Councillors for a discussion of these grievances. So the delay for which the members of the House had been charged by the public were, to his mind, not justified.

As regards to the comments in the press that Corporation did not give to some of its' employees a living wage, the Mayor said that in addition to their wage of Rs. 18 per month these employees get Rs. 2 as grain allowance besides getting foodstuffs at pre-war rates. In addition of all these they are getting Rs. 20 as Dearness allowance. So the total earning of these classes of employees was as a matter of fact nearly Rs. 40 per month. Moreover, he would like to remind all in this connection that when he met the Secretary of the Local Self-Government and discussed about the revision of wages, he was told by the latter that the Government had not ag[illegible] the recommendation of

the Labour Commissioner for raising the wage of the labour staff to Rs. 20 per month. Besides they were told by the Government that so long as the dearness allowance continued there was no justification of raising the basis wage of the workers. In spite of that, the Mayor proceeded, the House had taken into consideration the question of raising the basic rate.

The Mayor continued :—

"Another thing which has created some misapprehension is the employment of the military labour staff in the pumping stations. It is suggested that it was I who persuaded the Government to send the military labour staff to occupy the pumping station. I have already said that the Governor took the step under instructions from the Viceroy and I mentioned on the very first day that the strike commenced that the military and police force will not be used to coerce or employ force against the labourers. The purpose that actuated me to give my consent to this was that I will not be one to oppose any attempt on the part of anybody who would work for the interest of the health of the city and for supplying drinking water to the citizens and hospital patients."

Explaining the reasons why the strikers have not yet resumed their duties the Mayor said :—

"A big storm has blown over the city. It will require some time before the normal condition is restored. I expect that from to-morrow morning you will find that all departments will be running and there will be no trouble."

The Mayor also later on informed the House that he had just received the information that the workers of the Tallah and Palmer's Bridge stations have resumed their duties from this afternoon.

Councillor J. H. Methold, Alderman A. R. Siddiqi, Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury and Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee and others praised the Mayor for his efforts which had led to a satisfactory end of the deadlock.

Councillor J. H. Methold said that they should also congratulate the military for the services that they had rendered to the people of the city.

Alderman Abdur Rahman Siddiqi congratulated the Mayor for the manner in which he had been able to settle the trouble. These troubles, Alderman Siddiqi added would come again and again so long as human life remained what it was. But still he believed that the House could not but endorse the action of the Mayor. He did not consider the Mayor or the leaders of the strikers as infalliable and the minor points that might come up in this settlement would be gone into later on. Mr. Siddiqi however, stressed that while remaining interested in the welfare of the workers they should not put a premium on dishonesty or corruption. The second point which he wanted to stress was that the terms of settlement were 99 per cent. the suggestion and recommendations of the terms which the Special Committee made. Under the circumstances he did not consider it proper to allow the Chief Executive Officer or any representative of the Employees' Union to sit in judgment over their action. That was why he felt that by the appointment of a new Special Board as contemplated in the terms of settlement they were laying a precedent of something that might impair the autonomy of the House.

Councillor B. N. Roy Chowdhury also congratulated the Mayor for the settlement of the dispute.

While moving for acceptance by the House the terms of settlement Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee expressed his gratification that they were almost the same as those agreed upon by the Special Committee. He sincerely hoped that when these terms were properly made known to all sections of the employees they would resume work. They had reasons to believe that all sections of employees had not yet been informed of the settlement that had been arrived at. It was indeed a great relief that the trouble had ended.

Councillor Gosto Behary Set supported the motion.

Councillors Somnath Lahiri and Mohammad Ismail warned the members against complacency about the end of the strike.

Councillor Lahiri opined that even though the President of the Employees' Association had announced the end of the strike he had seen that not even the *dhangars* and *methars* had returned to work. These were sufficient indication that they should not pat each other's back for the successful conclusion of the strike. They should consider the matter more carefully the terms that they had offered were not sufficient by themselves to induce all the workers to come to work. The President of the Employees' Association had failed to bring them to work inspite of the best intentions and the reason was that they had been inflamed.

Councillor Madan Mohan Burman said that he had talked to scavengers and had found that they were not satisfied. He emphasised that the distinction that had been made between skilled and unskilled labour had been unreal. He hoped that the services would be resumed from Tuesday.

Councillor W. A. Burns said that the House was morally bound up to the neck to support the settlement agreed upon by the Mayor with the strikers.

In the light of the remarks made by Councillors Lahiri and Ismail, Alderman Siddiqi wanted to know from the Mayor whether he was satisfied as to the authority of the President of the Employees' Association to sign the agreement on behalf of the employees of all departments.

Councillor Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, President of the Corporation Employees' Association, stated that there was a lot of misunderstanding about his role and activities in relation to the Employees' Association. The Employees' Association, he said, was a registered body and they approached him sometimes last year to be the President. It was usual for them to elect a Councillor as their President so that their legitimate grievances might be placed properly before the House through that Councillor. He never expected that a situation like the present one would come up. Actually he was at Deoghar when the Corporation Employees' Association decided to go into strike in case their long standing grievances were not redressed by the Corporation. He had been informed of this decison telegraphically and he came to Calcutta. From that time he had been negotiating to find out some means of settlment. He was not a labour leader and he had never any intention to be returned through labour votes. He believed that whatever he had done he had always been actuated by the best motives to bring about a conciliation between the Corporation and the employees.

So far as his authority to negotiate on behalf of the strikers he said that he first discussed the matter with the members of the Central Strike Committee which consisted of 15 members of various departments and was authorised by them. Of course their demands were much more and with great difficulty he could persuade them of these terms. Then he discussed the Mayor about the matter and as authorised by the Central Strike Committee and Employees' Association he put his signature of the terms.

Towards the end Councillor Ray Chaudhuri declared that the strike had ended but on account of the rumours that were spread by certain persons some misapprehension had been caused in some quarters. But most of the employees had joined. He as the President could say that it would be all right by the next day.

The Mayor informed the House that representatives of some of the workers' unions, including those of scavengers, jemadars and peons, had expressed to him their satisfaction at the terms of settlement and also their willingness to resume work immediately.

The House then passed the terms of settlement and also formed the special board unanimously.

At a meeting held at Sraddhananda Park in the evening, the following resolution was passed :—

"This meeting of the workers and employees of the Calcutta Corporation considers the withdrawal of the strike notice given by Mr. Sudhir Ray Chaudhuri and leaders of the Employees' Association to be unjust, undemocratic and unconstitutional. This meeting therefore rejects the terms of settlement arrived at with the Employees' Association.

"This meeting resolves that the leaders of the Employees' Association have no authority to withdraw the strike notice without the demands in the notice being fulfilled.

"This meeting elects a strike committee who will, when necessary, negotiate on behalf of workers and employees with the authorities after reviewing the situation with the general body of workers from time to time. Any decision to withdraw the strike will be taken by the general body of workers."

Mr. Gopal Acharya presided. Councillors Somnath Lahiri and Md. Ismail among others addressed the meeting.

His Excellency the Governor of Bengal, Mr. R. G. Casey and Mrs. Casey returned from Delhi on the 27th November last by air after a brief visit to the Viceroy. They had left for Delhi on the previous day. The Calcutta disturbances and the Corporation Employees' strike probably formed the main subjects of discussion during His Excellency's visit.

ACCEPTANCE BY CORPORATION OF NEW ADDITIONAL TERMS

Following acceptance of the new terms of settlement in addition to the terms already approved by the Corporation, the workers of the city's conservancy and water supply services agreed to return to work on the 28th November last.

WATER SUPPLY SITUATION

Maintained By Army Personnel

The following notice was issued by the military authorities in connection with Calcutta's water supply which was taken over by army personnel on the 24th November:—

"Owing to the furnaces of the installation having burnt low before military assistance was called for, and to various technical difficulties due to the fact that Army engineers are not fully acquainted with these old type of machinery, it is not possible to give more than approximately one quarter of the normal supply.

"It is hoped, however, that this will be improved in the next 24 hours."

The new terms were settled at a conference held by the Mayor with labour leaders and representatives of the different sectional unions of the employees at the Central Municipal Office buildings on the 27th. Several leading members of the Corporation were also present.

These terms were ratified at a workers' rally held in the evening at Sraddhananda Park, and later embodied in a formal agreement entered into by the labour leaders, representing the strikers and the Mayor and several leading Councillors, representing the Corporation.

After the signing of the agreement, the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor accompanied by the labour leaders and several Councillors went to the workers' rally at Sraddhananda Park. The workers signified their assent to the terms of settlement and declared that they would join work from the morning of the 28th November. The Mayor addressed the gathering and expressed his satisfaction at the decision of the workers.

Appealing to the workers to join work from the next day the Mayor said that he was very sorry that the workers as well as the people of this city had been suffering tremendously during the last few days. He felt that the trouble had been caused by the mistake of somebody somewhere. But whatever it was, he hoped that they would accept the terms and join work from the next day. The proper working of the Corporation solely depended upon them and so the Corporation could not remain indifferent to the well-being of the workers. Mr. Mukherjee added that he would relinquish his office after a few months but it was a matter of great pleasure for him to think that the Corporation workers got something including permanent status during his terms of mayoralty. He also told them to intimate their grievances through their leaders.

The Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shamsul Haque, Councillor A. A. Wise, The Chief Executive Officer, The Chief Engineer, Dr. Charu Chandra Mr. Sibnath Banerjee and Councillor Madan Mohan [illegible] went to the meeting with the Mayor.

THE MAYOR ANNOUNCES FINAL SETTLEMENT

The Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, in a statement issued on the 28th November last in connection with the settlement of the strike said :—

"I think the Corporation owes a duty to the citizens of Calcutta to explain the reasons why normal functioning of the Corporation did not commence on the 27th November, although it was declared by the Corporation at its meeting on the 26th that the strike had been called off in pursuance of a settlement with Mr. Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, President of the Corporation Employees' Association. It appears that the clerical staff, drivers and certain sections of the menial staff resumed their duties; but the scavengers and labour of the pumping stations did not do so.

"So, I had to call again a conference on the 27th morning of leading members of the Corporation and of leaders of the different outside labour organizations to make a fresh attempt to come out of the crisis. These leaders went back at about 11 a.m. to discuss the strike situation among themselves and with the strikers and to give their suggestions to me on the basis of which the strike might be terminated.

"Amongst other suggestions their principal recommendation was that a flat increment of Rs. 3 will have to be paid as a provisional arrangement to every one of the whole-time and part-time workers, both skilled and unskilled and all other employees including clerical staff drawing a salary up to Rs. 100 per month. They agreed that the revision of grade and other matters should be settled by the Special Committee, formed by the Corporation by the 31st of December, 1945. It was further agreed that those labour leaders through whose intervention the settlement would be arrived at should be invited by the Special Committee for giving them a hearing before their final report was submitted to the Corporation.

"I consulted all leading members of the Corporation and they have accepted these suggestions in the interest of the city. The leaders of the labour organizations met the scavengers and other strikers belonging to the Corporation at different meetings held in the evening, of the 27th November, and it was communicated to me at 8-30 p.m. by Councillor Somnath Lahiri and other labour leaders that the scavengers and other labour staff had accepted the terms and they would resume work from the 28th.

WATER-SUPPLY BY THE MILITARY

Why Not Sufficient ?—Explained

The military authorities who had taken charge of the water supply pumping stations at Tallah and Pulta in the situation caused by the Corporation employees' strike. announced on the 27th November last:—

"Although the military engineers are unfamiliar with the old type of machinery, one of the main reason why 100 p.c. water supply is not available is that there are indications that some ill-intentioned persons had interfered with the machinery of the installations.

"On investigations, blockages were found on essential piping, packing loosened, keys retaining wheels were missing, bolts of nuts removed and concealed, valves and other controls left or removed to the wrong positions

"Some of these defects must have been carefully prepared beforehand.

"These defects were calculated to delay progress of pumping at each successive stage rather than to do any permanent damage.

"It is felt that this information should be made public."

"I thank the labour leaders and Aldermen and Councillors who worked with me from the morning till 9 p.m. in this matter. I hope my expectations will not be falsified this time and the city will have its normal life in no time."

"LEADERSHIP OF THE RED FLAG"

Mr. Biren Roy, Secretary of the Calcutta Corporation Workers' Union issued a statement in the course of which he said :—

"The public must have noticed that the strike was not withdrawn by the workers and employees though a lengthy statement was issued by Mr. Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, President of the Corporation Employees' Association.

"The reason for this lay in the fact that Mr. S. C. Ray Chaudhuri issued the statement calling off the strike without even consulting any section of the 20,000 workers and employees who were on strike for the redress of their own grievances and on terms which did not render any benefit to them. This action of Mr. Ray Chaudhuri being undemocratic, unjust, unconstitutional and detrimental to the workers' and employees' cause they naturally rejected the so called settlement.

"I take this opportunity to congratulate the workers and the employees on their united and firm stand under the leadership of the Red Flag inspite of serious attempt to divide and confuse them in their struggle from various quarters."

DANGER TO PUBLIC HEALTH

GOVERNMENT CAUTION TO THE PUBLIC

A *Press Note* issued by the Government stated :—

The situation created by the strike of the Calcutta Corporation workers constitutes a great danger to public health. It is, however, possible to mitigate the danger to some extent if citizens take a few elementary precautions in their own interest.

The following three main points should be noted. Water must not be wasted and tube-wells handled as carefully as possible. Whether filtered or unfiltered, water should be boiled before drinking.

A great deal of garbage now being thrown into the streets could be destroyed on the premises. When it cannot be destroyed indoors, garbage should not be scattered indiscriminately in the streets. It should be taken to the nearest dustbin or rubbish heap, which would make destruction, or eventual collection, quicker and easier.

As a measure of personal protection citizens should take steps to get inoculated against cholera.

The Corporation at its special meeting on the 28th November last ratified the six additonal terms granted to the workers.

Moving for acceptance of the new terms Councillor Debabrata Mookerjee said that the terms should be treated as forming part and parcel of the 39 terms already accepted by the Corporation on the 26th November.

Continuing Councillor Mookerjee said that after they had failed to bring about resumption of the normal service on the 26th November, they all put their heads together and tried to enlarge upon the terms already satified by the House. When they discovered that certain terms, almost ancillary in nature deserved consideration according to some of them and a considerable section of their workers, the Mayor summoned them to a conference. They all agreed that no efforts should be spared to bring about conciliation. After consultation with the Labour representatives in the House and other labour leaders they decided upon certain additional terms. The agreement, which was arrived at on the 26th November, would be considered as the parent agreement.

Members of the Congress Party, Councillor Mookerjee said, had not changed the position they took up—and this was reflected in the agreement. On the 27th November last, when the situation looked desperate the speaker along with some of his friends of the Congress

Party in the House felt compelled to seek the advice of their leader, Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose.

Upon their apprising him of the main features of the situation, Mr. Bose said that he could advise them only generally since he had no opportunity to acquaint himself with the details of the case which had been made very much complicated by the developments that had taken place earlier.

MR. SARAT CH. BOSE'S ADVICE

In the first instance Mr. Bose advised them that in no case should police or military help be requisitioned by the Corporation as their presence on the streets of Calcutta in connection with the deadlock would tend to worsen the situation, particularly in view of the tension reported to be existing between one section of the employees who had called off the strike and the other section of workers who still held out. They accordingly did not agree to outside aid in the shape of police or military being requisitioned. Such a step, in their view, was bound to prejudice the negotiations then in hand, and prevent resumption of the normal city services under as favourable auspices as one would wish.

Secondly, Mr. Bose advised them to act up to the Congress ideal of treating labour with the utmost consideration by studying their grievances as sympathetically as possible and upon their assuring him that having regard to the Corporation's depleted finances, the concession made could not be called unfair, he (Mr. Bose) suggested that pending the final adjustment by the Special Committee, the Corporation should agree to give immediate effect to the proposed increase of pay and not postpone it till April, 1946. Members of the Congress Party, Mr. Mookerjee continued, were indeed greatly relieved to find that the Mayor, too, was thinking along the same line and ultimately induced prominent members of the House to take the same view.

CALCUTTA WATER-WORKS

Maj. Gen. Stuart's Statement

"The first act of the strikers on their return at certain stations was to replace the small parts which they had removed and hidden, and to put back into adjustment settings and connections which they had disarranged," says a statement issued by the Area Commander, Maj.-Gen. D. Stuart, in connection with the working of the Calcutta Corporation water-works.

The statement adds: "This applies to machinery which the military had not yet used and put right, or had given up trying to work."

Thirdly, Mr. Bose advised that failing all attempts at compromise, volunteers should be immediately mobilized by the Congress, so that they might take up the work of cleaning the city without delay, a work which could not be postponed even by an hour without exposing the city to the risk of outbreak of serious epidemics. As a matter of fact, it was under his advice, that in the course of the day they tried to get together in some of the wards of the city bands of young men and students who volunteered to undertake the good work of cleaning the city pending negotiations with their employees. Fortunately, however, that stage was not reached, their negotiations bore fruit and now they could safely say that real settlement had emerged out of what once threatened to be an insoluble tangle.

Councillor Purnendu Sekhar Bose seconded the motion.

Councillor S. C. Ray Chaudhuri said that the strike was really called off on the morning of the 26th November last, but on account of the activities of the communists, it had to be continued and also on account of hooliganism on peaceful people the workers could not join their duties. He apprehended that the original terms of agreement arrived at on the 25th would be set at naught.

Councillor Ray Choudhuri contended that the new terms were not additional terms, as had been suggested. In his view the entire agreement that was arrived at between him and the Mayor and which was subsequently ratified by the House was set at naught by one clause of the new terms.

He said that if the terms of the original settlement were to be considered by the Special Committee formed thereunder, as had been suggested in Clause 4 of the new terms, the original agreement practically went out of the picture. For, the Special Committee which had been formed in terms of the original agreement had no jurisdiction to go into the new terms. He remarked that a huge fraud had been perpetuated on the employees of the Corporation by the insertion of this clause in the new terms. He suggested that the clause be amended.

Councillor Somnath Lahiri said he would not bother to reply to the charges made by Councillor Ray Chaudhuri against the communists. The communists were accustomed to such slanders. But the workers knew who their real friends were. He would not reply to the accusations because even if he replied, his statement would not find place in the nationalist newspapers. "We do not bother what the so-called nationalist leaders or newspapers say about us," he added.

THE MAYOR'S ASSURANCE TO EMPLOYEES

The Mayor assured Councillor Ray Chaudhuri that the Special Committee would see to it that the original terms were honoured and the employees really got what they expected.

Councillor A. A. Wise said that the storm was over but it had left lessons for them. In his attempt to find out the real condition he was sorry to find that there was no link between the departmental heads and the labour staff. In some cases the departmental heads did not know even the grievances of their subordinates. He suggested that there should be a welfare officer whose duty it would be to mix with the workers and ascertain their grievances. If that was done then he believed strikes might be avoided in future.

In winding up the meeting the Mayor, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, expressed his thanks to all those who worked for the conclusion of the strike. He appealed to the workers "not to play with the lives of millions of our people by withholding supply of drinking water."

Extra Expenditure Of Rs. 60,000 Per Month

The Mayor also revealed that the Corporation would have to incur an extra expenditure of about Rs. 60,000 per month from December next to meet the demands of the workers according to the terms of settlement.

The Mayor said it was mentioned repeatedly during the controversy between the Government and the Corporation that the closing balance shown as Rs. 20 lakhs would be less than zero at the end of the present financial year. He, therefore emphasized that the Corporation had got to authorize the Special Committee formed to go into the question of financial implication and to embody their recommendations in the final report to be submitted by the end of the next month.

At the outset the Mayor said: "All is well that ends well." The biggest Municipal strike of Calcutta is over without use of any violence or force, and on terms agreed upon by both parties. I am thankful to the members of the Corporation of all parties for their unstinted support.

"Political differences or political principles of one party or the other", the Mayor continued, "were no consideration with the members in their joint effort to tackle the problem. I also thank Messrs. Somnath Lahiri and Md. Ismail and the leaders of outside labour organizations, for their whole-hearted co-operation in the final termination of this strike. In this connection I should mention my appreciation of the services rendered by the Chief Engineer, Mr. D. N. Ganguly, in particular, and also of the Secreary, Mr. M. Ray, from the very beginning. The conduct of most of the other departmental heads and the two Deputy Executive Officers was most amazing. They remained unconcerned in this crisis of the city."

"I am sorry" the Mayor went on to say, "that I made a mistake in declaring in the House that the strike had been over when Mr. Sudhir Chandra Ray Chaudhuri as the President of the Employees' Association settled the terms with me on behalf of the employees including the scavengers, menials and other members of the staff of the Pumping stations. There was no want of bonafide in that attempt and it was no hoax on my part, or, on the part of the Corporation as it was represented in one important daily of the city; although it transpired later on that it was Messrs. Somnath Lahiri and Md. Ismail, who had

the real control of the labour staff of the Corporation. I hope, you will excuse me from the said mistake in my first attempt in settling the dispute."

Proceeding the Mayor said: "For the great hardship and the danger into which the citizens were put, I am extremely sorry and on your behalf, I apologize to them. I appeal to all employees of the Corporation in the name of the Almighty that if any occasion arises in future for another strike, they must not play with the lives of millions of our people by withholding supply of drinking water."

The Mayos also said: "I mentioned in the last meeting that the Corporation should provide funds to meet the demands of the labour staff. We cannot now postpone its consideration as we have got to pay about Rs. 60,000/- a month from December next, to implement the settlement arrived at. One important daily has been misled by a wrong information that we have got 20 lakhs at our disposal for this purpose. It was mentioned repeatedly during the controversy between the Government and the Corporation the execution of the directives as proposed by them that the closing balance shown as Rs. 20 lakhs in the Budget estimate will be less than zero at the end of the present financial year. You have got, therefore, to authorize the Special Committee formed to go into the question of financial implication and to embody their recommendations in the final report to be submitted by the end of the next month."

In conclusion the Mayor also expressed his thanks to the Congress labour leaders, Dr. Suresh Chandra Banerjee, Mr. Sibnath Banerjee, Dr. Maitreyee Bose and Dr. Charu Chandra Banerjee for the help they rendered to the Mayor for ending the strike.

CALCUTTA.

Agreement between the Corporation of Calcutta and the Calcutta Tramways Co. Ltd. dated the 3rd September, 1945.

AGREEMENT made in Calcutta on the 3rd day of September One thousand nine hundred and forty five Between THE CALCUTTA TRAMWAYS COMPANY LIMITED having its registered office situate at No. 1, Queen Victoria Street in the City of London in England and carrying on business at P-4, Mission Row Extension in the town of Calcutta (hereinafter called "the Company") of the one part and THE CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA (hereinafter called "the Corporation") of the other part WHEREAS the Company owns and operates the tramways described in the Schedule hereto upon the terms and subject to the conditions of the several contracts in such Schedule mentioned AND WHEREAS the Corporation by notice in writing dated the twenty-seventh day of June One thousand nine hundred and forty-four gave notice to the Company that in exercise of the right vested in it by Clause 5 of the Agreement between the Corporation and the Company dated the ninth day of December One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (in the said Schedule mentioned) it intended to purchase on the first day of January One thousand nine hundred and forty-five the tramways constructed and maintained by the Company under such Agreement together with the plant, machinery, lands, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith belonging to and used by the Company for the purpose of such tramways and called upon the Company to make over to it the said tramways, plant, machinery, lands, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith on the expiry of the thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and forty-four AND WHEREAS during the period of such notice differences arose between the parties hereto as to the application of such notice, the Corporation contending that under the said Agreement of the ninth day of December One thousand eight hundred and ninety-five as sanctioned and authorised by the Calcutta Tramways (Electric Traction) Act One thousand nine hundred it was entitled to purchase all the Tramways of the Company, while the Company contended that such right was confined to the purchase of the tramways situate within the area subject to the jurisdiction of the Corporation AND WHEREAS such differences have been settled and adjusted between the parties hereto upon the terms hereinafter stated NOW IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY AND BETWEEN THE PARTIES hereto as follows:—

1. The Company shall continue to own and to operate its said tramways during the year One thousand nine hundred and forty-five upon the terms and subject to the conditions (save as by this agreement expressly varied) of the several contracts mentioned in the Schedule hereto. The Company shall be entitled to all moneys received or becoming due and (save as hereinafter provided) shall bear all expenditure and discharge all liabilities incurred in connection with the operation of such tramways during the said year. The Corporation shall have no claim or right to any part of such income and (save as hereinafter provided) shall not be responsible for any such expenditure or liabilities.

2. The Company shall sell to the Corporation and the Corporation shall buy all the said tramways of the Company together with all plant, machinery, lands, buildings, rolling stock, stores, and everything connected therewith belonging to the Company. Subject to the terms of Clauses 9 and 10 hereof, the purchase shall have effect as on and from the first day of January One thousand nine hundred and forty-six and shall be completed on the first working day subsequent to that date when payment of the purchase price shall be made and delivery given.

3. The purchase price shall be a sum of equal to twenty-five times the difference between the average gross annual receipts and the working expenses of the Company which said working expenses shall inter alia include track rent and the proper up-keep and maintenance of the said tramways, plant, machinery, buildings and rolling stock and any sum payable under Clause 4 hereof. The average of the gross annual receipts and working expenses shall for the purpose of ascertaining the purchase price be determined by taking the average of the seven years ended on the thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and forty-four. The Company shall afford every facility to the Corporation its officers and agents for examining and ascertaining such annual receipts and working expenses as aforesaid.

4. The Company shall, during the year One thousand nine hundred and forty-five well and sufficiently repair to the satisfaction of the Engineer to the Corporation such of the said Tramways and of the said plant, machinery, buildings, rolling stock and other things or such portions thereof as shall upon the examination hereinafter mentioned be found to be in need of repair and shall place or restore the same in or to a good and serviceable order and condition and shall so give delivery of the same to the Corporation. In the event of the Company making default in the performance of this stipulation, the Corporation shall be entitled, to the extent of such default, to a deduction from the purchase price. The fact whether such default has occurred and the amount of such deduction shall, failing agreement between the parties be determined by arbitration in the manner hereinafter provided. The Engineer to the Corporation shall forthwith on the execution of this Agreement proceed with the examination of the said tramways, plant, machinery, buildings, rolling stock and other things and the Company shall afford all reasonable facilities for such examination. All requisitions regarding repairs which the Corporation shall make as a result of such examination shall be communicated in writing by the Corporation to the Company in Calcutta within two months from the date hereof.

5. No deduction from the purchase price shall be made by reason of any depreciation due to ordinary wear and tear of the said tramways or the said plant, machinery, buildings, rolling stock or other things or any portion thereof occurring after the date of the completion of the examination aforesaid.

6. The cost of all normal replacements, renewals and repairs executed by the Company during the year One thousand and nine hundred and forty-five shall be borne by the Company. Any replacements, renewals or repairs which shall be rendered necessary during that period by act of God or by abnormal circumstances, including enemy action or other force majeure, shall be executed by the Company to such extent as may, by the exercise of due diligence, be possible within such period. The Company will pay to the Corporation the cost of completing and executing such replacements, renewals or repairs so remaining incomplete or unexecuted which shall be reasonably incurred by the Corporation during the period of six calendar months from the date of delivery in terms of this agreement. PROVIDED ALWAYS that during the year One thousand nine hundred and forty-five the Company shall be under no obligation to make any expenditure of a capital nature, and that, if, at the request of the Corporation, it shall undertake any such expenditure, the amount so expended or for which the Company shall render itself liable shall be added to the purchase price as ascertained under Clause 3 hereof.

7. The Corporation shall forthwith use its best endeavours to obtain the assent where necessary of the other parties to the contracts mentioned in the Schedule hereto to the assignment and transfer by the Company to the Corporation of the benefit of such contracts and of the tramways, plant, machinery, lands, buildings, rolling stock and other things which are the subject matter of such contract respectively. In the case of the tramway situate within the jurisdiction

of the Municipality of Tollygunge, between which Municipality and the Company there is no subsisting contract, the Corporation shall so use its best endeavours to obtain the assent if necessary of the said Municipality to the transfer by the Company to the Corporation of the said tramway. In the case of the tramway operated under the contract with the Commissioners of the New Howrah Bridge the Corporation will also so use its best endeavours to obtain the approval of the Government of Bengal to the assignment of such contract. The Corporation will also so use its best endeavours to obtain the assent of the Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation Limited to the assignment by the Company to the Corporation of the benefit of the contract between the Supply Corporation and the Company dated the nineteenth day of December One thousand nine hundred and thirty four. If such assents and approval and such other assents or approval if any as are legally necessary to enable the parties to perform this agreement shall be obtained by the Corporation, the Company will, subject to the terms of Clause 10 hereof, assign the Corporation at the time of the completion of the purchase under this agreement the benefit of the said contracts respectively. As a term of such assignment the Corporation will undertake to keep the Company harmless and indemnified against any claim or demand by other parties to such contracts in respect of anything done or omitted to be done under any of such contracts. While accepting no obligation to obtain any of the assents or approvals abovementioned, the Company will, at the request of the Corporation, render such assistance in the obtaining thereof as may be reasonably required of it.

8. The Corporation shall further forthwith use its best endeavours to procure the enactment by the Government of Bengal of such legislation as may be necessary to empower the Corporation to purchase and operate the said tramways and to purchase the said plant, machinery, lands, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith belonging to the Company.

9. Should any of the assents or the approval mentioned in Clause 7 hereof not have been obtained before the first day of January One thousand nine hundred and forty-six, or should the legislation mentioned in Clause 8 hereof not have been enacted before that date, or should the the Corporation have been unable before that date to obtain by loan or otherwise the moneys necessary for payment of the purchase price the Company shall as on and from that date be entitled to remain in the ownership and possession of the said tramways plant, machinery, lands, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith belonging to the Company upon the terms of the several contracts mentioned in the Schedule hereto as if this agreement had not been made and as if the said hereinbefore recited notice had not been given, and this agreement and the said notice shall be deemed to be cancelled.

10. Should all the said assents and the said approval have been obtained and the said legislation enacted and the moneys necessary for payment of the purchase price obtained by loan or otherwise before the first day of January one thousand and nine hundred and forty-six, but should the purchase price or the amount of any deduction to be made therefrom or any addition to be made thereto in terms of this agreement not have been finally ascertained before that date the Company shall be entitled to remain in the ownership and possession of the said tramways, plant, machinery, lands, buildings, rolling stock, stores and everything connected therewith belonging to the Company until such final ascertainment on the same terms as those of its possession during the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-six as contained in this agreement and after such final ascertainment to remain in such ownership and possession on such terms for a further period not exceeding two calendar months and ending with a calendar month, upon the expiry of which period the purchase shall be completed and payment and delivery shall be made and given.

11 Any question difference or dispute between the parties hereto touching this agreement or the construction thereof or as to the rights, duties, or obligations of the parties hereto, including any question, dif-

ference or dispute as to the purchase price or any addition to or deduction therefrom, or as to the ascertainment of such price, addition or deduction or as to any other matter in anywise arising out of or in connection with the subject matter of this agreement shall be referred to the award order and final determination of two persons of whom shall be nominated in writing by each of the parties hereto respectively and in the event of disagreement between such arbitration then the award umpirage and determination of such sole umpire as the said arbitrators shall, before entering on the reference, by writing under their hands nominate and appoint. Such umpire shall sit with the arbitrators during the reference which shall be heard in Calcutta. The parties shall be entitled to be represented and heard on such reference by Solicitors and/or Counsel. The Arbitrators or Umpire as the case may be may of their or his own motion and shall, if so required in writing by either of the parties hereto, before making their or his award state a special case for the opinion of the High Court at Calcutta on any question of law involved in the reference. Save as in this clause otherwise provided, the said arbitration shall be in accordance with and subject to the provisions of the Indian Arbitration Act, or any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force.

12. This agreement has been sanctioned by a Resolution of the Corporation passed on the 1st day of August One thousand nine hundred and forty-five.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE-MENTIONED.

Tramways.	*Contracts under which operated.*
1. All tramways constructed and maintained by the Company in the area included within the boundaries set out in Schedule I to the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923 and within the Jurisdiction of the Corporation of Calcutta.	1. Agreement between the Corporation of Calcutta and Dillwyn Parrish and others, dated the 2nd October, 1879. 2. Agreement between the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners of the suburbs of Calcutta an Dillwyn Parrish and others dated the 22nd November, 1879. 3. Agreement between the Corporation of Calcutta and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited dated the 2nd September, 1893. 4. Agreement between the Corporation of Calcutta and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited dated the 9th December, 1899.
2. Tramways in the area included within the boundaries set out in Schedule I to the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923 but not within the Jurisdiction of the Corporation, being (a) the tramways running along the northern edge of the Maidan in Esplanade East (including the Esplanade junction). (b) the line running from Esplanade East, along the Diagonal Road and the Ellenborough Course and over the Kidderpore Bridge, terminating on the Southern approach of that Bridge at the junction with Garden Reach Road and Diamond Harbour Road lines.	1. Agreement between the Secretary of State for India in Council, Dillwyn Parrish and others and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited dated the 13th March, 1884. 2. Agreement between the Secretary of State for India in Council and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited dated the 20th August, 1900.

Tramways.	*Contracts under which operated.*
3. Tramways forming an extension of the Russa Road line of the Company, from Prince Mahomed Anwar Shah's Road to the terminus opposite to the Tollygunge Club within the boundaries of the Municipality of Tollygunge.	
4. Tramways forming an extension of the Diamond Harbour Road line of the Company from Goragacha Road to the terminus at Behala within the boundaries of the Municipality of Behala.	4. Agreement between the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioner of the South Suburban Municipality and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited dated the 5th April, 1908.
5. Tramways over the New Howrah Bridge and the approach thereto, situate on land and property vested in the Commissioners of the said Bridge.	5. Agreement between the Commissioners for the New Howrah Bridge and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited dated 17th January, 1938.
6. All tramways constructed and maintained by the Company within the boundaries of the Municipality of Howrah.	6. Agreement between the Chairman of the Municipal Commissioners of Howrah and the Calcutta Tramways Company Limited, dated the 9th May, 1905.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have duly executed these presents the day and year first above written.

Sd/- For the Calcutta Tramways Co. Ltd.,

THOMAS GODLEY.
Agent.

Sd/- D. N. MUKHERJEE.
Mayor.

LEGISLATURE CALCUTTA

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Corporation Budget Estimates for 1946-47

Estimates of Receipts, Expenditure and Balances under the Municipal Fund for the year [illegible]-47.

(In round numbers)

PARTICULARS.	Opening Balance on 1st April, 1946.	Receipts during 1946-47.	Reference to page.	Total of Opening Balance and total receipts, (Columns 2 and 3.)	Expenditure during 1946-47.	Closing Balance on 31st March, 1947.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
THE MUNICIPAL FUND.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
REVENUE FUND	(a) 35,68,000	4,03,69,000		4,39,37,000	4,19,50,000	19,87,000
Suspense Heads Contra	10,06,000	1,95,47,000		2,05,47,000	1,95,47,000	10,00,000
LOAN FUND.						
For works of a permanent nature as in List A	19,05,000	38,80,000		1,21,65,000	57,75,000	10,000
For works of a permanent nature as in List B	.....	63,80,000			63,80,000	
	19,05,000	1,02,60,000		1,21,65,000	1,21,55,000	10,000
TRUST FUNDS.						
(a) Combined Cart Registration Fund of the several Municipalities	.....	1,45,000		1,45,000	1,45,000	.....
(b) Licensed Warehouse Fund, ..	.....	3,49,000		3,49,000	3,49,000	.....
	.....	4,94,000		4,94,000	4,94,000	.....
GRAND TOTAL ..	64,73,000	7,06,70,000		7,71,43,000	7,41,46,000	29,97,000

The Consolidated Rate is proposed to be levied at 19½ per cent. for the first quarter and 21½ per cent. for the remaining quarters with an additional ½ per cent. as The Howrah Bridge tax, the dog tax at Rs. 5 per dog per annum under Section 173 (2) and the other taxes in accordance with the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923.

The Licensed Warehouse fees will be levied at 10 per cent. (as in 1945-46) on the annual valuation of the Licensed Warehouses under Section 10 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, as amended in 1934.

(a) This Balance is estimated on the basis of Receipts and Payments only. The Cash balance does not include the amounts held for contractors' deposit, which are estimated at about Rs. 5 lakhs. They are included in the opening balance of Rs. 10 lakhs shown under "Suspense Heads Contra" above.

N. SARKAR,
Chief Accountant

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

4th February, 1946.

Estimated Receipts of the Municipal Revenue Fund for the year 1946-47 classified as follows and compared with the previous years.

	Estimate for 1946-47.	Original Estimate for 1945-46.	Revised Estimate for 1945-46.	Actuals for 1944-45.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Consolidated Rate—p.	2,29,42,000	2,21,80,000	2,12,00,000	2,02,95,253
Tax on Animals and Carriages—p.	55,000	55,000	55,000	55,521
Tax on Trades and Professions—p.	15,75,000	15,00,000	15,75,000	15,87,226
Contribution from Govt. as compensation for taking over the licensing of Motor Vehicles—p.	4,50,000	4,50,000	4,50,000	4,50,000
Receipts from Markets, Slaughter-houses and Dhobi-khana—pp.	15,63,500	15,48,500	16,73,200	15,92,162
Do. from Tramways, Telephone and Electric Companies—p.	77,900	75,300	75,300	75,280
Exemption fees, Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c.—p. ...	4,30,800	5,16,300	3,93,800	3,10,793
Sale Proceeds of Lands and Produce of Lands—p. ...	11,51,000	20,60,500	13,58,000	5,95,652
Contributions from Government—p.	56,10,200	71,000	1,25,53,700	67,316
Receipts from Burial Grounds and Crematorium—p.	37,000	27,000	37,000	39,224
Do. from the Combined Cart Registration Fund, being the share of the Corporation in the surplus—p. ...	1,02,800	1,03,200	1,03,200	1,06,191
Do. from the Combined Hackney Carriage Fund, being the share of the Corporation under Section 60 of the H. C. Act—p.	3,000	3,000	2,000	...
Sale of Water—p.	8,57,000	7,68,000	7,55,000	6,35,602
Scavenging Tax—p.	37,000	35,000	37,000	39,084
Fines under the Municipal Act and other Acts—p. ...	75,000	75,000	74,300	61,474
Interest on Surplus Cash Balances—p.	2,00,000	2,00,000	3,00,000	4,47,483
Recovery of equated annual instalment from the Garden Reach Municipality towards cost of Moore's Scheme—p.	42,700	42,700	42,700	42,674
Recovery of Law Charges—p.	27,000	17,000	25,000	26,469
Sale Proceeds of Unserviceable Stores—p. ...	30,000	50,000	72,000	32,106
Electricity from the Turbo-alternators—p. ...	1,40,000	2,86,000	1,40,000	73,819
Rebate on account of charges for electricity—p. ...	15,000	30,000	...	14,549
Receipt from Govt. for hire of commandeered road-rollers—p.	3,30,000	...	...	...
Loans and advances from Government	37,86,400	...	36,67,500	...
Receipts under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act ...	50,000	...	...	...
Sale proceeds of road-rollers—p.	...	2,40,800	...	...
Miscellaneous Receipts (including profit from Work-shops)—pp.	7,80,700	7,90,100	10,38,500	7,55,550
Total ...	4,03,69,000	3,11,24,400	4,56,28,200	2,73,03,428
In round numbers ...	4,03,69,000	3,11,24,000	4,56,28,000	
Suspense Heads (Contra) including Workshops ...	1,95,47,000	1,84,21,000	2,45,00,000	
Excess of expenditure over receipts ...	15,81,000	...	34,02,000	
Grand Total ...	6,14,97,000	4,95,45,000	7,35,30,000	

Estimated Expenditure of the Municipal Revenue Fund for the year 1946-47 classified as follows compared with the previous years.

Establishments—

	Superior Supervision.	Supervision.	Clerical and Subordinate	Labour.	Estimate for 1946-47.	Original Estimate for 1945-46.	Revised Estimate for 1945-46.	Actuals for 1944-45.
	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs
Salaries of Officers under section 51(1) ...	1,26,600		...	...	1,26,600	...	...	...
Do. of other Officers and Servants under section 51 (2)	2,78,670	18,28,610	25,78,180	26,17,700	73,03,160	...	...	...
Total ...	4,05,270	18,28,610	25,78,180	26,17,700	74,29,760	...	...	...
Less—debitable to other funds ...	23,850	38,000	62,000	300	1,23,950	...		...
Debitable to Revenue ...	3,81,420	17,90,610	25,16,180	26,17,400	*73,05,810	67,960	72,49,800	67,77,696
Interest on Loans—p.					38,14,900	14,900	38,13,000	39,55,065
Contribution for Repayment of Loans—p					17,70,700	96,300	17,85,900	17,39,088
Do. to Licensed Warehouse Fund for the Fire-Brigade—p.					2,32,900	82,500	2,21,400	2,28,801
Do. to Free Libraries—p.					41,000	41,000	81,000	40,014
Do. to Primary & Technical Educational Institutions—p					2,49,000	49,000	4,81,000	1,96,570
Improvement of Primary Education—p.					12,80,700	98,000	11,85,200	10,93,849
Materials—p.					52,74,400	68,200	49,17,700	37,63,506
Contribution to Hospitals, Almshouses, Child-welfare division, Indian Red Cross Society, etc.—p. ...					6,65,000	65,000	14,65,000	7,42,771
Dispensaries, Maternity Homes, Baby Clinics, Milk Kitchens, etc.—p.					2,60,800	29,300	2,38,900	2,33,751
Pensions, Gratuities, Compassionate allowances, Contribution to the Provident Fund & Commutation of pension, etc.—p.					5,57,900	16,500	5,58,000	4,50,611
Law charges—p.					1,69,100	54,000	2,78,500	78,402
Commission to Bank—p.					29,400	36,600	95,700	26,524
Contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust—p.					20,38,000	50,000	19,92,000	20,95,886
Contingencies					1,39,600	1,700	1,36,400	1,15,178
Uniforms					87,500	8,800	78,700	60,655
Telephone charges					66,500	5,800	64,800	56,785
Gas for street lighting—p.					4,50,000	1,000	1,38,000	71,171
Electricity for do. —p.					1,00,000	30,000	30,000	25,987
Grain compensation allowance—p.					3,25,000	16,000	3,00,000	2,89,120
Cost of Motor Vehicles, etc.—p.					5,82,000	84,600	14,64,000	4,41,532
Contribution to the Garden Reach Municipality—p.					2,50,000	50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000
Expenditure for improving the conditions of service of the Harijans (Conservancy Coolies, Mehters, Carters etc.)—p.					15,000	5,000	25,000	10,000
Hire of lorries for removing refuse—p					...	97,000	99,200	2,15,932
Air Raid Precaution—p					10,000	19,000	1,29,700	49,183
War Risks Insurance of the Factories of the Corporation—p.						1,23,000	1,88,300	1,26,212
Repayment of Govt. Loan—p					43,400	43,700	10,58,800	...
Contribution to Building Repairs Fund—p.					...	85,000	1,85,000	1,00,000
Dearness allowance to employees—p.					63,36,000	1,38,000	1,37,21,200	...
Food concessions					5,16,000	...	19,37,400	...
Contribution to Loan Fund for financing Loan projects					12,35,100	...	4,76,000	...
War Emergency payment to employees					...	...	4,80,000	...
Slum Improvement work					1,50,000	...	...	...
Lump sum for grade increments, etc. in settlement of November strike					12,00,000	...	...	...
Lump sum for establishment as per Lt.-Col. Harris' recommendation, Govt. directives, etc.					2,12,200	...	...	...
Lump sum for establishment, etc., for removal of Chingreehatta Refuse Platform and Hazra Pail Depot and Mehters' barracks					2,08,400	...	...	...
Lump sum for additional staff for the Water Works Engineer, Pulta					35,000	...	...	...
Other *Miscellaneous* items, such as Repair works, Filter working, Precaution against epidemics, etc, (previously designated as Contract labour, Contract of labour & materials not distinguishable & *Miscellaneous*)					55,22,390	9,840	39,02,100	30,25,165
New works—pp. ... For works released & carried over ...				2,19,200				
New works—pp. ... For additional works				5,51,000				
				7,70,200	7,70,200	4,500	88,300	53,715
Total					4,19,59,800	3,300	4,90,30,000	2,53,03,098
In round numbers ...					4,19,50,000	3,000	4,90,30,000	
Suspense Heads (contra) including Workshops ...					1,95,47,000	1,000	2,45,00,000	
Excess of receipts over expenditure ...					...	1,000	...	
Grand Total ...					6,14,97,000	5,000	7,35,30,000	

*This provision excludes Rs. 10,00,000 for the school staff which is included in the provision under "Im... ...ry Education."

Chief Executive Officer's Statement regarding Details of the Revenue Estimates.

I shall now deal with the Estimates:—

The Budget Estimates for 1946-47 stand as follows as compared with the Revised Estimates for the current year 1945-46

	Revised Estimate 1945-46	Budget Estimate 1946-47
	Rs.	Rs.
Opening Balance	42,59,000	35,68,000
Receipts	4,56,28,000	4,03,69,000
Recoupment of advances for the adjustment of which provision has been made	27,11,000	...
Total	5,25,98,000	4,39,37,000
Expenditure	4,90,30,000	4,19,50,000
Closing Balance	35,68,000	19,87,000

Before I take up details of estimates for 1946-47, I shall first deal with the Revised Estimates for the current year. For this purpose the original estimates as also the revised estimates are shown below, side by side.

	Original Estimates 1945-46	Revised Estimates 1945-46	Difference
	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
Opening Balance ...	14,79,000	42,59,000	+ 27,80,000
Receipts	3,11,24,000	4,56,28,000	+ 1,45,04,000
Recoupment of advances for the adjustment of which provision has been made	...	27,11,000	+ 27,11,000
Expenditure	3,06,13,000	4,90,30,000	+ 1,84,17,000
Closing Balance which is the Opening Balance of the following year ...	19,90,000	35,68,000	+ 15,78,000

The increase of Rs. 27,80,000 in the Opening Balance is mainly due to unpaid and unadjusted liabilities paid and adjusted during the current year.

The increase of Rs. 1,45,04,000 in the Estimate of Receipts for 1945-46 is accounted for as follows:—

Increases

	Rs
Tax on Trades and Professions ...	75,000
Receipts from Markets, Slaughter Houses and Dhobikhana	1,24,000
Contribution from Government	1,24,83,000
Interest on Surplus Cash Balances	1,00,000
Loans and advances from Government ...	36,68,000
Miscellaneous Receipts	2,48,000
Total ...	**1,66,98,000**

Against these are to be set off the following decreases:—

Decreases.

			Rs.
Consolidated Rate	...	...	9,80,000
Rent of lands, buildings, etc.		...	1,23,000
Sale proceeds of lands	...	...	7,02,000
Receipt on account of supply of electricity from the Turbo-alternators	...	...	1,46,000
Rebate on account of charges for electricity		...	30,000
Sale proceeds of road-rollers	...	...	2,41,000
Total		...	22,22,000

The difference is due to smaller items of increases and decreases which require no special mention.

I shall now deal very briefly with some of the above increases and decreases.

Contribution from Government—Increase Rs. 1,24,83,000

This increase mainly represents the 80 per cent. of the total cost for Dearness concessions up to the end of March, 1946 paid by Government. This was hitherto being accounted for through suspense heads but it is proposed to adjust the receipts and payments through Budget heads now to be opened.

Loans and advances from Government—Increase Rs. 36,38,000.

This increase which includes the following advances from Government is due to the fact that originally there was no provision in the Budget:—

		Rs.
(1)	Government advance for payment of Corporation's share of Dearness concessions up to June, 1945	20,18,000
(2)	Government advance for the purchase of lorries	12,80,000
(3)	Loan receivable from Government for financing the project of Laying U. F. W. Main from the junction of Debendra Ghose Road to Syed Ameer Ali Avenue	3,70,000
	Total ...	36,68,000

Miscellaneous receipts—Increase Rs. 2,48,000.

This increase is mainly due to a refund of Rs. 1,50,000 by the Calcutta Improvement Trust against the Corporation contribution for 1944-45 on account of suspension of payment of Rs. 1,50,000 per year for three years with effect from the 1st April, 1944, as sanctioned by the Government and Rs. 44,000 (Rs. 72,000 against the original provision of Rs. 28,000) received in excess over the original estimate on account of contribution from the Public Utility Companies and Government Post and Telegraph Department as contribution for the preparation of a map of Calcutta. The difference is due to many smaller items of increases and decreases.

Consolidated Rate—Decrease Rs. 9,80,000.

The revised estimate is Rs. 2,12,00,000 against the Budget provision of Rs. 2,21,80,000.

The collection of Consolidated rate during the first 3 quarters of the current year shows an improvement of Rs. 10 lakhs over the collection during the corresponding period of the previous year, the actual

collection upto the end of December, 1945 being the Rs. 1,46,64,000 as against Rs. 1,36,72,000 for the same period of 1944-45. If this improvement is maintained it is hoped that the total collection will reach the revised estimated figure of Rs. 2,12,00,000. The actual collection during the fourth quarter of 1944-45 was Rs. 66,23,000 as against Rs. 61,24,000 collected in the fourth quarter of 1943-44. The revised estimate of Rs. 2.12 lakhs includes Rs. 1,46,64,000 already collected plus Rs. 65,36,000 expected to be collected during the fourth quarter.

The collection by the Law Department is not up to the expectation, the collection during the first three quarters of the current year being only Rs. 2,13,000 against a total provision of Rs. 10 lakhs for the year.

It may be pointed out in this connection that the original estimate of Rs. 2,21,80,000 included Rs. 10 lakhs for collection out of arrears in the Law Department and Rs. 6.90 lakhs for arrear rates in respect of the Council House, but a greater portion of arrears in the Law Department and the whole of Rs. 6.90 in respect of the rates for the Council House will not be collected. As regards the latter amount the Government in a recent letter have categorically denied that the Corporation is entitled to any Rate on this account. The provision has therefore been omitted from the next year's Budget as it is no use providing this amount until the question is finally decided by arbitration or in a Court of Law.

Rent of lands, buildings, etc.—Decrease Rs. 1,23,000.

The revised estimate is Rs. 3,93,000 against the original provision of Rs. 5,16,000.

This is mainly due to non-realisation of Rs. 1 lakh for salami and rent to be received from leasing out Kulti lands and also to non-realisation of the full estimated rent from the Manicktolla Trenching ground which was vacated on 20th September, 1945.

Sale proceeds of lands—Decrease Rs. 7,02,000.

The revised estimate is Rs. 13,58,000 against the Budget provision of Rs. 20,60,000.

The original provision of Rs. 20,60,000 included amongst others the following:—

		Rs.
(i)	Sale of land at Baghbazar Metal Depot (portion)	1,50,000
(ii)	Sale of lands on Bhowanipore Road and Circular Road	50,000
(iii)	Sale of Allen Market	5,50,000
(iv)	Sale of land at Narkeldanga Main Road (old trenching ground)	5,00,000

As regards these provisions, the remaining portion of Baghbazar Metal Depot will not be sold as decided by the Corporation dated the 10th July, 1945, it being required by the Water Works Department in connection with their scheme for unfiltered water pumping station at that site, the lands on Bhowanipore Road and Circular Road being road-lands cannot be sold, the idea of selling the Allen Market has since been abandoned and the sale of the land at Narkeldanga Main Road cannot be effected this year. These four items account for a decrease of Rs. 12,50,000 against which is to be set off the increased sale proceeds of the Hazra Pail Depot and other lands in order to arrive at the net decrease of Rs. 7,02,000.

Receipt on account of supply of Electricity from the Turbo-alternators—Decrease Rs. 1,46,000.

The revised estimate is Rs. 1,40,000 against the Budget provision of Rs. 2,86,000.

This decrease is due to the fact that two H. T. pumps at Palmer's Bridge Pumping Station and one H. T. Pump at Ballygunge Drainage Pumping Station went out of order and did not work for months together.

Sale proceeds of road-rollers—Decrease Rs. 2,41,000.

The revised estimate is nil against the Budget provision of Rs. 2,41,000.

The provision which was carried over from the previous year represented sale proceeds of road-rollers commandeered by Government. The Government have, however, agreed to pay a hire charge of Rs. 10 per road-roller per day subject to a maximum of Rs. 10,000 per road roller irrespective of the period for which it might have served. The hire of 33 rollers amounting to Rs. 3,30,000 has been included in the next year's Budget.

Recoupment of advances of Rs. 27,11,000 represents the amount already advanced from the closing balance and for adjustment of these advances, provision has been made in the revised estimate.

The increase of Rs. 1,84,17,000 in the revised estimate of expenditure for 1945-46 is the result of the following increases and decreases :—

Increases.	Rs.
Contribution for repayment of Loan ...	90,000
Contribution to Free Libraries ...	40,000
Contribution to Primary and Technical Educational Institutions	2,32,000
Contribution to Hospitals, Dispensaries etc. ...	8,00,000
Materials	4,55,000
Pensions, Gratuities, etc.	41,000
Law charges	1,25,000
Gas for Street lighting	67,000
Cost of Motor Vehicles	13,79,000
Hire of lorries for removing refuse ...	62,000
Air Raid Precaution ...	1,14,000
War Risks Insurance of the Factories of the Corporation	60,000
Repayment of Government Loan ...	4,20,000
Dearness allowance to employees ...	1,17,38,000
Food concessions ...	19,37,000
Contribution to Loan Fund for financing Loan projects	4,76,000
War emergency payment to employees ...	4,80,000
Miscellaneous	3,22,000
Total	1,88,38,000

Against these are to be set off the following decreases :—

Decreases.	Rs.
Contribution to Calcutta Improvement Trust ...	1,38,000
New Works	2,36,000
Total	3,74,000

The difference is due to various smaller items of increases and decreases.

Of the above increases and decreases I shall say a few words in explanation of those items that require special mention.

	Rs.
Dearness allowance to employees—Increase ...	1,17,38,000
Food Concessions —Increase	19,37,000

In the current year's Budget there was a provision of Rs. 19,83,000 only for payment of Corporation share of the Dearness allowance on the basis of rates existing at the time of passing the Budget while for Food Concessions there was no provision as the payments were being made out of advances from Government and accounted for through suspense heads. But as I have already said in connection with receipts

for Dearness concessions it is now proposed to adjust these payments through Budget items and for this provision has been made in the revised estimate and this accounts for the increase.

Contribution to Loan Fund for financing Loan projects
Increase—Rs. 4,76,000.

This increase is due to the fact that there were no original provisions for contributions of Rs. 1,06,000 and Rs. 3,70,000 for removal of Hazra Pail Depot and Mehters' barracks and Laying U. F. W. main from the junction of Debendra Ghosh Road to Syed Ameer Ali Avenue respectively. The latter amount will be received from Government as loan and has been shown on the Receipt side This loan will bear interest at 3 per cent. and is to be repaid in ten annual equated instalments of Rs. 43,375-4-6, the first instalment falling due on 1st February, 1947. This has been provided for in the next year's Budget.

War Emergency payment to employees—Increase—Rs. 4,80,000.

This amount represents the balance of the total second War-Emergency advances equal to one month's pay given to all employees drawing a pay up to Rs. 200 per month as sanctioned by the Corporation dated 12th August, 1942. In terms of settlement of the last November strike, the Corporation dated 26th November, 1945 decided to write off this amount of advance which has been included in the revised estimate.

Miscellaneous .. Increase Rs. 3,22,000

This is the result of increases and decreases under the maintenance heads throughout the Budget, of which special mention may be made of two increases, one of Rs. 1,00,000 under Precaution against epidemics and the other of Rs. 1,95,000 under Filter working at Pulta. For the latter the original provision was Rs 3,40,000 against which the revised estimate is Rs. 5,35,000 which includes:—

	Rs.
(1) Filter-working during 1945-46	1,43,000
(2) Adjustment of advances for filter-working during 1940-41 and 1941-42 done by Messrs. K. C. Ghose & Co.	1,80,000
(3) Silt clearing during 1945-46	25,000
(4) Adjustment of advances for payment to the staff during 1942-43 to 1944-45	26,000
(5) Purchase of sand	1,61,000
	5,35,000

Contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust—
Decrease 1,38,000

The revised estimate is Rs. 19,92,000 as against the original provision of Rs. 21,30,000.

This decrease is mainly due to suspension of payment of Rs. 1.5 lakhs per year for three years with effect from the 1st April, 1944 as per Government order No. 925-M. dated 20th April, 1945, the increase of Rs. 12,000 being on account of increase in the valuation.

I now come to the Estimates for the ensuing year 1946-47.

Opening Balance.	Receipts.	Expenditure	Closing Balance
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
35,68,000	4,03,69,000	4,19,50,000	19,87,000

Compared with the original estimates of the current year, the Opening Balance shows an increase of Rs. 15,78,000 and this is mainly due to the credit taken in the revised estimate of receipts of

Rs. 20,87,000 advanced by Government towards the payment of Corporation share of the Dearness allowance up to June, 1945 without corresponding provision for repayment of this advance on the expenditure side.

From the figures shown above, it will be seen that the year's expenditure (Rs. 4,19,50,000) exceeds the year's income (Rs. 4,03,69,000) by Rs. 15,81,000 which reduces the Opening Balance of Rs. 35,68,000 to a Closing Balance of Rs. 19,87,000 at the close of the year.

RECEIPTS—1946-47.

The total estimate of receipts (Rs. 4,03,43,000) is less than the revised estimate of the current year (Rs. 4,56,28,000) by Rs. 52,59,000 and this falls under the following decreases and increases besides many smaller items of increases and decreases to account for the difference.

	Decrease	Budget Estimate 1946-47	Revised Estimate 1945-46
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts from Markets, Slaughter Houses and Dhobikhana ...	1,10,000	15,63,000	16,73,000
Sale proceeds of lands, etc.	2,07,000	11,51,000	13,58,000
Contribution from Government	69,44,000	56,10,000	1,25,54,000
Interest on surplus Cash Balances	1,00,000	2,00,000	3,00,000
Sale proceeds of unserviceable stores	42,000	30,000	72,000
Miscellaneous Receipts ...	2,58,000	7,81,000	10,39,000
	76,61,000		

	Increase	Budget Estimate 1946-47	Revised Estimate 1945-46
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Consolidated Rate ...	17,42,000	2,29,42,000	2,12,00,000
Rent of lands, buildings, etc.	37,000	4,31,000	3,94,000
Sale of water	1,02,000	8,57,000	7,55,000
Receipt from Government for hire of commandeered road-rollers ...	3,30,000	3,30,000	...
Loans and advances from Government ...	1,18,000	37,86,000	36,68,000
Receipts under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act ...	50,000	50,000	...
	23,79,000		

I shall now explain the increases and decreases very briefly.

I. *Items where there have been net decreases.*

Receipts from Markets, Slaughter-Houses and Dhobikhana— Rs. 1,10,000.

The Budget Estimate for the next year is Rs. 15,63,000 against the current year's Revised Estimate of Rs. 16,73,000. This decrease is due to the fact that the revised estimate includes adjustment of arrear rents in respect of Corporation Food Ration shops as well as the increased amount of initial rents while the new estimate includes only the current rent of these Food shops and reduced initial rents, the Public Utilities and Markets Committee have already decided to allow the stall-holders to transfer their rights to outsiders who will pay only fixed initial rent.

Sale proceeds of lands, etc.—Rs. 2,07,000.

This decrease is due to the fact that more lands including the Hazra Pail Depot and Mehters' barracks were sold during the current year.

Contribution from Government.—Rs. 69,44,000.

This decrease is due to the fact that the revised estimate includes 80 per cent. of the total amount of Dearness Concessions, so far received from Government for expenditure up to March, 1946, while the new estimate is only for the contribution for expenditure during 1946-47 only.

Interest on Surplus Cash Balances—Rs. 1,00,000.

This decrease is due to fall in our Cash Balances.

Sale proceeds of unserviceable stores—Rs. 42,000.

This decrease is due to the fact that there will be smaller quantities of condemned stores available for sale next year as also to the fact that prices of such stores will fall.

Miscellaneous Receipts—Rs. 2,58,000.

This decrease falls mainly under the following two heads, besides many smaller items of increases and decreases to account for the net decrease.

	Rs.
Refund by the Calcutta Improvement Trust ...	1,50,000
Contribution from the Public Utility Companies, etc. for the preparation of a map of Calcutta	73,000
	2,23,000

As regards the refund of Rs. 1,50,000 by the Calcutta Improvement Trust, the revised estimate includes this amount being refunded by the C. I. T. against Corporation contribution for 1944-45 as already explained, while the new provision does not as the net amount payable will be debited against the expenditure head.

As regards the contribution of Rs. 73,000 by the Public Utility Companies, etc., toward the total estimated cost of Rs. 1,25,000 for the preparation of a map of Calcutta, the amount being receivable this year, no provision has been made in the next year's Budget.

Loans and advances from Government—Rs. 1,19,000.

The revised figure is Rs. 36,68,000 which includes:—

(1) Rs. 20,18,000 for Dearness concessions,
(2) Rs. 12,80,000 for purchase of lorries, and
(3) Rs. 3,70,000 for financing the project of laying U.F.W. main from the junction of Debendra Ghosh Road to Syed Ameer Ali Avenue;

Rs. 36,68,000

while the new provision for 1946-47 is Rs. 37,86,000 which includes—

(1) Rs. 86,000 for Dearness Concessions which should have been paid in 1945-46.
(2) Rs. 37,00,000 Dearness Concessions for amount expected from Government to make up deficits and to leave a workable closing balance.

Rs. 37,86,000

EXPENDITURE—1946-47.

The decrease in the estimates of expenditure for 1946-47 as compared with the Revised Estimate for 1945-46 is Rs. 70,80,000, the new Estimates being Rs. 4,19,50,000 against the Revised Estimate of Rs. 4,90,30,000.

This decrease is the result of the following decreases and increases:

DECREASES.

	Decrease	Budget Estimate 1946-47	Revised Estimate 1945-46
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Contribution to Free Libraries ...	40,000	41,000	81,000
Contribution to Primary and Technical Educational Institutions ...	2,32,000	2,49,000	4,81,000
Contribution to Hospitals, Dispensaries, etc. ...	8,00,000	6,65,000	14,65,000
Law Charges ...	1,09,000	1,69,000	2,78,000
Cost of Motor Vehicles, etc.	8,82,000	5,82,000	14,64,000
Hire of lorries for removing refuse	99,000	...	99,000
Air Raid Precaution ...	1,20,000	10,000	1,30,000
War Risks Insurance of the Factories of the Corporation	1,83,000	...	1,83,000
Repayment of Government Loan	10,10,000	44,000	10,54,000
Contribution to Building Repairs Fund ...	1,85,000	...	1,85,000
Dearness allowance to employees	73,85,000	63,36,000	1,37,21,000
Food Concessions ...	14,21,000	5,16,000	19,37,000
War Emergency payment to employees ...	4,80,000	...	4,80,000
	1,29,46,000		

INCREASES.

	Increase	Budget Estimate 1946-47	Revised Estimate 1945-46
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Establishment . .	56,000	73,06,000	72,50,000
Improvement of Primary Education ...	96,000	12,81,000	11,85,000
Materials ...	3,56,000	52,74,000	49,18,000
Contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust ...	46,000	20,38,000	19,92,000
Gas for Street lighting ...	3,12,000	4,50,000	1,38,000
Electricity for Street lighting	70,000	1,00,000	30,000
New works ...	6,82,000	7,70,000	88,000
Contribution to Loan Fund for financing Loan projects	7,59,000	12,35,000	4,76,000
Slum Improvement work ...	1,50,000	1,50,000	—
Lump sum for establishment as per Lt.-Col. Harris' recommendation, Government directives, etc. ...	2,12,000	2,12,000	—
Lump sum for establishment, etc., for removal of Chingreehatta Platform and Hazra Pail Depot and Methers' barracks ...	2,08,000	2,08,000	—
Lump sum for additional staff for the Water Works Engineer, Pulta ...	35,000	35,000	—
Lump sum for grade increments etc., in settlement of the November strike	12,00,000	12,00,000	—
Miscellaneous ...	16,30,000	55,32,000	69,02,000
	58,12,000		

The difference is due to small items of increases and decreases.

1. *Items where there have been net decreases.*

Contribution to Free Libraries	... Rs.	40,000
Contribution to Primary & Technical Educational Institutions	... Rs.	2,32,000
Contribution to Hospitals etc.	... Rs.	8,00,000

The decreases under the above heads are due to the fact that while the revised estimates include the unpaid liabilities of the previous year the new provision is for 1946-47 only.

Law Charges—Rs. 1,06,000.

The increase in the revised figure is due to payment of arrears in respect of Contribution to Government for Municipal Magistrates, their establishment and contingencies as well as adjustment of previous year's advances for institution of suits and execution of proceedings.

Cost of Motor Vehicles, etc.—Rs. 8,70,000.

The revised estimate is Rs. 14,64,000 representing the cost of lorries purchased out of the Government advances of Rs. 12,80,000 and of those purchased in the previous year while the new provision is Rs. 5,82,000 which includes the following provisions:—

(1)	Purchase of lorries for removal of night-soil	...	1,20,000
(2)	Publicity Van	...	12,000
(3)	Replacement of 4 Ambulances	...	36,000
(4)	Replacement of 10 Office Cars including 2 Vans for the Treasury Department	...	72,000
(5)	4 Motor Cycles for the Ground-hydrant Inspectors	...	12,000
(6)	Road-rollers	...	3,30,000
		...	5,82,000

Hire of lorries for removing refuse—Rs. 99,000.

The revised figure is Rs. 99,000 including adjustment of previous year's advances while no provision has been made in the next year's Budget as the removal of refuse by Contractors' lorries will be discontinued.

Air Raid Precaution—Rs. 1,20,000.

The revised figure is Rs. 1,30,000 which includes mostly adjustment of previous year's advances while the small provision in the next year's Budget is mainly for refixing glass panes, etc.

War Risks Insurance of the Factories of the Corporation—Rs. 1,83,000.

The revised figure represents adjustment of previous year's charges while no more provision will now be necessary.

Repayment of Government Loans—Rs. 10,10,000.

The revised figure is Rs. 10,54,000 representing the repayment of the Government Loan of Rs. 16,00,000 received during 1942-43 together with interest, while the new provision is Rs. 44,000 only which represents the first equated instalment to be paid on the 1st February, 1947 for a Government Loan of Rs. 3,70,000 for Laying Unfiltered Water Main from the Debendra Ghosh Road to Syed Ameer Ali Avenue.

Contribution to Building Repairs Fund—Rs. 1,85,000.

This decrease is due to the fact that no provision has been made in the next year's Budget as this Fund has been decentralised and provisions made under the respective Budget items as used to be done previously.

Dearness allowance to employees—Rs. 73,85,000.

Food Concessions—Rs. 9,37,000.

The decrease under the above two heads is due to the fact that while the Revised Estimates include adjustments of all payments so far made up to the end of the previous year as also during the current year, the new provisions are for 1946-47 only.

War Emergency payment to employees—Rs. 4,60,000.

This amount represents the balance of the total second War-Emergency advances equivalent to one month's pay given to all employees drawing a pay up to Rs. 200 per month as sanctioned by the Corporation dated 12th August, 1942. In terms of settlement of the November strike the Corporation dated 26th November, 1945 decided to write off this advance. Hence the amount has been included in the revised estimate and no provision need be made for the next year.

II. *Items where there have been net increases.*

Establishment—Rs. 56,000.

Comparing this estimate with the original provision for the current year, the increase is only Rs. 38,000 and is mainly due to grade increments.

Improvement of Primary Education—Rs. 96,000.

This increase falls mainly under Pay of teachers and Repairs to school buildings.

Materials—Rs. 3,56,000.

This increase is mainly due to increased provisions for Road metals, Asphaltum stores and Petrol.

Contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust—Rs. 46,000

This increase is due to the increase in the rateable valuation of the City, as under the Calcutta Improvement Act we have to contribute 2 per cent of the annual rateable valuation of the City to the Calcutta Improvement Trust. The Government however granted suspension of payment of Rs. 1.5 lakhs per year for three years with effect from the 1st April, 1944. This suspension has been taken into account in both the Revised as well as the new Estimates.

New Works—Rs. 6,82,000.

The revised estimate is Rs. 88,000 while the Budget Estimate for 1946-47 is Rs. 7,70,000.

This increase includes Rs. 2,19,000 for items of New works carried over from the current year and Rs. 5,51,000 for new items including Rs. 4,00,000 for Bituminous road surfacing new works.

Contribution to the Loan Fund for financing Loan projects Rs. 7,59,000

This increase is due to the fact that while the Revised Estimate is Rs 4,76,000 representing two contributions of Rs. 1,06,000 for Removal of Hazra Pail Depot and Mehters' barracks and Rs. 3,70,000 for Laying unfiltered water main from the junction of Debendra Ghosh Road to Syed Ameer Ali Avenue, the Budget Estimate for 1946-47 is Rs. 12,35,000 which includes contribution for the following :—

		Rs.
(1)	Removal of Chingreehatta Refuse Platform ...	7,35,000
(2)	Providing Pumping plant at the Mullickghat Pumping Station	2,00,000
(3)	Providing Pumping plant at the Watgunge Pumping Station	1,50,000
(4	Fitting of Scour Valves and air valves to unfiltered water mains	1,50,000
	Total Rs.	12,35,000

Slum Improvement Work—Rs. 4,50,000.

This represents a new lump sum provision for carrying out slum improvement work as required under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act.

	Rs.
Lump sum for establishment as per Lt.-Col. Harris' recommendations, Government directives, etc. ...	2,12,000
Lump sum for establishment, etc., for removal of Chingreehatta Platform and the Hazra Pail Depot and Mehters' barracks	2,08,000

	Rs.
Lump sum for additional staff for the Water Works Engineer, Pulta	35,000

All these are new items, lump sum provisions being made in the next year's Budget for staff and other expenditure necessary in these connections.

Lump sum for grade increments etc., in settlement of the November Strike—Rs. 12,00,000.

This lump sum provision has been made in the next year's Budget to meet the extra cost in connection with grade revisions including the increment of Rs. 3 per month granted to employees drawing a pay up to Rs. 100 that are being recommended by the Strike Committee presided over by the Mayor.

Miscellaneous—Rs. 16,30,000.

The Budget provision for 1946-47 is Rs. 55,06,000 against the Revised Estimate of Rs. 39,02,000. This increase is the result of various increased provisions throughout the Budget, of which special mention may be made of the following:—

		Rs.
B. I. No. 34	—Lump sum for establishment and other charges for revising Assessment Books etc	26,000
Do. 39	—Disposal of unclaimed dog ...	29,000
Do. 48	—Preparation of a map of Calcutta ...	38,000
Do. 51	—Roads—Cartage and labour ...	1,58,000
	Rolling labour ...	20,000
Do. 52	—Maintenance of K. & Ch. Stores, etc. ...	31,000
Do. 53	—Rent of pucca buildings and temporary camps for housing labour staff ...	70,000
Do. 56	—Repairs to Locomotives ...	30,000
	Hire of Locomotives ...	40,000
	Repairs to refuse wagons ...	21,000
	Additions and replacement of refuse wagons ...	30,000
Do. 55	—Lump sum for running the Incinerators ...	50,000
Do. 57	—Lump sum for establishment for the Pruss Sedimentation Tank ... } Repairs to Outfall ... } (The total amount being Rs. 1,85,000 compared with Rs 60,000 in the Revised Budget.)	70,000
Do. 58	—Lump sum for cleaning surface drains in Manicktala and Cossipore ...	1,96,000
Do. 62	—Drainage P. S.—Maintenance of Engines and boilers ...	20,000
Do. 63	—Water Supply P. S.—Maintenance of Engines and boilers ...	59,000
	Dredging foreshose ...	40,000
Do. 68	—Replacement and repairs of posts of gas and electric lamps ...	62,000
Do. 87	—Election charges ...	1,05,000
Do. 97	—M. V. Department—Labour ...	45,000
	Repairs to buildings provided under various heads throughout the Budget ...	3,45,000
	Total ...	15,05,000

The difference is due to many smaller items of increases and decreases.

CORPORATION BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 1946-47

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S STATEMENT

IN accordance with the provision of section 93 of the Calcutta Municipal Act the Budget Estimates for the coming year as also the Revised Estimates for the current year have been prepared, and I now place them before the Corporation for consideration. An abstract of the estimates has already been circulated giving a general idea of the total receipts and total expenditure falling under the main heads. Before, however, explaining briefly the estimates I refer to some important features of the Budget connected with the financial position of the Corporation.

This is the first Budget after the conclusion of the Second World War, and if in presenting the Budget Estimates of the last two years I had stated that our budgetary position was extremely embarrassing I am to state that the Corporation is now facing a financial collapse.

PROVISION FOR WORKS REDUCED OR DELETED DURING WAR-TIME.

In the last few years, in performing the difficult task of balancing the Budget with the inadequate income at our disposal we had to reduce or delete altogether provisions for important items like bituminous road surfacing, building repairs, uniforms, new works etc., with the result that our roads are mostly in bad condition, buildings (including markets) have heavily deteriorated, the employees who are entitltd to uniforms according to existing schedules are going without them, the parks stand in need of immediate attention and even essential and urgent new and improvement works had to be postponed. In spite, therefore, of the impending financial collapse staring us in the face, I have, in the next year's budget, provided for new works to the extent of Rs. 5,51,000 which includes a provision of Rs. 4 lakhs for bituminous road surfacing plus Rs. 2,19,000 (carried over)—total Rs. 7,70,000 against Rs. 68,000 provided in the Revised Estimates. Even this provision of 4 lakhs to put our roads in order is on the lower side in view of the existing bad condition of our roads which have been a source of almost universal complaint. Since 1941-42 the procedure in respect of bituminous road surfacing (new works had been altered by making provision for this item of work on the Loans Budget instead of on the Revenue Side. No loans having been raised during the last few years, no new road surfacing work has been done. The continuance of the new procedure will lead to the rapid and progressive deterioration of the city roads and I have therefore reverted to the old and time-honoured system of providing for bituminous road surfacing on the Revenue Side.

Larger provisions have been made for building repairs, etc., in consideration of actual requirements. A provision of about Rs. 14 lakhs has been made in the Budget to meet 20 per cent. of the dearness concessions which Government have decided would be borne by the Corporation. A further provision of Rs. 12 lakhs has been made to meet the immediate cost of additional emoluments to the employees of the Corporation on the basis of the recommendations that are being made by the Strike Settlement Special Committee presided over by the Mayor. This is a tentative figure which includes a provision of approximately Rs. 9 lakhs for the increment of Rs. 3 already sanctioned by the Corporation to all employees drawing a pay up to Rs. 100 per month and the remaining 3 lakhs constitute a provision for the revision of grades that may ultimately be sanctioned by the Corporation. It has been decided by the Strike Settlement Special Committee that all Corporation labour, skilled or unskilled, will be given some leave with pay and benefits of provident fund of a special nature. It was pointed out to the Committee that the grant of these benefits would require the starting and maintenance of personal files for the entire staff numbering over 20,000. This will necessitate the employment of a large additional staff and also a considerable time for making the necessary preparation before the Scheme can be

given effect to. The Committee, therefore, decided that the benefits of the leave and provident fund schemes would be given effect to from 1st of April, 1947. In the meantime additional staff will have to be appointed, accommodation secured, furniture and stationery provided at least 6 months before 1st of April, 1947. As the amount of the cost invovled is still unascertained, I have not made any separate provision for this in my draft budget for 1946-47. Over and above the revision of grades, the Special Committee are considering the other items of demand formulated by the employees regarding supply of uniforms and clothing, medical facilities, the question of housing, etc. No provision has been made in the next year's Budget as final decision has not yet been reached. All these additional costs will have to be provided for later when the full financial commitments of the Committee's recommendations are calculated.

THE NEW SLUM IMPROVEMENT BILL

The new Slum Improvement Act which has recently been passed entails financial liability on Local Authorities which include the Corporation of Calcutta. The Government may declare any bustee as a slum area and call upon the Corporation to prepare a scheme for improving it and after approval to have it executed. If the estimate for the scheme of improvements exceeds Rs. one lakh, the Corporation may be called upon to bear up to 25 per cent. of the cost. In cases where the estimate is less than Rs. 1 lakh, the cost is payable by the owner in full. The Corporation will have to carry out the improvements at their own cost pending recoupment of the amount due from the owner and not less than 50 per cent. of the amount unrealised at the end of 12 years may also have to be written off, according to the provisions of the Act. This loss will have to be borne by the Corporation.

Under the provisions of the new Act, the Government has declared the Bhukailash Bustee in Ward 25 as a slum area and has called upon the Corporation to prepare a scheme for improving the slum area. Necessary action is being taken by the Department; the rough estimate which was submitted by the Corporation to Government amounts to Rs. 1,46,000. It is quite possile that in course of the next year the Government may declare another 2 or 3 bustees as slum areas and ask the Corporation as the Local Authority to carry out the improvements.

I have therefore made a provision of Rs. 1,50,000 to meet the liability under the new Slum Improvement Act, while on the receipt side I have made a provision of Rs. 50,000 as likely recoupment from owners.

OTHER PROVISIONS TO BE MADE

Intimation having been received from Government that the Military are releasing the site of the Incinerators and that the Corporation can resume working, a lumpsum provision of Rs. 50,000 has been made and the Chief Engineer has been asked to put up proposals accordingly.

With the removal of lighting restrictions, the demand for restoration of normal lighting has become very insistent and the Public Utilities and Markets Committee have given direction that lighting arrangements should be restored to the pre-war standard. It has not been possible to give full effect to this decision in the current year for want of provision in the Budget and accordingly a larger provision has been made in the next year's Budget. A total provision of Rs. 7,52,000 has been made under lighting items in the next year's Budget as against Rs. 2,22,000 in the current year's Budget—or a net increase of more than Rs. 5 lakhs.

Recently the Corporation, with the approval of Government and with the money advanced by them, have purchased 160 lorries in two instalments. As per Col. Harris' recommendations and Government directive No. 4, the staff necessary for the proper running of the Motor Vehicles Department has to be provided. Accordingly provision for such establishment on the basis of Col. Harris' recommendations and the recommendations of the Chief Engineer amounting to more than Rs. 2 lakhs has been made in the next year's Budget.

The removal of the Hazra Pail Depot and of the Chingrighatta Refuse Platform and the mechanisation of night soil removal from Manik-

tolla and Cossipore will entail the purchase of a large number of lorries and provision for staff necessary for running them for 6 months has also been made. Practically no provision exists in the current Year's Budget for the purchase of motor lorries for office cars. In the next year's Budget a provision of Rs. 2,52,000 as shown below has been made for the purchase of the following vehicles:--

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		Rs.
(i)	15 lorries for night soil removal from Cossipore and Maniktolla	1,20,000
(ii)	1 lorry for replacing the Publicity Van	12,000
(iii)	Replacement of 4 ambulances	36,000
(iv)	Replacement of 8 office cars ... ... (*N.B.*—For want of office cars inspection work by Committees has very largely been held up).	56,000
(v)	Purchase of 2 Treasury Vans	16,000
(vi)	Purchase of 4 motor cycles for Ground Hydrant Inspectors	12,000
		2,52,000

The Chief Engineer has put up a proposal for additional staff for the recently appointed Water Works Engineer, Pulta. A lumpsum provision of Rs. 35,000 has been made pending the appointment of such staff by the sanctioning authority.

TO MEET THE GOVERNMENT DIRECTIVES

For want of provision of funds, no action could be taken on some of the Government directives which require heavy outlay. I have made additional provision for putting up a cold storage room in connection with Government Directive No. 12—Remodelling of Animal Vaccine Depot. A provision of Rs. 1,96,000 has been made in respect of Government Directive No. 7—Cleaning surface drains in Maniktolla and Cossipore and a further provision of Rs. 1,50,000 has been made for Fitting scour and air valves to unfiltered water mains as per Government Directive No. 9.

Some works which in normal times and under normal conditions would have been carried out from only Loans Fund, have, in view of their urgency, been included in the Revenue Budget as there is very little chance of any loan being raised in the near future. These are:

		Rs.
(a)	Transfer of Chingrighatta Refuse Platform to Dhappa *N.B.*--The revised estimate for this work as made by the Chief Engineer is Rs. 7,92,000. Only Rs. 57,000 remains in the Loan Fund under this head. The remaining provision has been made in the Revenue Budget pending recoupment of the amount from Loan when the full amount will be raised. This work has to be carried out within 6 months of the termination of war with a liability under High Court orders for payment of a daily fine of Rs. 100 for non-compliance.	7,35,000
(b)	Provision of new pumping plant at the Mullickghat Pumping Station	2,00,000
(c)	Provision of new pumping plant at the Watgunge Pumping Station ... ... *N.B.*—Nos. (b) and (c) are also loan works but the Chief Engineer being of opinion that the unfiltered water supply of the City will be jeopardised if additional pumping arrangements are not made, I have been forced to make provision for these amounts in the Revenue Budget, pending recoupment from loan.	1,50,000

According to the requirement of the Chief Engineer provisions for repairs and maintenance of outfalls have been increased from Rs. 22,000 in the current year to Rs. 1,30,000 in the year 1946-47.

Government have decided that the rent for the labour camps and for the pucca buildings taken during the war for housing conservancy labour, which was so long being paid by Government, will not be paid by them after the 31st of January, 1946. As the question as to whether these buildings should be given up and the labour should be asked to vacate them is a matter of policy to be decided by the Corporation, a provision has been made in the Budget for payment of rent for these buildings pending Corporation decision. The Chief Engineer has suggested that the buildings may be retained and a rent of Re. 1 per head per month may be realised, and though by this arrangement nothing like the full rent payable will be recouped, he has been asked to have this proposal worked out and submit a report which will be placed before the Corporation. A provision of Rs. 7,000 has been made in the current year's Revised Estimates and Rs. 70,000 in the next year's Budget.

DEARNESS ALLOWANCE & WAR EMERGENCY ADVANCE

The amount of Rs. 4,80,000 representing the balance still due from employees out of the second War Emergency Advance cannot now be recovered in view of the recent Corporation decision. This has been shown on the expenditure side of the Revised Estimates.

No provision has been made under the head "Special Officer and Engineering Adviser."

Government, while making payment for dearness concessions up to June, 1945 amounting to Rs. 1,04,38,000 decided that 80 per cent. of that amount would be taken as subvention and 20 per cent. amounting to Rs. 20,87,000 as ways and means advance to be repaid by the Corporation. In view of the Corporation decision that the question of the repayment of this amount would be postponed till after the emergency period is over and normal conditions return, no provision has been made in the next year's Budget. Government have also advanced a sum of Rs. 12,80,000 in two instalments for purchase of 160 lorries by the Corporation and according to the Corporation decision that the amount would be repaid when the loan is raised, a provision of Rs. 12,80,000 has been made in the Loans Budget.

Regarding Directive No. 8; *viz.*, laying of unfiltered water main from Debendra Ghose Road to Syed Ameer Ali Avenue, the Government having agreed to the Corporation proposal of advancing the amount of the estimate of Rs. 3,70,000 and the Government having further decided that the amount would be repaid in 10 yearly instalments at 3 per cent. or Rs. 43,375 yearly, a provision of Rs. 3,70,000 has been made on the Receipt side in the Revised Estimates while Rs. 43,375 being the first instalment payable on the 1st February, 1947 has been made on the Expenditure side in the Budget for 1946-47. The Government in this case has charged an interest of 3 per cent. An item is being placed before the Corporation with a suggestion as to whether Government should be requested to reduce the interest to 2 per cent. as in similar other cases. A provision of Rs. 3,70,000 has been made in the "B" List of the Loans Budget.

ESTIMATE OF THE RECEIPT SIDE

Coming to the receipt side, the provision of approximately Rs. 7 lakhs under Consolidated Rates has had to be deleted both from the Revised Estimates and from the next year's Budget as Government had recently stated in their letter No. 239B, dated 21st January, 1946.

> "That the Corporation is not entitled to assess the land (Council House premises) to consolidated rate. The Corporation of Calcutta, therefore, has no claim against the Government in respect thereof."

In a subsequent D.O. letter No. L.S.G. 59/45/1C. dated the 26th January, 1946, the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Department of Health and Local Self Government wrote as follows :—

> "Although Government has been advised that the Corporation is not entitled to assess the Council House to the consolidated rate, such Council House being situated beyond the limits of the Calcutta Corporation, Government is anxious that the dispute

should be settled, and the next step would seem to be for you to submit any claims which the Corporation may wish to prefer regarding Government's payment for services rendered by the Corporation to the Council House."

As no settlement has been made regarding the amount payable as service charges, no amount has been shown on the receipt side. I may, however, state that Government is already paying for the supply of filtered water on the basis of meter readings.

The collections by the Law Department were usually taken at not more than Rs. 4 lakhs and the actual receipts never exceeded that figure. In the current year's budget, a provision of Rs. 10 lakhs was made on the receipt side taking an optimistic view regarding collection. The amount taken credit for in the Revised Estimates is Rs. 4 lakhs and in the next year's Budget I have provided on the receipt side Rs. 5 lakhs as collection by the Law Department which figure is not likely to be exceeded.

A rebate of Rs. 1½ lakhs per annum out of the annual Corporation contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust was sanctioned by Government for three years beginning from 1st April, 1944. Credit has been taken for this rebate in the Revised Estimates and also in the next year's Budget by reducing the Corporation contribution by that amount.

The Corporation by a resolution dated 2nd January, 1946 having accepted the Government proposal of payment of hire charges for commandeered road rollers, credit has been taken for Rs. 3,30,000 on the receipt side in the Budget for 1946-47 and Rs. 2,41,000 being the approixmate sale proceeds of the commandeered road rollers has been deleted from the Revsed Estimates. The amount of Rs. 3,30,000 has been earmarked on the expenditure side for the purchase of new road rollers according to the Corporation resolution.

A provision of Rs. 1 lakh was made on the receipt side in the current year's Budget as *salami* and rent for leasing out Kulti lands. But as things did not mature, the amount has been deleted from the Revised Estimates. I have, however, provided the same amount of Rs. 1 lakh in the Budget for 1946-47 in the expectation that the amount would be realised in the course of the year.

Under the heading "Sale of Lands" the provision in 1946-47 is Rs. 11,50,000 against Rs. 20,50,000 in the current year's Budget. This provision includes the sale of the Manicktolla Trenching Ground estimated at Rs. 5 lakhs, although I feel that in view of the operations of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, the price of this land will go up considerably after the next 2 or 3 years.

Negotiations for receiving a contribution from the Government of India for the repairs of roads damaged by military traffic are still continuing and the Chief Engineer has recently attended several conferences in this connection. The last communication on the subject has recently come from Government asking the Corporation to put up a comprehensive road repairing programme and the Chief Engineer is working out the details, which when completed will be sent to Government.

The outstanding rate bills, specially in the Law Department have been a matter of concern to the Corporation for the last few years. While passing the Budget for the current year, the Corporation appointed a Committee of Action of 3 members to take steps to increase the revenue of the Corporation including realisation of arrear rates pending in the Law Department and in the Courts in respect of demands up to 31st of March, 1943. This Committee was given powers to compromise the claims even at a discount not exceeding 10 per cent. The Committee with their best efforts could not secure the co-operation of the defaulting rate-payers with the result that collection in the Law Department remained at the normal level. It is worth considering if the proposal for selling the unrealised bills at a discount should not be considered again in the coming year. I would suggest that the opinion of the Advocate-General may be taken as to whether such disposal of outstanding bills in the Law Department can be legally done and whether the assignee will step into the rights possessed by the Corporation against the defaulting rate-payers and their properties.

PRESENTING A DEFICIT BUDGET.

I have so far given the main items in which expenditure has been increased and receipts reduced. A detailed statement of the estimates both on the receipt and expenditure sides is given in the later portion of my statement. From the scrutiny of these figures it will be found that the Chief Executive Officer is faced with a deficit of Rs. 31,63,000. Though there is nothing in the Calcutta Municipal Act which precludes the Chief Executive Officer from presenting a deficit budget to the Corporation, Section 94 of the Act requires the Corporation, at the time of passing the Budget to provide for a closing cash balance of not less than Rs. 6 lakhs. The Corporation on the 13th September, 1935 decided that the minimum Opening Balance on the 1st of April every year or in other words, the effective Closing Balance at the end of the previous year should not be less than Rs. 40 lakhs. For the last few years it had not been possible for the Corporation to maintain that figure as Closing Balance. But the administration would be unworkable without a minimum Closing Balance of at least Rs. 20 lakhs. To bring about this position at the time of the passing of the Budget the deficit of Rs. 31,63,000 plus Rs. 20 lakhs namely Rs. 51,63,000 will have to be accounted for. The question now is how this amount of more than half a crore should be met. In Government Budget such deficit is met either by fresh or enhanced tax but the only power of taxation which the Corporation possess is to increase the Consolidated Rate which now stands at 19½ per cent. to 23 per cent. Government have recently suggested that the Corporation may impose a further 2 per cent. in rates covering their contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust. This is also provided in Section 88 of the Calcutta Improvement Act. Thus the margin of increase available is 5½ per cent. The question is whether it would be advisable to raise the Rate up to that extent.

I am definitely of opinion that while the Corporation, due to the exigencies of its financial position, may be forced to increase the Rate to some extent, it will be unwise to go up to the maximum limit or even near about the maximum. Barring a small percentage, the majority of rate-payers belong to the middle and poorer classes and any abnormal increase in the rates would be beyond their capacity to pay. Even an increase of rate by 2 per cent. will press heavily on the majority of rate-payers. The Government, in their letter No. 600 P. H. dated the 7th of March, 1945 had suggested that the Corporation should increase their rates by 2½ per cent. I am proposing in my budget an increase only of 2 per cent. Such an increase in the Consolidated Rate taking collection at 90 per cent., which is the figure I have taken in the normal collection of the Consolidated Rate, can produce an additional revenue of Rs. 19, 68,000 in a full year. The Corporation will pass its Budget towards the end of March, and it will not be possible to issue bills at the enhanced rate from the 1st April, 1946, as it will take about three months to revise the Assessment Books and prepare bills at the new rate. The Corporation, therefore, can get credit for the increased rate for three quarters only during 1946-47 and taking into account the probable cost of working out details (roughly Rs. 26,000), a net sum of approximately Rs. 14,50,000 can be obtained from such increased taxation. I have made the necessary provisions accordingly.

This reduces the deficit to Rs. 37, 13,000. I have not been able to think of any other immediate method of meeting this deficit excepting by approaching Government for a ways and means advance of Rs. 37,00,000 during 1946-47. In my D. O. letter No. 3611 dated 1st February, 1946 to the Secretary, Local Self-Government Department asking for such an advance, I have made it clear that if the Corporation have to carry on their administration, permanent additional sources of revenue must be found and Government must take necessary steps to make such additional revenues available to the Corporation. Without such additional revenues, the Corporation cannot possibly function. But as the scheme for provision of such additional revenues must necessarily take some time to mature, I have requested Government to advance a sum of Rs. 37 lakhs and I have included that figure on the receipt side to present to the Corporation a workable budget.

It is certainly an unusual procedure to provide money in the Budget in anticipation of an advance from Government without receiving their sanction, but the exigencies of the situation are my excuse; I have been forced to do it as without such an advance being shown on the receipt side I have to present an unbalanced budget to the Corporation. I have also asked for the relaxation of the conditions for calculating the borrowing capacity to enable the Corporation to raise a loan during 1946-47. If a loan is raised next year, the money provided for loan works in the Revenue Budget will be relieved and will be made available for paying back to the Government at least a portion of their advance.

I have stated to Government that an advance of Rs. 37 lakhs is only a temporary and palliative measure to meet the immediate situation, but if the Corporation is to function in future, additional revenues must be made available to taking necessary steps in the matter.

SUGGESTIONS FOR INCREASING THE SOURCES OF REVENUE

The Corporation have approached Government year after year for increasing the sources of their revenue and the resolutions of the Corporation in connection therewith had been communicated to Government from time to time. The main suggestions so far made by the Corporation are as follows:—

(1) That the Provincial Government be requested to take necessary measures to reduce the contribution payable by the Calcutta Corporation to the C. I. Trust to 50 per cent. of the contribution payable under Section 88 of the Calcutta Improvement Act during the Emergency period.

(2) That the Gobernment of Bengal be requested to take steps to amend the Calcutta Improvement Act so as to fix the contribution payable by the Corporation on the basis of 9/10th of the annual rateable valuation and not on the basis of the whole of the annual rateable valuation under Chapter X of the Calcutta Improvement Act as amended by Section 88 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911.

(3) That the Provincial Government be approached for a contribution amounting to 70 per cent. towards the capital cost of Dr. Dey's Outfall Scheme and also an annual contribution towards the recurring cost amounting to 50 per cent. of the total maintenance charges.

(4) That the Provincial Government be approached for introducing a Bill in the Legislature as an emergent measure for amendment of Section 10 (1) of the Motor Vehicles Taxation Act of 1932 with a view to substituting Rs. 10 lakhs for Rs. 4,50,000.

(5) That sanction of the Provincial Government be obtained for prohibiting the introduction into Calcutta for the purpose of storage therein of petroleum intended for consumption elsewhere and notify in the *Calcutta Gazette* under Section 181 of the C. M. Act and after publication of such notification, a tax of four annas for every 10 gallons of petrol be, with the sanction of the Provincial Government, imposed in the manner provided by Chapter VII of the C. M. Act of 1923, on all petroleum introduced into Calcutta for consumption therein.

(6) (i) That the Provincial Government be approached for introducing a Bill in the Legislature for amending the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act of 1893 to the effect that in case the receipts in the Licensed Warehouse fees fell short of half of the total contribution to be made by the Calcutta Corporation to the Fire Brigade, deficit will be made up by the Government.

(ii) That in the opinion of the Corporation a tax should be levied on the Fire Insurance Companies and necessary action should be taken in the matter.

(7) That a representation be made to the Provincial Government for contribution to the Corporation of a reasonable share of the receipts from the Amusement Tax levied on places of amusement in the City and also a share of the receipts from the Electricity Tax.

Re. (1): With the termination of the War with Japan about August, 1945, the actual warfare that was being carried on between the Fascist Powers and the Allied Nations, came to an end. The Government in their letter No. 924 dated 20th April, 1945, stated as follows:—

"Government consider the deduction to the extent of Rs. 1,50,000 per annum out of the contribution payable under Section 88 of the C. I. Act may be allowed as a temporary measure for a period of 3 years with effect from 1st April, 1944."

The benefit of this order will continue till next year. As the War is over, Government may not be inclined to continue this rebate beyond 1946-47. Besides, with the termination of the World War the C. I. Trust have vigorously renewed their activities and the first sign of such activity is shown by their taking up in right earnest the much needed Manicktola Improvement Scheme which was kept in abeyance during the War. It will be for the Corporation to decide if Government should be pressed to continue this concession permanently.

Re: (2): Government in the same letter of the 20th of April, 1945, stated as follows:—

"As regards the second proposal, I am to say that this has been more than once refused by Government, the last time in Government Order No. 8840M dated the 14th of December, 1936. The grounds stated in that letter still hold good. The Government, therefore, regret their inability to entertain the proposal."

In my view the claim for reduction of the Corporation contribution to the Trust by 1/10th is a very reasonable one as we are paying to the Trust their proportionate share even on rates which we cannot in law realise, namely, taxes which are remitted for vacancy and the rebate which we allow to the owners of bustees for collection charges, etc. I would, therefore, suggest that the Government should again be approached to fix the contribution payable by the Corporation on the basis of nine-tenths of the annual rateable valuation which would mean a relief to the Corporation roughly of 2 lakhs of rupees per annum. If they are not agreeable to that proposal, they should at least allow to the Corporation permanently a rebate of Rs. 1,50,000 which they sanctioned for 3 years as an emergency measure.

Re: (3): Correspondence has been carried on between the Government and the Corporation, and though the ultimate decision of Government cannot be known for the present, some progress seems to have been made inasmuch as the Drainage Enquiry Committee appointed by Government of which the Chief Engineer to the Corporation is a member and the Outfall Engineer the Secretary, has been considering the matter, and they are likely to forward their recommendations to the Government at an early date.

Re: (4): The Corporation have been pressing this matter on the Government year after year, but their claim has repeatedly been turned down by Government. Recently, there has been a change in the Government point of view and a more sympathetic consideration of the matter is expected. The Corporation on 1st February, 1946 passed the following resolution as recommended by the Finance Standing Commitee and the resolution of the Corporation has been forwarded to Government:—

"That in the opinion of the Committee the Corporation has a legitimate claim on the entire amount of the registration fees of motor vehicles plying in Calcutta less such amount of collection charges as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the Government and the Government may be requested to amend Section 10 of the Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1932."

The Corporation should press for early decision of Government in the matter.

Re: (5): The Provincial Government have considered the representation of the Corporation and have, in their letter No. L.S.G./45/IF written to the Government of India in the Department of Commerce for favourable consideration of the Corporation's request for permission to impose a tax on petroleum in terms of Chapter XIV of Bengal Act III of 1923. Amongst the grounds mentioned by the Provincial Government are the unfavourable financial position of

the Corporation due to various causes and the fact that this tax can be levied without causing hardship to the public even if petrol prices do not fall.

Re: (6): The decision of the Corporation was duly communicated to Government, but no progress was made till the matter was again brought up in connection with the consideration of the Fire Brigade Budget for 1945-46 in September, 1945. The resolution of the Finance Committee dated 20th July, 1945 which reiterated the previous Corporation resolution for amending the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act of 1893 as amended in 1934 and the levy of a tax on the Fire Insurance Companies, was accepted by the Corporation on the 5th of September, 1945, but no communication has since been received from Government on the subject.

Re: (7): The Corporation should again reiterate their claim for a share of the Amusement Tax and the Electricity Tax.

SEVERAL ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF REVENUE SUGGESTED

While presenting my Budget for the current in February, 1945, I had suggested several additional sources of revenue for which the Government should be approached by the Corporation along with the other proposals mentioned above which still remain undisposed of.

I. *Town Duties*: I had recommended that Government should pass an enactment investing the Corporation with powers to levy a duty on various goods imported into the city on the same or similar lines as in Bombay under Section 192 of the Bombay Municipal Act. The goods I had recommended were:—

(a) Coal (not household coke).
(b) Jute, tea, wines and spirits.
(c) Cigars, cigarettes and pipe tobacco.

II. *A share of the Sales Tax*: The incidence of this tax falls heavily on the City and it is only equitable that 50 per cent. of the Sales Tax realised by Government should be given to the Corporation.

III. *Betting and Totalizator Tax*.—The major incidence of this taxation falls on the City and it should be considered as a city revenue. Government should be requested to amend the Act so as to give the Corporation at last 50 per cent. of the revenue derived from this tax.

(*N.B.*—In case there be any legal difficulty in giving a share of the revenues derived from Sales Tax and Betting and Totalizator Tax, Government should be asked to make a contribution of an equivalent amount to the Corporation.)

IV. *Terminal Tax*:—Several lakhs of people who do not belong to Calcutta come every day to the City and enjoy the City amenities for which they do not pay anything to the Corporation. It is only reasonable that they should contribute a little to the Corporation Fund for the amenities which they enjoy and I would suggest that a terminal tax of six pies on each railway ticket to Howrah and Sealdah Stations and other smaller Stations inside the City should be imposed on every railway passenger and revenue so derived given to the Corporation.

V. *Education Cess*: In view of the increase of 2 per cent. in the Consolidated Rate recommended by me I do not recommend an imposition of Education Cess.

I would suggest that while passing their Budget for the next year the Corporation would strongly press their claim on the Government for the new taxes and the shares of existing taxes mentioned above and would point out that unless these additional sources of revenue are forthcoming the Corporation would not be able to carry on their administration; if the Government do not take a sympathetic attitude and take necessary action in favour of the Corporation the Corporation administration will be brought to a standstill.

In my letter No. S. 7168 dated the 19th March, 1945 when reviewing the financial position of the Corporation, I had suggested that Government should accord their sanction to the payment to the Corporation of a share of the different taxes and also to the imposition of a terminal tax and town duties.

Government in their letter No. 1424M dated the 8th June, 1945 made the following observations:—

"That in the opinion of Government enhancement of consolidated rate must be regarded as an essential step towards securing the additional revenue required to close the gap between revenue and expenditure."

While I feel that Government might have taken a more sympathetic attitude towards the Corporation's proposals for additional revenue, the views of the Government as expressed above might be considered by the Corporation at the time of passing this Budget.

LOANS BUDGET

The next year's Loans Budget starts with the Opening Balance of Rs. 19,05,000. The receipts from the Loans have been estimated at Rs. 1,02,60,000, the expenditure at Rs. 1,21,55,000 and the Closing Balance at Rs. 10,000.

The new loan of Rs. 1,02, 60, 000 includes Rs. 38,80,000 for items in List A, that is, the list of works in progress or about to be taken up as soon as preliminaries are settled, some portion of loans having already been raised therefor and Rs. 63,80,000 for items in List B for which no loans have yet been raised.

The next year's Budget contains all the items as in the current year's Budget besides the following new provisions:—

		Rs.
(1)	Laying of Unfiltered Water main from the junction of Debendra Ghosh Road to Syed Ameer Ali Avenue	3,70,000
(2)	Erection of 2 pumping plants at the Mullickghat Pumping Station	2,00,000
(3)	Erection of 3 pumping plants at the Watgunge Pumping Station	1,50,000
(4)	Fitting of scour valves and air valves to unfiltered water mains	1,50,000
(5)	Repayment of Government advance for the purchase of lorries	12,80,000
(6)	Extension of the jetty at the Mullickghat Pumping Station	6,00,000
(7)	Laying of unfiltered water main in the Dock Area	2,77,000
(8)	Purchase of military quarters within the Pulta Pumping Station boundary for housing the station staff there	30,000
	Total ...	30,57,100

RESOLUTIONS OF THE CORPORATION DATED THE 21ST MARCH, 1946, IN CONNECTION WITH THE BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR 1946-47.

(1) That the provision under B. I. No. 32 D (a) for the purchase of types etc., for the Printing Department, be increased from Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 5,000.

(2) That Government be requested to make an *ad hoc* advance of Rs. 15,37,000 to enable the Corporation to carry out the urgent works specified below, for which funds are needed immediately:—

		Rs.
(i)	Removal of Chingreehatta Refuse Platform to Dhappa	7,35,000
(ii)	Pumping plants at the Mullickghat and Watgunge Pumping Stations	3,50,000
(iii)	Fitting of Scour valves and Air valves to unfiltered water mains	1,50,000
(iv)	Cleaning surface drains in Manicktolla and Cossipore	1,96,000
(v)	Removal of Hazra Pail Depot (included in the revised estimate of the current year) ...	1,06,000
	Total	15,37,000

(3) That the provision under B. I. No. 87 (c)—Election charges—be reduced to Rs. 1,00,000; that the actual expenditure under this head on the score of establishment be incurred after proper sanction by the appropriate Committees, namely the Services Standing Committees has been obtained and that appointments in the Election Department be made in conformity with the qualifications to be prescribed by the Services Committee Nos. I and II.

(4) That an additional Rs. 200 be provided under B. I. No. 64 (f)—Establishment and other charges for chlorination of filtered water.

(5) That the new provision for 1946-47 as well as the revised estimate for 1945-46 under B. I. No. 76 B (a)—Contribution to Hospitals and Dispensaries—be each increased by Rs. 90,000.

(6) That the Government of India be approached for an amendment of the Calcutta Port Act so as to enable the Corporation to value the Port Commissioners' properties (particularly the lands and buildings let out not for the purpose of the Port but for private business and residential purposes) on a more equitable basis, for the purpose of assessing them to the Consolidated Rate.

(7) That the Chief Executive Officer do place before the appropriate Committee at their first meeting in June, a statement showing (a) the properties occupied by His Majesty's Armed Forces in Calcutta as well as by their Allies (b) the municipal services in the said premises in the shape of water supply, conservancy etc., and (c) the arrangements arrived at for the realisation of Corporation dues on account of such services.

(8) That the Chief Executive Officer do place before the Corporation in the third week of November a statement depicting the actual state of Corporation finances as at 31st October, 1946.

(9) That legal opinion be taken as to whether the outstanding rate bills of the Corporation can be transferred in favour of a third party for a certain specified consideration.

(10) That Government be approached for an amendment of the Rent Control Order so as to exclude shops and stalls in the different Municipal Markets from the operation of the said Order.

(11) That the Works Committee be directed not to engage contractors' lorries for road watering which should be done departmentally.

(12) That the interest due for the current year on the Government Advance of Rs. 12,80,000 for the purchase of lorries be paid to Government on or before the 31st March, 1946, and that, to facilitate pay-

ment in due time, the necessary amount, viz., Rs. 19,700, included in the revised estimate for 1945-46 be appropriated from the Closing Balance to a new B. I. No. 89-A (b)—Payment regarding advances from Government for purchase of lorries.

(13) That Government be approached for giving a ways and means advance to the Corporation to the extent of Rs. 5,82,000 to meet the cost necessary for the purchase of Motor Vehicles and Road Rollers.

(14) That necessary provisions be made under proper Budget heads for all establishment proposals which may be sanctioned by the appropriate authorities up to the date of the passing of the Budget by the Corporation.

(15) That necessary powers be given to the Finance Committee to revive by way of appropriation from the closing balance, either wholly or in part, grants which are included in the Revised Estimates for the year 1945-46 but which would lapse and merge into the Closing Balance owing to non-payment within the year.

(16) That as a total provision of Rs. 5,96,200 has been made for New Works, besides Rs. 2,19,200 for items of New Works carried over from 1945-46, the whole of this provision be sanctioned in modification of the Corporation resolution dated the 21st March, 1941 to provide only Rs. 50,000 for New Works (excluding carried-over items) in a year.

(17) That as the Corporation have to contribute to the Calcutta Improvement Trust a sum equivalent to 2 per cent. of the rateable valuation of the city, no matter whether the rates are collected or not, Government be requested to amend Section 88 of the Calcutta Improvement Act to allow as a permanent measure the deduction of Rs. 1.5 lakhs per annum out of the contribution payable to the Calcutta Improvement Trust.

(18) That Government be approached to pass an enactment investing the Corporation with powers to levy a Town Duty on various goods imported into the City on the same or similar lines as in Bombay under Section 192 of the Bombay Municipal Act, the goods recommended for taxation being:—

(1) Coal (other than household coke).
(2) Jute, tea, wines and spirits.
(3) Cigars, cigarettes and pipe tobacco.

(19) That a representation be made to Government, reiterating the Corporation's claim on a reasonable share of the receipts from the Amusement Tax levied on places of amusement in the City as also a share of the receipts from the Electricity Tax.

(20) That a representation be made to Government for a contribution to the Corporation of 50 per cent. of the Sales Tax realised in Calcutta by Government, as the incidence of this tax falls heavily on the city and in the opinion of the Corporation it is only equitable that 50 per cent. of it should be given to the Corporation.

(21) That Government be approached for a contribution amounting to 70 per cent. towards the capital cost of Dr. Dey's Outfall Scheme and also an annual contribution towards the recurring cost amounting to 50 per cent. of the total maintenance charges.

(22) That steps be taken to approach Government for sanction to prohibit the introduction into Calcutta for the purpose of storage therein of petroleum intended for consumption elsewhere and notify this in the 'Calcutta Gazette' under Section 181 of the Calcutta Municipal Act and after publication of such notification, a tax of four annas for every 10 gallons of petrol be, with the sanction of the Provincial Government, imposed in the manner prescribed in Chapter VII of the Calcutta Municipal Act of 1923 on all petroleum introduced into Calcutta for consumption therein and that the Provincial Government be requested to take up the matter with the Government of India for an expeditious decision.

(23) (a) That Government be approached for introducing a Bill in the Legislature for amending the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act of 1893 to the effect that in the case the receipts from the Licensed Warehouse fees fall short of half of the total contribution to be made by the Corporation to the Fire Brigade, the deficit will be made up by Government.

(b) That in the opinion of the Corporation a tax should be levied on Fire Insurance Companies and Government be approached for necessary orders in this direction.

(24) That in the opinion of the Corporation the Corporation has a legitimate claim on the entire amount of the registration fees of Motor Vehicles registered in Calcutta less such amount of collection charges as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and Government and hence Government be requested to amend Section 10 of the Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1932 accordingly.

(25) That the Executive be directed to take necessary steps for proper realisation of the fees prescribed for the supply of filtered water for Motor Cars, Motor Buses, Motor Lorries and Rickshaws.

(26) That Government be approached for amending the relevant Acts so as to give the Corporation at least 50 per cent. of the revenue derived from Betting and Totalisator Tax realised in the city, as the major incidence of this taxation falls on the city and it should be considered as Municipal Revenue of the City.

(27) That in view of the fact that several lakhs of people who do not belong to Calcutta come every day to the City from outside and enjoy the city amenities for which they do not pay anything to the Corporation, Government be approached to pass necessary enactment for levying a terminal tax of six pies on each railway ticket other than monthly tickets, and As. -/8/- on each monthly ticket to Howrah and Sealdah Stations and other small stations inside the City and giving the revenue so derived to the Corporation.

(28) (a) That subject to the foregoing resolutions the Chief Executive Officer's Estimates of Income and Expenditure for 1946-47, as modified by the Budget Special Committee, be adopted under Section 94 (1) (a) of the Calcutta Municipal Act as the Budget Estimates of the Corporation for the year 1946-47.

(b) That under Section 94 (1) (b) of the Act the following rates, taxes and fees be levied for the year 1946-47:—

(i) Consolidated Rate at 19½ per cent. plus ½ per cent. on account of Howrah Bridge Tax.

(ii) Dog Tax under Section 173 (2) at Rs. 5 per dog per annum.

(iii) License and other taxes in accordance with the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923.

(c) That under Section 98 of the Calcutta Municipal Act the total amount of Loan to be raised in 1946-47 for capital works, be fixed at Rs. 1,02,19,000.

(29) That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Budget Special Committee be confirmed.

Estimates of Receipts, Expenditure and Balances under the Municipal Fund for the year 1946-47, as they stand as the result of modifications made by the Budget Special Committee.

[The Revenue Closing Balance is exclusive of the additional provisions for Establishment charges that may be sanctioned up to the date of the passing of the Budget by the Corporation. These additional provisions will be included in the Budget to be finally passed by the Corporation and the closing balance will be reduced accordingly.]

(In round numbers)

PARTICULARS.	Opening Balance on 1st April, 1946.	Receipts during 1946-47.	Reference to page.	Total of Opening Balance and total receipts, (Columns 2 and 3.)	Expenditure during 1946-47.	Reference to page.	Closing Balance on 31st March, 1947.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
THE MUNICIPAL FUND.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs		Rs.
REVENUE FUND	(a) 36,22,000	3,70,88,000		4,07,10,000	3,85,36,000		21,74,000
Suspense Heads Contra	10,00,000	1,95,47,000		2,05,47,000	1,95,47,000		10,00,000
LOAN FUND.							
For works of a permanent nature as in List A	19,05,000	43,89,000		1,21,24,000	63,84,000		10,000
For works of a permanent nature as in List B	.....	58,30,000			58,30,000		
	19,05,000	1,02,19,000		1,21,24,000	1,21,14,000		10,000
TRUST FUNDS.							
(a) Combined Cart Registration Fund of the several Municipalities	.....	1,45,000		1,45,000	1,45,000		.....
(b) Licensed Warehouse Fund ..	.....	3,49,000		3,49,000	3,49,000		.....
	.....	4,94,000		4,94,000	4,94,000		.....
GRAND TOTAL ..	55,27,000	6,73,48,000		7,28,75,000	7,06,91,000		21,84,000

The Consolidated Rate has been taken at 19 per cent. with an additional ½ per cent. as the Howrah Bridge tax, the dog tax at Rs. 5 per dog per annum under Section 173 (2) and the other taxes in accordance with the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923.

The Licensed Warehouse fees will be levied at 10 per cent. (as in 1945-46) on the annual valuation of the Licensed Warehouses under Section 10 of the Licensed Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, as amended in 1934.

(a) This Balance is estimated on the basis of Receipts and Payments only. The Cash balance does not include the amounts held for contractors' deposit, which are estimated at about Rs. 5 lakhs. They are included in the opening balance of Rs. 10 lakhs shown under "Suspense Heads Contra" above.

N. SARKAR,
Chief Accountant.

S. CHATTERJI,
Chief Executive Officer.

16th March, 1946.

Estimated Receipts of the Municipal Revenue Fund for the year 1946-47 classified as follows and compared with the previous years.

(Chief Executive Officer's estimates as modified by the Budget Special Committee.)

	Estimate for 1946-47.	Original Estimate for 1945-46.	Revised Estimate for 1945-46.	Actuals for 1944-45.
	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Consolidated Rate—p. 6	2,18,66,000	2,21,80,000	2,12,00,000	2,02,95,253
Tax on Animals and Carriages—p. 6	90,000	55,000	55,000	55,521
Tax on Trades and Professions—p. 6	16,50,000	15,00,000	15,75,000	15,87,226
Contribution from Govt. as compensation for taking over the licensing of Motor Vehicles—p. 6	4,50,000	4,50,000	4,50,000	4,50,000
Receipts from Markets, Slaughter-houses and Dhobi-khana—pp. 8, 10 and 12	20,12,500	15,48,500	16,78,200	15,92,162
Do. from Tramways, Telephone and Electric Companies—p. 8	77,900	75,300	75,300	75,280
Exemption fees, Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c.—p. 6 ...	6,08,800	5,16,300	4,45,800	3,10,793
Sale Proceeds of Lands and Produce of Lands—p. 6 ...	13,61,000	20,60,500	13,58,000	5,95,652
Contributions from Government—p. 14	56,10,200	71,000	1,25,53,700	67,316
Receipts from Burial Grounds and Crematoriums—p. 16	37,000	27,000	37,000	39,224
Do. from the Combined Cart Registration Fund, being the share of the Corporation in the surplus—p. 6 ...	1,02,800	1,03,200	1,03,200	1,06,191
Do. from the Combined Hackney Carriage Fund, being the share of the Corporation under Section 60 of the H. C. Act—p. 6	3,000	3,000	2,000	...
Sale of Water—p. 6	10,97,000	7,68,000	7,55,000	6,35,602
Scavenging Tax—p. 6	50,000	35,000	37,000	39,084
Fines under the Municipal Act and other Acts—p. 14 ...	75,000	75,000	74,300	61,474
Interest on Surplus Cash Balances—p. 14 ...	2,00,000	2,00,000	3,00,000	4,47,48
Recovery of equated annual instalment from the Garden Reach Municipality towards cost of Moore's Scheme—p. 14	42,700	42,700	42,700	42,674
Recovery of Law Charges—p. 16	29,000	17,000	25,000	26,469
Sale Proceeds of Unserviceable Stores—p. 16 ...	30,000	50,000	72,000	32,106
Electricity from the Turbo-alternators—p. 16 ...	1,40,000	2,86,000	1,40,000	73,8 [illegible]
Rebate on account of charges for electricity—p. 16 ...	15,000	30,000	...	14,54 9
Receipt from Govt. for hire of commandeered road-rollers—p. 18	3,30,000	...	...	...
Loans and advances from Government—p. 14 (a) ...	86,400	...	36,67,500	...
Receipts under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act —p. 14 (a)	1,12,50	...	...	...
Sale proceeds of road-rollers—p. 18	...	2,40,800	...	...
Miscellaneous Receipts (including profit from Work-shops)—pp. 6—18	10,10,700	7,90,100	10,54,500	7,55,550
Total ...	3,70,87,500	3,11,24,400	4,56,96,200	2,73,08,428
In round numbers ...	3,70,88,000	3,11,24,000	4,56,96,000	
Suspense Heads (Contra) including Workshops ...	1,95,47,000	1,84,21,000	2,45,00,000	
Excess of expenditure over receipts ...	14,48,000	...	33,48,000	
Grand Total ...	5,80,83,000	4,95,45,000	7,35,44,000	

Estimated Expenditure of the Municipal Revenue Fund for the year 1946-47 classified as follows and compared with the previous years.
(Chief Executive Officer's estimates as modified by the Budget Special Committee.)

Establishments—

	Superior Supervision.	Supervision.	Clerical and Subordinate	Labour.	Estimate for 1946-47.	Original Estimate for 1945-46.	Revised Estimate for 1945-46.	Actuals for 1944-45.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Salaries of Officers under section 51(1) ...	1,26,600	...	...	...	1,26,600	...	...	...
Do. of other Officers and Servants under section 51 (2)	2,78,670	18,28,610	25,77,480	26,15,800	73,00,060	...	...	...
Total ...	4,05,270	18,28,610	25,77,480	26,15,800	74,26,660	...	...	...
Less—debitable to other funds ...	23,650	38,000	62,000	300	1,23,950	...		...
Debitable to Revenue ...	3,81,620	17,90,610	25,15,480	26,15,000	*73,02,710	72,67,060	72,49,800	67,77,696
Interest on Loans—p. 78					38,14,900	38,14,900	38,13,000	39,55,065
Contribution for Repayment of Loans—p 78					17,70,700	16,96,300	17,85,900	17,89,088
Do. to Licensed Warehouse Fund for the Fire-Brigade—p. 30					2,32,300	2,52,500	2,21,400	2,28,300
Do. to Free Libraries—p. 76					41,000	41,000	81,000	40,014
Do. to Primary & Technical Educational Institutions—p 76					2,49,000	2,49,000	4,91,000	1,96,571
Improvement of Primary Education—p. 76					12,32,500	11,95,000	11,85,200	10,93,849
Materials—p. 136					46,07,100	44,68,200	49,17,700	37,63,506
Contribution to Hospitals, Almshouses, Child-welfare division, Indian Red Cross Society, etc.—p. 68					6,65,000	6,65,000	14,65,000	7,42,771
Dispensaries, Maternity Homes, Baby Clinics, Milk Kitchens, etc.—pp. 68 & 76					2,74,100	2,29,900	2,38,900	2,33,751
Pensions, Gratuities, Compassionate allowances, Contribution to the Provident Fund & Commutation of pension, etc.—p. 78					5,57,900	5,16,500	5,58,000	4,50,611
Law charges—p 24					1,64,10	1,54,000	2,78,600	72,472
Commission to Bank—p. 80					26,400	26,600	25,700	26,524
Contribution to the Calcutta Improvement Trust—p. 78					20,88,000	21,30,000	19,92,000	20,95,886
Contingencies					1,39,600	1,21,700	1,8 ,400	1,15,178
Uniforms					87,500	78,800	78,700	66,655
Telephone charges					66,500	65,300	64,800	56,785
Gas for street lighting—p. 58					4,00,000	71,000	1,38,000	71,171
Electricity for do. —p. 58					1,00,000	40,000	80,000	25,987
Grain compensation allowance—p. 78					3,25,000	3,16 000	3,00,000	2,89,180
Cost of Motor Vehicles, etc.—p. 291					64,000	84,600	14,64,000	4,41,552
Contribution to the Garden Reach Municipality—p. 80					2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000
Expenditure for improving the conditions of service of the Harijans (Conservancy Coolies, Mehters, Carters etc.)—p. 78					15,000	5,000	25,000	10,000
Hire of lorries for removing refuse—p. 42					...	37,0 0	99,200	2,15,982
Air Raid Precaution—p. 80					10,000	1 ,000	1,29,700	49,183
War Risks Insurance of the Factories of the Corporation—p. 80						1,28,000	1,83,300	1,24,242
Payment regarding Govt. Loans & Advances					69,000	6 53,700	10,78,500	...
Contribution to Building Repairs Fund—p.					...	1,85,000	1,85,000	1,00,000
Dearness allowance to employees—p.					68,36,000	19,83,000	1,37 21,200	...
Food c ncessions					5,16,000		19,37,400	...
Contribution to Loan Fund for financing Loan projects					...	...	4,76,000	...
War Emergency payment to employees					..	...	4,50,000	...
Slum Improvement work—p. 66					1,50,000	...	...	...
Lump sum for grade increments, etc. in settlement of November strike—p 80 ...					12,00,000	...	...	...
Lump sum for establishment as per Lt.-Col. Harris' recommendation, Govt. directives, etc.					2,12,200	...	...	...
Lump sums for additional staff for the Water Works Engineer, Pulta—p. 52 ...					35,000	...	...	...
Other *Miscellaneous* items, such as Repair works, Filter working, Precaution against epidemics, etc. (previously designated as Contract labour, Contract of labour & materials not distinguishable & *Miscellaneous*)					47,68,590	35,79,840	38,96,200	30,25,165
New works—pp. 293—299 ... { For works released & carried over ...				2,19,200				
{ For additional works				5,96,200				
				8,15,400				
					8,15,400	8,24,500	88,800	58,715
Total					8,85,85,500	8,86,13,300	4,90,43,800	2,63,03,098
In round numbers ...					8,85,86 000	3,86,13,000	4,90,44,000	
Suspense Heads (contra) including Workshops ...					1,95,47,000	1,84,21,000	2,45,00,000	
Excess of receipts over expenditure ...					...	5,11,000	...	
Grand Total ...					5,80,34,000	4,95,45,000	7,35,44,000	

*This provision excludes Rs. 9,78,000 for the school staff which is included in the provision under "Improvement of Primary Education."

Modifications recommended by the Budget Special Committee in the Chief Executive Officer's Budget estimates for the year 1946-47.

REVENUE

Receipts

B. I. No.	Particulars.	Provision in the C. E. O.'s. Budget	Provision made by the Special Committee	Increase	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1 ...	Consolidated Rate	2,29,42,000	2,18,66,000	...	10,76,000
2 (a) ...	Tax on carriages (other than Motor cars & Lorries) and animals.	40,000	75,000	35,000	...
3 ...	Tax and Licenses on Professions, Trades and Callings.	15,75,000	16,50,000	75,000	...
4 ...	Scavenging Tax	37,000	50,000	13,000	...
7 (a) ...	Rent of Spare Lands, Buildings, Squares and Tanks.	4,20,000	5,98,000	1,78,000	...
8 (b) ...	Sale proceeds of surplus lands and structures.	11,50,000	13,60,000	2,10,000	...
9 (a) ...	Sale of water to Shipping ...	3,50,000	4,00,000	50,000	...
9 (d) ...	Sale of water for non-domestic purposes.	2,10,000	3,75,000	1,65,000	...
9 (e) ...	Sale of water for building purposes ...	25,000	50,000	25,000	...
12A(a) ...	S. S. Hogg Market—Initial rent ...	25,000	1,00,000	75,000	...
(b) ...	Do. —Rent from shops & stalls	5,72,000	7,15,000	1,43,000	...
(c) ..	Do. —Rent from temporary vendors.	3,15,000	3,94,000	79,000	...
12B(a) ...	Lansdowne Market—Initial rent ...	1,600	25,000	23,400	...
(b) ...	Do. —Rent from shops and stalls	13,000	16,300	3,300	...
(c) ...	Do. —Rent from temporary vendors.	30,000	37,500	7,500	...
12C(b) ...	Sir Charles Allen Market—Rent from shops and stalls.	1,800	2,300	500	...
12C(c) ...	Do. —Rent from temporary vendors.	5,500	6,900	1,400	...
12D(b) ...	College Street Market—Rent from shops and stalls.	1,69,000	2,11,000	42,000	...
(c) ...	Do. —Rent from temporary vendors	1,05,000	1,41,000	36,000	...
12E(b)	Entally Market—Rent from shops and stalls.	25,000	31,300	6,300	...
12E(c) ...	Do. —Rent from temporary vendors.	33,000	41,300	8,300	...
12F(b) ...	Lake Road Market—Rent from shops and stalls.	13,000	16,300	3,300	...
12F(c) ...	Do. —Rent from temporary vendors.	24,000	30,000	6,000	...
12G(b) ...	Park Circus Market—Rent from shops and stalls.	8,000	10,000	2,000	...
	Carried over ...	2,80,89,900	2,82,01,900	11,88 000	10,76,000

B. L. No. 1	Particulars. 2	Provision in the C. E. O.'s Budget. 3	Provision made by the Special Committee. 4	Increase. 5	Decrease. 6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	B. F. ...	2,80,89,900	2,82,01,900	11,88,000	10,76,000
12G(c) ...	Park Circus Market—Rent from temporaryv endors.	15,000	18,800	3,800	...
12H(b) ...	Gariahat Market—Rent from shops and stalls.	11,600	14,500	2,900	...
12H(c) ...	Do. —Rent from temporary vendors.	21,000	26,300	5,300	...
15(a)(i) ...	Calcutta Municipal Gazette—Advertisement fees from outside advertisers.	15,000	25,000	10,000	...
16(d) ...	Miscellaneous—Other conservancy receipts.	12,000	20,000	8,000	...
18(e) ...	Scaffolding and depositing building materials etc.	20,000	40,000	20,000	...
18(f)(i) ...	Fees from verandahs and projected structures.	80,000	1,50,000	70,000	...
18(f)(ii) ...	Fees from foundation footings ...	25,000	70,000	45,000	...
18(f)(iii) ...	Plan fees and other minor receipts ...	15,000	20,000	5,000	...
18(f)(iv) ...	Sanctioned plan fees	24,000	30,000	6,000	...
18(g) ...	Fees for foundation footings from streets taken over from the Calcutta Improvement Trust.	5,000	10,000	5,000	...
18(i) ...	Fees under Drainge Bye-laws ...	16,000	40,000	24,000	...
18(j) ...	Awning license fees ...	25,000	40,000	15,000	...
18(k) ...	Fees payable by plumbers for licenses.	3,000	4,000	1,000	...
21C(d) ...	Advance from Government for making up deficits and leaving a workable Closing Balance.	37,00,000	...	...	37,00,000
21E ...	Receipts under the Bengal Slum Improvement Act.	50,000	1,12,500	62,500	...
22(a) ...	Recovery of law charges ...	25,000	27,000	2,000	...
22(m) ...	Sale of ashes, clinkers, etc. from Goragacha Incinerator and Water Supply and Drainage Pumping Stations.	3,000	16,000	13,000	...
22(p) ...	Miscellaneous receipts—For right of displaying advertisements on lamp posts.	4,000	5,000	1,000	...
22(q) ...	Misc. receipts—For right of putting up Kiosks on Telegraph, Telephone and Tramways posts erected on Corporation land.	10,000	15,000	5,000	...
22(ii) ...	Receipts from Sky-signs ...	18,000	20,000	2,000	...
	Total ...	3,21,87,500	2,89,06,000	14,94,500	47,76,000
	Net decrease ...			...	32,81,500
	Say ...			...	32,82,000
	SUSPENSE HEADS (Contra)—				
23(a) ...	Workshops—Cost of Supervision, Machinary, etc. charges adjustable.	1,54,000	1,53,600	...	400

REVENUE

EXPENDITURE

B. I. No.	Particulars	Provision in the C. E. O.'s Budget	Provision made by the Special Committee	Increase	Decrease
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
29B(c) ...	Accounts Dept.—Preparation of the Budget Estimates and the Annual Accounts.	6,000	5,000	...	1,000
31B(b)(iv) ...	Law Dept.—Lawyers' fees ...	25,000	20,000	...	5,000
32C(a) ...	Printing Dept.—Maintenance of Printing Machinery and Linotype Machines.	9,000	6,000	...	3,000
32D(a) ...	Do. —Types, etc. ...	7,000	1,000	...	6,000
32D(b) ..	Do. —Paper ...	73,000	50,000	...	23,000
32E(c) ...	Do. —Outside printing ...	5,000	1,000	...	4,000
32E(e) ...	Do. —Codes, Manuals, etc.	9,000	...	...	9,000
34B(c) ...	Assessment Dept.—House numbers...	3,500	2,500	...	1,000
34B(d) ...	Do. —New assessment books	500	300	...	200
34C ...	Lump sum for establishment and other charges.	26,000	...	...	26,000
36A(c) ...	License Dept.—Lump sum for establishment.	...	1,000	1,000	...
37B(c) ...	Central Records Dept.—Binding charges for old records.	1,300	1,000	...	300
38B(a)(iv) ...	Electricity Dept.—Machinery—overtime.	2,400	1,800	...	600
38B(b) ...	Do. —New works ...	11,500	7,700	...	3,800
38B(e) ...	Do. —Coal ...	2,25,000	2,00,000	...	25,000
38B(h) ...	Do. —Spare parts, etc. ...	16,000	14,000		2,000
38C(c)	Do. —Cable Line—Maintenance and other charges.	7,500	4,000	...	3,500
39C(a)(ii) ...	Disposal of unclaimed dogs—Clerical and Subordinate.	700	...	...	700
39C(a)(iii) ...	Do. —Labour ...	2,400	...	...	2,400
39C(b) ...	Do. —Stores and other charges.	100	...	...	100
39D ...	Lump sum for disposal of unclaimed dogs.	20,000	...	...	20,000
40B(c) ...	Preparation of a Map of Calcutta ...	48,000	26,000	...	22,000
42A(c) ...	Water Works Dept.—Lump sum for establishment.	...	10,000	10,000	...
50A(c)(i) ...	Municipal Offices & Buildings—Repairs to buildings.	35,000	28,000	...	7,000
50A(c)(iv)(2)	Do. —Lamp, Fans, Gas, etc. ...	26,900	22,400	...	4,500
50B(b)(i) ...	Town Hall—General repairs ...	10,000	...	...	10,000
50B(b)(ii) ..	Do. —Furniture ...	5,000	...	...	5,000
50B(b)(iii) ...	Do. —Pictures ...	5,000	1,500	...	3,500
50B(b)(v)(1)	Do. —Electricity ...	100	...	...	100
50B(b)(v)(2)	Do. —Lamps, Fans, etc. ...	100	...	...	100
50D(c) ...	Pilgrims' Rest House and New Dharamsala—General repairs.	1,500	1,200	...	300
50E(b) ...	Other building—Maintenance ...	3,500	2,800	...	700
	Carried Over ...	5,86,000	4,07,200	11,000	1,89,800

B. I. No.	Particulars.	Provision in the C. E. O.'s Budget.	Provision made by the Special Committee.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	Brought forward ...	5,86,000	4,07,200	11,600	1,89,800
51B(a)(iv) ...	Widening narrows lanes, rounding off corners and other petty improvement works (New works).	2,300	4,100	1,800	...
51B(a)(v) ...	Bituminous road surfacing (New works).	4,00,000	1,00,000	...	3,00,000
51B(b)(iii) ...	Roads and Footpaths—Cartage ...	80,000	45,000	...	35,000
51B(b)(iv) ...	Do. —Labour	1,40,000	1,00,000	...	40,000
51B(b)(x) ...	Do —Repairs to bituminous roads	5,00,000	4,00,000	...	1,00,000
51D(b) ...	Do. —Maintenance of granulators	12,000	8,000	...	4,000
51D(c) ...	Do. —Purchase of road rollers	3,30,000	...	...	3,30,000
51D(f) ...	Do. —Repairs & other charges for asphalt mixing plant.	20,000	10,000	...	10,000
51E(b) ...	Do. —Rolling stores ...	23,000	21,000	...	2,000
52A(a) ...	Kerbing and channelling (New works)	...	2,500	2,500	...
53A(e) ...	Cleansing Streets—Lump sum for establishment.	1,08,400	...	...	1,08,400
53B(a) ...	Do. —Purchase of stores and implements.	2,55,000	1,75,000	...	80,000
53C(g) ...	Do. —Rent of pucca buildings and temporary camps.	70,000	35,000	...	35,000
53D(d) ...	Do. —Maintenance of bins ...	50,000	40,000	...	10,000
55B(b)(i) ...	Incinerators—General repairs ...	10,000	8,000	...	2,000
55B(b)(iv) ...	Do. —Stores	300	...	...	300
55D ...	Do. —Lump sum for running the Incinerators.	50,000	25,000	...	25,000
56B(a) ...	Railways etc.—Construction and improvement at Dhappa and Entally (New works.)	5,000	...	...	5,000
56C(a)(i) ...	Do. —Maintenance of Embankments, etc.	6,000	12,000	6,000	...
56C(b)(iii) ...	Do. —Repairs to refuse wagons, etc.	1,00,000	90,000	...	10,000
56C(b)(iv) ...	Do. —Additions and replacement of refuse wagons and ballast trucks.	30,000	20,000	...	10,000
56C(b)(v) ...	Do. —Coal	45,000	40,000	...	5,000
56C(e) ...	Do. —Maintenance of buildings, etc.	2,500	2,000	...	500
57A(d) ...	Drainage Outfall Works—Lump sum for establishment.	55,000	30,000	...	25,000
57C(a) ...	Do. —Repairs to Outfall ...	1,30,000	71,000	...	59,000
57C(b) ...	Do —Maintenance of Quarters, huts, etc.	6,000	4,800	...	1,200
57D(c) ...	Do. —Miscellaneous stores, etc.	10,000	5,000	...	5,000
58A(3)(c) ...	Sewers and Surface drains—Lump sum for cleaning surface drains in Maincktola and Cossipore.	1,96,100	...	...	1,96,100
58B(a) ...	Sewers (New works)	24,000	4,900	...	19,100
	Carried over ...	32,46,600	16,60,500	21,300	16,07,400

B. I. No.	Particulars.	Provision in the C. E. O.'s Budget	Provision made by the Special Committee	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	4	5
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	Brought forward ...	32,46,600	16,60,500	21,300	16,07,400
60B(a) ...	Mehters' barracks, etc.—Maintenance	14,500	11,600	...	2,900
61B(a) ...	Removal of Night-soil, etc.—Buckets	19,000	20,000	1,000	...
61E ...	Do. —Lump sum for establishment and other charges	1,00,000	...	...	1,00,000
62B(a) ...	Drainage Pumping Stations—(New works.)	33,400	...	...	33,400
62C(a) ...	Do. —Maintenance of buildings.	15,000	12,000	...	3,000
62C(e) ...	Do. —Coal ...	1,82,000	1,64,000	...	18,000
62C(j)(2) ...	Do. —Lamps, Gas, etc. ...	4,100	3,600	...	500
63B ...	Water Supply Pumping Stations—(New works.)	...	6,700	6,700	
63C(a) ...	Do. —Maintenance of buildings.	67,000	53,600	...	13,400
63C(b) ...	Do. —Maintenance of Engines and boilers.	2,14,000	1,60,000	...	54,000
63C(c) ...	Do. —Maintenance of pipes and reservoirs.	47,000	40,000	...	7,000
63C(e) ...	Do. —Dredging foreshore...	40,000	35,000	...	5,000
63C(f) ...	Do. —Coal	13,45,000	12,00,000	...	1,45,000
63C(h) ...	Do. —Oil	57,000	52,000	...	5,000
63C(i) ...	Do. —Miscellaneous stores	61,500	57,000	...	4,500
63C(j)(2) ...	Do. —Lamps, Gas, etc. ...	5,400	4,400	...	1,000
63E ...	Tube-wells—New work	15,000	12,000	...	3,000
64(a) ...	Filter-working at Pulta ...	5,13,000	4,63,000	...	50,000
64(b) ...	Filtration of water—Alum cake	2,64,000	2,00,000	...	64,000
64(f) ...	Establishment and other charges for chlorination of filtered water.	1,08,200	96,900	...	11,300
65C(d) ...	Supply of water to Shipping—Hose	28,000	24,000	...	4,000
65C(e) ...	Do. —Coal ...	45,000	40,000	...	5,000
65C(f) ...	Do. —Miscellaneous stores	7,500	6,000	...	1,500
66A(a)(i) ...	Filtered Water Supply—Extension of pipes (New works).	20,000	13,600	...	6,400
66A(a)(iii) ...	Standposts, etc. (New works) ...	500	200	...	300
68A(a) ...	Street Lights—Replacement & Repairs—Posts and lanterns of gas lamps.	40,000	35,000	...	5,000
68A(b) ...	Do. —Do. of electric lamps ...	30,000	25,000	...	5,000
68B(c) ...	Do. —Burners, Mantles, etc....	1,45,000	1,25,000	...	20,000
68B(d) ...	Do. —Stores for electric lamps	30,000	25,000	...	5,000
69(a) ...	Street Lights by gas	4,50,000	4,00,000	...	50,000
70C(e)(2) ...	Markets—Lamps, Gas, Fans, etc. ...	66,000	54,000	...	12,000
70E(c) ...	Do. —Cleansing and disinfecting stores.	15,000	10,000	...	5,000
71B ...	Slaughter Houses—Construction and improvements (New works).	30,000	...	...	30,000
71C(a) ...	Slaughter Houses—Maintenance of buildings.	23,000	18,400	...	4,600
71C(e)(2) ...	Do. —Lamps, Gas, fans, etc.	7,500	6,000	...	1,500
	Carried over ...	72,89,200	50,84,500	29,000	22,83,700

B. I. No.	Particulars	Provision in the C. E. O.'s Budget	Provision made by the Special Committee	Increase	Decrease
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Brought forward ...	Rs. 72,89,200	Rs. 50,34,500	Rs. 29,000	Rs. 22,83,700
73C(a) ...	Dhobikhana—Repairs and renewals	4,000	3,200	...	800
76A(c)(ii)(1)	Dispensaries—Maintenance of buildings.	7,500	6,000	...	1,500
76A(e) ...	Lump sum for new dispensaries in Dist. II and Manicktala.	15,400	19,400	4,000	...
76C(b)(iv)(1)	Maternity Homes—Repairs ...	4,000	3,200		800
76C(b)(v) ...	Maternity Homes—(New works) ...	7,800	7,000	...	...
77C(h) ...	Motor Ambulance (Non-infectious)—Lump sum for establishment and other charges.		7,500	7,500	800
77D(h) ...	Do —(Infectious)—Do. ...	...	5,500	5,500	...
78C ...	Disinfecting Station—Maintenance ...	1,500	1,200	...	300
79C(a) ...	Animal Vaccine Depot—General repairs.	1,000	800	...	200
80C(a) ...	Vaccination and Registration—Maintenance of Vaccination Depots and Registration Offices.	3,500	2,800	...	700
81A(c)(ii)(1)	Burial Grounds—Lamps, gas, fans, etc.	7,500	6,500	...	1,000
81B(c)(ii) ...	Burning Ghats—Lamps, fans, gas, etc.	3,400	3,000	...	400
81C(c)(i) ...	Crematoriums—Maintenance of buildings.	3,500	2,800	...	700
82A(c)(1) ...	Improvement of Primary Education—Establishment.	10,00,000	9,78,000	...	22,000
82A(c)(2) ...	Do. —Equipment ...	6,000	5,000	...	1,000
82A(c)(3) ...	Do. —Rent	1,50,000	1,40,000	...	10,000
82A(c)(4)(a)	Do. —Physical training of Corporation lady teachers, stipends to teachers and contingencies	16,000	12,000	...	4,000
82A(c)(4)(c)	Do. —Repairs to school furniture, organs, etc.	1,500	500	...	1,000
82A(c)(6) ...	Do. —Repairs to school buildings.	17,500	7,500	...	10,000
82A(c)(7) ...	Do. —Census of school-going children	3,700	3,500	..	200
87(c)	Election charges ...	1,25,000	1,10,000	...	15,000
87(d) ...	Stationery and drawing materials ...	60,000	50,000	...	10,000
89A(b) ...	Payment re. Govt. advances for purchase of lorries.	...	25,600	25,600	...
89B(c) ...	Contribution to Loan Fund for removal of Chingreehatta refuse platform to Dhappa.	7,35,100	...	...	7,35,100
89B(d) ...	Do for purchase of machinery plant at Mullickghat P. S.	2,00,000	...	...	2,00,000
89B(e) ...	Do. do. at Watgunge P. S.	1,50,000	...	...	1,50,000
89B(f) ...	Do. —for fitting scour valves and air valves to unfiltered water mains:	1,50,000	...	...	1,50,000
89C(gg) ...	Lump sum for purchase of Motor Vehicles	2,52,000	64,000	...	1,88,000
89C(oo) ...	Fuel Economy and Research work ...	...	20,000	20,000	...
	Carried over...	1,02,15,100	65,19,500	91,600	37,87,200

B. I. No.	Particulars	Provision in the C. E. O.'s Budget	Provision made by the Special Committee	Increase	Decrease
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	Brought forward ...	1,02,15,100	65,19,500	91,600	37,87,200
90A ...	Petty Improvement works —New works (Lump sum) ...	49,200	4,85,200	4,36,000	...
95D(e) ..	Analytical Dept.—Chemicals ...	15,000	12,000	...	3,000
96C(a) ...	Gowkhanas—Repairs to buildings ...	24,500	19,600	...	4,900
96C(c)(ii) ...	Do. —Lamps, fans, gas, etc. ...	3,000	2,700	...	300
97C(a) ...	Motor Vehicles Dept.— Maintenance of buildings, sheds, etc.	10,000	8,000	...	2,000
97D(1)(a) ...	Do. —Spare parts General workshop stores and repairs.	2,25,000	1,65,000	...	60,000
97D(1)(b)(i)	Do. —Petrol and charcoal ...	5,00,000	4,50,000	...	50,000
97D(1)(b)(ii)	Do. —Lubricants ...	40,000	35,000	...	5,000
97D(1)(b)(iii)	Do. —Tyres and tubes ...	75,000	50,000	...	25,000
97D(3) ...	Do. —Labour	1,25,000	1,20,000	...	5,000
	Total ...	1,12,81,800	78,67,000	5,27,600	39,42,400
	Net decrease ...	...	...	...	34,14,800
	Say ...	...	...	...	34,14,000
	SUSPENSE HEADS—(Contra)				
91(iv)(1) ...	Workshops—Repairs to buildings ...	2,000	1,600	...	400

Modifications recommended by the Budget Special Committee in the Revised Estimates for 1945-46.

B. I. No.	Particulars.	Estimate for 8 months as in the Budget.	Estimate for 8 months as modified by the Special Committee.	Estimate of the total revised estimate as in the Budget.	Estimate of the total revised estimate as modified by the Special Committee.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	RECEIPTS.						
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
7(a) ...	Rent of Spare lands, Buildings, Squares and Tanks.	1,39,805	1,91,805	3,83,000	4,35,000	52,000	...
	EXPENDITURE.						
56C(a) ...	Railways, etc—Maintenance of embankments, etc.	5,942	42	12,200	6,300	...	5,900
89A(b) ...	Payment regarding advances from Govt for purchase of lorries.	...	19,700	..	19,700	19,700	...
	Total ...	5,942	19,742	12,200	26,000	19,700	5,900
	Net increase	...	...	...	...	18,800	...
	Say ...	...	...	...	...	14,000	...

Modifications made by the Budget Special Committee.

EXPENDITURE (out of new Loan.)

LIST—A.

B. I. No.	Name of work.	Provision in Col. 8 of the C.E.O.'s Budget.	Provision made by the Special Committee.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
VII(b) ...	Extension and widening of Manshatolla Lane and development of the area in its neighbourhood by the construction of cross roads and the provision of children's play-ground.	27,000	22,000	...	5,000
X(b) ...	Storm water overflow sewer along Jagannath Ghat Road Extension.	81,000	80,000	...	1,000
X(c) ...	Storm water drainage of the area between Tolly's Nullah and Kidderpore Docks, Wards 23, 24 & 25.	1,38,000	1,30,000	...	8,000
X(d) ...	Installation of a pumping plant near Bagjola Khal at Cossipore.	19,000	18,000	...	1,000
X(e) ...	Drainage of the area west of Kidderpore Docks.	...	93,922	93,922	...
X(f) ...	Main Drainage Extension Scheme (Internal portion).	17,66,000	17,63,000	...	3,000
XIX ...	Extension of Square Mile at Dhappa.	...	4,32,879	4,32,879	...
	Total ...	20,31,000	25,39,801	5,26,801	18,000
	Net increase ...	...	...	5,08,801	...
	Say ...	...	...	509000	...

LIST—B.

XXV ...	Repayment of Government advances for purchase of lorries.	18,30,000	12,80,000	...	5,50,000

SUMMARY OF LOAN FUND BUDGET.

Estimates of Receipts, Expenditure and Balances of the Loan Fund for the year 1946-47 as modified by the Budget Special Committee.

			Rs.
A.—Estimated Opening Balance on 1st April, 1946 ...			... 19,05,000
B.—Receipts during 1946-47 :—			
Loan to be raised for works to be included in the Loan Statement :—		Rs.	
List A		43,89,000	
List B		58,30,000	
			1,02,19,000
C.—Available for expenditure during 1946-47 ...			1,21,24,000
D.—Expenditure during 1946-47 :—			
(1) On Loan Works (Total of cols. 7 & 8)—			
List A		62,84,000	
List B		58,30,000	
			1,21,14,000
Balance ...			10,000

THE FIRST MEETING OF THE CORPORATION FOR THE YEAR 1946-47

ELECTION OF MAYOR AND DEPUTY MAYOR

WHEN the House met on Monday, the 29th April, 1946, over the first sitting of the Corporation for the year 1946-47, Mr. Anandilal Poddar, *ex*-Mayor, was elected at the instance of Councillor Hirendra Kumar Ganguli to preside over the transaction of business over items Nos. 2 and 3 in the Agenda for that day.

The Chairman called upon the new (nominated) members :—

Chairman, Calcutta Improvement Trust (*Ex-officio*).
B. N. Roy Chowdhury, Esq., Bar-at-Law
Saudur Rahman, Esq.
Miss A. Whitehead.
Kamal Krishna Das, Esq.
Syed Afzal, Esq.
Dr Biswanath Mondal.
H. D. Saha, Esq.
E. H. Edney, Esq.
W. R. Humphrey, Esq.

to take the oath of allegiance, which they did (except the Chairman, Calcutta Improvement Trust, who was absent) according to their respective turns,—Miss A Whitehead having taken the oath later on.

Here, the name of Mr. Abdur Rahman Siddiqi was proposed as the Chairman to preside over the items Nos. 4 and 5 in the Agenda, that is, the elections of the Mayor and the Deputy Mayor of the Corporation for the year 1946-47. Mr. Siddiqi withdrew in favour of Mr. Poddar, whose name had also been proposed.

Mr. Abdur Rezak moved that Mr. S. M. Usman be elected as the Mayor until the first meeting of the Corporation in 1947-48.

Mr. S. A. Habib seconded.

Dr. M. N. Sarkar moved that Mr. Shamsul Haque, *ex*-Deputy Mayor, be elected to be the Mayor until the first meeting of the Corporation in 1947-48.

Dr. S. N. Sinha seconded.

There having been no other name, the two names were put to vote

The voting was at first by show of hands; then poll was demanded

Mr. Usman received 71 votes; ten votes were cast against him, and two members were not voting. As there were 83 members present on the occasion, the Chairman saw no reason to count the votes in respect of Mr. Haque, and declared Mr. S. M. Usman duly elected to be the Mayor till the first meeting of the Corporation in 1947-48.

Mr. Purnendu Sekhar Basu proposed the name of Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee to be the Deputy Mayor until the first meeting of the Corporation in 1947-48. No other name having been proposed, Mr. Mookerjee was declared by the Chairman to be duly elected as Deputy Mayor for the year 1946-47 without any contest.

CONGRATULATORY SPEECHES BY COUNCILLORS AND ALDERMEN

Mr. A. L. Poddar

Speaking in Hindi Mr. Anandilal Poddar, the Chairman, said :—

Mr. Mayor, according to convention I am required to rise first to congratulate you and I do congratulate you with all my heart. For the last two years you have been working with us and we have grown fond of you. Little wonder therefore that I am overjoyed at your election. I have no manner of doubt that you will be able to discharge the duties attaching to your high office to the entire satisfaction of the

House and the citizens of Calcutta. Many problems connected with the city loom large before your eyes and you will be soon called upon to tackle them. Now that you are Mayor, I hope you will shed your party complex, hold the scales even and do equal justice to all. Our Netaji laid down the convention that every third year a Muslim should be elected as Mayor and we have hitherto honoured that convention. There was a rumour that perhaps this year the Congress Party would not act up to the principle of rotation. That was never the intention and the Congress Party will always adhere to that pact or convention. Netaji established that convention and Netaji alone can abrogate it and no one else.

Mr. Deputy Mayor, I have known you for the last 10 years and I know of your success in your particular line of business. I have no doubt that you will also succeed in your office as Deputy Mayor, so that next year when the time approaches for the Mayoral election we could consider your name for the highest honour in our gift (Applause).

MR. D. N. MUKHERJEE

Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee, the outgoing Mayor said :—

As the outgoing Mayor, I rise to congratulate you on the honour that has been conferred upon you to-day. You are very lucky that you have come to the forefront of your Party and have run away with the honour that was perhaps due to one of the veterans of your Party. I should remind you that the country is on the tenterhook of suspense on account of the crucial talks that are going on between the Cabinet Mission on the one hand and leaders of the Congress, the Muslim League and other political organizations in the country on the other. The Congress is determined to secure independence for one indivisible India, whereas the Party to which you belong, are equally determined to secure independence through a vivisection of India.

Mr. S. C. Ray Chaudhuri: What does the Hindu Mahasabha want?

Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee: There have been attempts at coalition between the Congress and the League not only in this Province but also in other Provinces, but all such attempts have failed. Therefore, there must be some magician of extraordinary powers within this Corporation through whose influence what proved impossible of achievement elsewhere has proved possible of achievement in this Corporation. Nationalist Muslims have gone down, while you have scored a signal victory. However, I shall not be sorry if you, with the help of that magician, can turn the tide in favour of the people of this city and the people of this Province. One word more. You are now above parties. You are now a non-party man. All are equal in your eye, whether they belong to League, Congress or Hindu Mahasabha. You are expected to accord the same treatment to all whether they approach you with the cry of Pakistan, or *Bande Mataram* or *Jai Hind*.

I expect that urgent matters of the Corporation will engage your undivided attention and on behalf of my party I assure you of our fullest support and co-operation. I again congratulate you on behalf of the party to which I have the honour to belong.

Mr. Deputy Mayor, we have known you for a long time. The honour that has been conferred upon you to-night was long overdue. We know your capabilities and feel sure that you will do all you can for the welfare of the city. I assure you of our support and co-operation in whatever you do for the betterment of the administration.

MR. S. C. RAY CHAUDHURI

Mr. S. C. Ray Chaudhuri: Mr. Mayor, I offer you my hearty congratulations on your elevation to that historic and exalted Chair. On an occasion like this, I would not have embarked upon a controversy had not a discordant note been struck by the leader of the Hindu Mahasabha Party, Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee. To-day a coalition between the League and the Congress is longed for by every Indian who has the best interest of his country nearest to his heart, and it is our misfortune that such a coalition has not yet been achieved in any of the Probinces. If, however,

attempts at bringing about such a coalition have failed elsewhere, there is absolutely no reason why Mr. Debendra Nath Mukherjee should get annoyed if such a coalition has become an accomplished fact in the Corporation of Calcutta. Only the other day, the leader of the Congress Parliamentary Party was very anxious to enter into a coalition with the Muslim League Party in the Assembly with a view to forming a Congress-League Coalition Ministry in Bengal. The negotiations in that behalf broke down and according to me, that was very unfortunate. Even at this moment in Delhi the Congress leaders and the leaders of the Muslim League are sitting together along with the members of the British Cabinet Mission in order to reach a settlement on India's Constitutional problem. At this juncture, we should try to keep the peace and not stir up communal feelings. It is a matter for congratulation that you have been elected to that office not only with most of the Hindu votes, but with practically all the Muslim votes.

I am sorry, for poor old Deputy Mayor, Mr. Shamsul Haque. Why was this convention of making a Muslim Mayor every third year established? It was done with a view to ensure harmonious working for the purpose of proper and efficient administration of the city's affairs; and when we found that we had to rely on one Muslim vote for promoting the candidature of Mr. Haque—and that too, Mr. Haque's own vote—we did not think it discreet to give the go-bye to that harmony which we were so anxious to secure, by nominating him for Mayorship in preference to the nominee of the Muslim League who commands practically all the Muslim votes here. Furthermore, as has been pointed out by Mr. Poddar, our Party could not possibly give the go-bye to the convention laid down by the leader and founder of our Party, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose (Applause). It is he alone who can break that convention and no one else. So, we had no choice in the matter.

When I discussed the matter with you, you agreed with me that at a time like this, we should work unitedly for the city's good and for the betterment of the administration of the Corporation. That can be done if we really work hand in hand. You also agreed that the necessity was imperious for the release of those political prisoners who are still behind prison bars and I am glad to announce that steps have been taken since to that end and orders have been passed by the Government for the release of all political prisoners who are in detention without trial and that steps are being taken for the early release of the convicted political prisoners (Applause).

As Mayor and President of this Corporation your duties are manifold and arduous. You are expected to maintain the tradition and dignity of the House. That can be best done by maintaining the autonomy of the Corporation by repulsing, if need be, attacks from Government. During your tenure of office you will have to do your best to uphold the honour, prestige and dignity of the Corporation and from what I have known of you, I am perfectly satisfied that the honour, prestige, dignity and last but not least, the autonomy of the Corporation, are safe in your keeping. After all, you are one of those who participated in the non-co-operation movement and it is a pleasure to see before me Mr. Debendra Nath Dey with whom you were clapped in the same jail. That brings you closer and nearer to us. During the last February disturbances you rose to the height of the occasion by leading the students' procession in the teeth of Police and Governmental violence. That was just like you. We have no manner of doubt that in moments of crisis you will rise to the height of the occasion and add lustre not only to your name but also to the organization to which you belong.

Mr. Deputy Mayor, it is a great pleasure for us to see you in that Chair. We know that you will prove worthy of the position that has been accorded to you. We hope that you will devote more of your time to the work of the Corporation and be a worthy lieutenant of your worthy Mayor.

Mr. J. N. Smart

Mr. J. N. Smart: A very considerable majority of your fellow Councillors and Aldermen have to-day placed you in this high office of Mayor of the city of Calcutta and it is my privilege, on behalf of my

party, to congratulate you upon the great opportunity that this appointment offers you, an opportunity to do much good to the City, with which opportunity comes responsibility and the responsibility is surely commensurate with the opportunity. It is therefore a heavy responsibility that has been placed upon you this afternoon, but I have no doubt that you will discharge it with credit and with dignity. You are now First Citizen of Calcutta; you are no longer a representative of this party or that party or this community or that community. You are a representative of the citizens of Calcutta as a whole irrespective of party or community and as such we welcome you. Your success in the coming year will be wholly measured by the degree of impartiality with which you conduct the business of the House and the affairs of the city generally and we have every confidence that that will be done by you successfully. You and your party have the right to expect from us all the co-operation and help we can give you and on behalf of my Party, I can assure you that this will be forthcoming.

Mr. Deputy Mayor, to you I have pleasure in extending the congratulation of my party. I should think that the office of Deputy Mayor is rather a difficult one to fill, but I have no doubt that the duties that will devolve upon you during the coming year you will perform with credit and dignity and I hope that your conduct generally in the chair will be such that at no great distant day we shall unanimously appoint you to the fuller place.

MR. B. N. ROY CHOWDHURY

Mr. B. N. Roy Chowdhury: On behalf of the nominated members of the House I beg to offer you our congratulations on the occasion of your election as Mayor of Calcutta. I hope and trust that during your Mayoralty, politics will be eschewed on the floor of the House. There are many things that have to be done. Calcutta unfortunately has acquired in recent years a rather unsavoury reputation so far as its health and sanitation are concerned. You will remember that an attempt was made to improve the bustees of Calcutta during the time of the preceding Governor and I think I should remind you that this is a work which you should take up with all earnestness during your term of office. I remember the great interest you personally took in the matter and I have no manner of doubt that at the earliest possible opportunity you will chalk out a programme for the improvement of bustees and for removing the appelation "Filthy Calcutta." I have worked with you for a long time and I know you will be able to keep up the high traditions of the House by discharging your duties as Mayor with strict impartiality and without any consideration of caste, creed or colour. I have always held that the best time to congratulate the Mayor is at the time when he says good-bye because it is then that we can judge the nature of the work that he has actually done. I wish you every success and I hope and trust that when the time comes for you to lay down the reins of office we shall have a better reason to congratulate you as First Citizen.

Mr. Deputy Mayor, I have known you from childhood. We read together and we were practically brought up together. I wanted to say many things to you, but I think it is more judicious to say these things in your room. But I have no manner of doubt that you will carry out your duties in efficient manner. I convey our best wishes to you.

MR. MD. ISMAIL

Mr. Md. Ismail, speaking in Urdu said that on the last occasion and before, the members elected by the Labour Constituency did not participate in the election of Mayor and Deputy Mayor. But on the present occasion the Labour Party was supporting the majority party in expectation that the latter might ameliorate the conditions of the poor people, particularly of them, who were living in the *bustees* of Calcutta.

MR. ABDUS SATTAR

Mr. Abdus Sattar said that while congratulating the new Mayor he felt that he was congratulating himself and the party to which he belonged. He expressed, he was quite sure that during the tenure of office held by the new Mayor, the administration of the Corporation would receive his close attention and they would certainly be able to

show others that ,'we can govern ourselves." He then referred to the necessity of improving the condition of supply of filtered water. He also drew attention of the Mayor to the appalling state in the *bustees*.

Mr. Sattar also congratulated the Deputy Mayor and expressed satisfaction that the Deputy Mayor represented the same Ward as the speaker also represented.

MR. M. L. KHEMKA

Mr. M L. Khemka, speaking in Hindi, said that on previous occasions the Mayors had mostly been lawyers, and it was the first time that a member of the teaching profession was raised to the high office. He was sure that the House would profit by the teaching experience of the Mayor.

He expressed his hope that both the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor would discharge their respective duties with conspicuous ability and success.

MR. DEBABRATA MOOKERJEE

Mr. Debabrata Mookerjee: It gives me great pleasure to congratulate you upon your being admitted to the highest office which is in the city's gift. I do take pride and pleasure in seeing you to-day in that Chair not merely as Mr. Usman but as a representative of the great Muslim community. My mind goes back to those historic days of 1940 when under the inspiring leadership of Netaji a convention was established in this House by which the highest honour in the city's gift was intended to go by rotation to representatives of different communities inhabiting this great city of ours. I remember that last occasion when Mayor was elected I happened to refer to the fact that we of the Congress Party were scrupulously following the lead given by our great leader, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose. Though apprehension was expressed by Muslim League members that possibly the convention was being attempted to be broken, we maintained that there was no such attempt on our part; that, on the contrary, we wanted to adhere to it and to-day the co-operation extended by the Congress Party clearly establishes our contention that we always wanted and shall always want to follow the lead given by Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose in this regard.

To my mind your elevation to-night is not merely a personal triumph—of course, it is bit of a personal triumph because you have not been long here. But to my mind it symbolises the desire on the part of the two great communities, to come closer together and know each other better. I am proud that we have not deflected from the path chalked out in 1940. I hope that you as a representative of that great community to which you have the honour to belong, you will try to implement the decision that was taken in 1940 and do all that lies in your power to see that the convention is maintained. Conversant as you are with conduct of public affairs and knowing you as we do, your elevation justifies us in hoping that you will be doing all that lies in your power to bring about a greater understanding at least in the administration of the city, an understanding between the two great communities, and to give at the same time the rightful share to other minority communities as well. Your rectitude of purpose and your untiring zeal for promoting the welfare of the citizens at large are much too well-known and I have not the slightest doubt that you will bring to the high office to which you have been called all these great qualities. Your association with youngmen has conduced to the freshness of your mind and I do believe that this close association with the youngmen of the country will enable you to see things in new perspective. I have personally no doubt that you will rise equal to the responsibilities of your great office and that there is no fear whatsoever of the rights and privileges of any community other than your own being trampled upon as long as you are there. To my mind, the Mayor loses caste, loses creed, the moment he is elected. You are to-day really casteless and creedless, because you have become custodian of the City's honour, rights and privileges. You must have seen, because you have felt with us, that this House is rather touchy in the matter of maintenance of its diggity, rights and privileges. I do not know what is in store for us. I am most anxious to avoid controversial ground. It was said some time ago that the constitution under which we are functioning requires thorough overhauling. But, the Municipal Act Amendment

Bill which was introduced and which received consideration of Government some years back, appeared to be a thoroughly retrograde measure and we do not make secret of it when we say that we hated it because it sought to curtail our rights and privileges. I hope that if an attempt, a sinister attempt is made from any quarter to whittle down our powers, to encroach upon our rights and privileges, you will as First Citizen, be in the vanguard of the struggle that will ensue and try to do all in your power to maintain the honour and dignity, rights and privileges of the House. I am reminded of the words uttered by that great Athenian statesman and oracle, Pericles. He said: "He who allows the freedom of his own city to be prostituted, prostitutes himself." I have not the slightest doubt that you as First Citizen will resist, should occasion arise, with all your might and main, any attempt from any quarter to encroach upon the rights and privileges of the House.

I may tell you that during the term of one of your illustrious predecessors in office, Mr. Abdur Rahman Siddiqi, there was occasion when we felt that he rose to the height of the occasion and did all he could to maintain the rights and privileges of the House. You have before you the examples of your illustrious predecessors such as Deshabandhu Chittaranjan Das and Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose and I do hope you will do all that lies in your power to maintain the rights and privileges of the House. There are very difficult problems that await your consideration. During the last 5 or 6 years that war raged we suffered—and suffered only because we are part of a system that is rotten to the core. During these years we could not really do all that was expected of us. As has been pointed by previous speakers, the House will expect real constructive leadership from you and for the space of barely 12 months that lies ahead of us you will guide us, lead us, advise us and enthuse us to do what we can to ameliorate, to re-model, to reconstruct as far as we can and make the ordinary amenities available to the citizens. I have no doubt that you will exert yourself in that direction. I congratulate you most sincerely and I have no doubt that our high expectations of you will be fulfilled.

Mr. Deputy Mayor, it is difficult for me to express myself in congratulating you. I have always looked upon you as my dear elder brother. I remember the first day of our meeting when you very kindly talked to us about many things which I need not set before the House to-night and the memory of which is still fresh in my mind. I did learn many things from you and the assistance that you made available to the younger section in the Congress Municipal Association is still green in my memory. I would very much like you not merely to assist the Mayor in conducting the deliberations of the House, but also to take a sustained, energetic interest in the affairs of the city and give the Mayor that assistance which he has the right to expect from you. I know there has been no lack of real desire on your part to do all you can to promote the welfare of the city, to help us, to help all the Councillors of the Corporation; nonetheless, I ask you to apply yourself more energetically, if possible, to advance the good of the city. To my mind a city is not to be judged by good roads and palatial buildings, but by its intellectual and cultural life. You are scion of a family of whose tradition and culture we are proud. I hope that in the discharge of your duties, the tradition and culture of your family will have the fullest play. The intellectual and cultural heritage of which you are proud possessor will be reflected in the work which you will be called upon to do as Deputy Mayor. I hope that mark which you leave upon your office will be worthy of emulation by your successor.

MR. S. M. TAUFIQ

Mr. S M. Taufiq congratulating the new Mayor said that the masses were surely gaining ground since the present Governor had previously been a wage-earner and the new Mayor of the second city of the British Empire was a proletariat. He expressed hope that during the period of office of the new Mayor some decisive steps would be taken to improve the *bustees* and slums of Calcutta. He also offered congratulations to the Deputy Mayor.

MR. M. M. HAQ

Mr. M. M. Haq, rising to offer his felicitations to the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor referred to the deplorable conditions in the Calcutta *bustees* and wished that such state of affairs were soon set aright.

DR. BISWANATH MANDAL

Dr. Biswanath Mandal speaking in Bengali said that he was the first man that day to use the language of the province to which belonged the city of Calcutta in offering congratulations to the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor of that city. He drew the attention of the new Mayor to the betterment of the conditions of the scheduled caste and expressed great hope to be able to see the lot of the poor teachers of the Corporation and other schools improved since the Mayor had been in earlier years of his life a teacher.

MR. MD. ISRAIL

Mr. Md. Israil: Mr. Mayor, as I look back to the day when you and I used to read in the same class, it gives me great personal satisfaction to see you in that Chair, and while I congratulate you on your elevation to the Mayoral dignity, I congratulate myself on my elevation to the tableland of joy. Destiny did not divide us but brought us to this Corporation, and what is more, added one more class-fellow in the person of Mr. T. Ahmed. I take pride in the fact that one of the trio adorns that Chair this evening. The honour that has been conferred on you, has not come to you through anyone's grace. Everybody who is anybody in Calcutta knows how you have toiled and suffered for the masses on account of your activities in their behalf not only in the city of Calcutta but outside its confines. You have given unstinted service to your fellowmen and to the great organization to which you belong.

Descending now from the table-land of joy to the work-a-day world of harsh realities, I beg of you to fix your gaze for a moment, on Narkeldanga, Manicktalla and Cossipore and behold in your mind's eye the appalling conditions prevailing in these areas. Festering drains meandering along sluggishly; huge accumulation of garbage rotting in the sun; shortage of filtered and unfiltered water supply to the extent unknown even in the chequered annals of this Corporation—these typify the condition of these areas. I would next request you to take a look at the condition of the city roads which are full of deep ruts and pot-holes and which it is impossible for one to negotiate at night without frequent stumbles. As Mayor you will be called upon to grapple not only with the problems that confront us at the present time, but also with various other problems that will crop up from time to time during your tenure of office. The whole world is in the melting-pot and the way in which the constitutional problem of India is solved, will have repercussion on the administration of the Corporation of which you are Mayor. The time to congratulate you will come when you will be laying down the reins of office.

Mr. Deputy Mayor, I take pride in congratulating you because you come from my Ward. I am very happy at your election and I am sure you will extend to the Mayor your helpful co-operation.

MR. T. AHMED

Mr. T. Ahmed, while congratulating the new Mayor, felt a great pride in seeing one of his class-mates raised to the chair of Mayoralty. The time before them was beset with difficulties and the new Mayor, he hoped, would be able to steer clear all impediments that would come before him and his task. He then reminded the Mayor what he had said on the occasion when Mr. Anandi Lal Poddar was elected Mayor of Calcutta. Mr. Ahmed thus called the new Mayor's attention to the improvement of the *bustees* of Calcutta.

MR. BHABESH CHANDRA DAS

Mr. Bhabesh Chandra Das, felicitating the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor, affirmed that the interest of the scheduled caste in the city would never be ignored. Referring to the *bustees* of Manicktolla and the prevalence of epidemics in his Ward Mr. Das requested the new Mayor to pay useful attention to these and similar other grievances.

MR. HIRENDRA KUMAR GANGULI

Mr. Hirendra Kumar Ganguli, while offering congratulations to the new Mayor, reminded him of redeeming the pledge that had been given to the inhabitants of the added areas when such areas were being amalgamated with the Corporation of Calcutta. To the new Deputy Mayor he offered his felicitations, pointing to the fact that the new Deputy Mayor was the first Brahmin to occupy that chair. He expressed hope that the Deputy Mayor would very ably assist his Chief in the discharge of onerous duties and obligations to the citizens of Calcutta.

MRS. HEMAPROVA MAJUMDAR

Mrs. Hemaprova Majumdar, speaking in Bengali, sought to remind the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor of the new burden of duties that had come upon their shoulders. She said that for a humanitarian cause there should be no distinction of caste and creed, no question of party affiliations.

THE NEW DEPUTY MAYOR

The new Deputy Mayor, Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee, giving reply to the felicitations said:—

Mr. Chairman, my friends and colleagues! I am deeply grateful to you for having elected me to this important office. My gratitude and joy is all the more, because you have given me your unanimous support from all sections of the House. Today is not the proper occasion to raise any controversial issue such as has been raised by the leader of the Hindu Mahasabha Party in this House. My esteemed friend, Mr. S. C. Ray Chaudhuri, has properly met his arguments. All I need say is that the problems which the Corporation had to contend with during the term of the outgoing Mayor continue to exist today and are pressing us more seriously than they ever did before. Whatever the Congress Party have done today, they have done after mature deliberation. The most difficult problems that face the city today are likely to assume still more serious proportions in the next twelve months and we shall be hard put to it to find a solution to those problems. I shall not attempt to discuss the merits or demerits of what has been done today. I shall leave it at this stage.

I am a human being and it is not right and proper for me to make large promises. I shall leave that to the last day of my office when I shall be in a position to claim that I have been able to help my Mayor to achieve some degree of success in solving the problems that face us. Standing beside this exalted chair today I am reminded of those great sons of India,—Deshbandhu Chittaranjan Das, Deshapriya Jotindra Mohan Sen-Gupta and my Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose—who have held the office of Mayor of this great city; I have neither their talents nor their inspiration to promise you any miracles. I invoke their blessings and guidance in the most important duty that both of us have to perform during the year of our office.

My friends! I do not wish to detain you any longer. All that I wish to say before I sit down is that I shall do my very best to help my esteemed Mayor to conduct the business of the House in the best possible manner. I hope that you will in your turn give us all assistance and co-operation from all sections of the House. We must forget that we belong to different political parties. We must work together as one unit for the good of the city. I thank you again for the kindness you have shown me (Applause).

THE NEW MAYOR.

The new Mayor of Calcutta, Mr. S. M. Usman, in replying to the compliments showered upon him by the Councillors and Aldermen, said:—

Aldermen and Councillors! I am overwhelmed with emotion and find it extremely difficult to express my gratitude for the great honour which you have done me to-day. I assure you that the moment you brought me to the Mayoral Chair, from that moment I am practically a changed man. I confess that throughout my life I have been an ardent worker of the masses. I am a man of the people. I have lived with them, I have

shared their joys and sorrows and I know their difficulties. During my young days I made up my mind to dedicate my entire life for the amelioration of the condition of the masses.

Aldermen and Councillors! You perhaps do not realise that by electing me as your Mayor, you have brought about a tremendous change in the civic life of your city. I am the first Mayor from the ranks of the proletariat. I assure you that I do not own a single piece of land in Calcutta, nor do I own a single house. I have been brought up in the slums, I have spent 25 years of my life in *Khola Pari*, I have lived and dined with masons and day labourers. My friends will bear me out that I am not exaggerating. The miserable life that the slum-dwellers in Calcutta were leading produced upon my mind a deep impression. I have thought of them day and night; I have wept for them and I can tell you that I have worked for them incessantly. The thought of these luckless people has always been and will always be uppermost in my mind.

Aldermen and Councillors! I was going to tell you that by electing me as your Mayor you have brought about a new orientation in the civic life of Calcutta. Hitherto the poor masses, the people who work for the masses, the workers who are toiling all the time for improving the lot of the poor and ameliorating their condition—they never expected that Aldermen and Councillors of the Corporation would ever raise such an insignificant person as myself to such a dignified position. To-day, you have proved to demonstration that in Bengal if not in Calcutta at any rate, there are men who are capable of rising equal to the height of the occasion and by electing me as Mayor, you have given heart to those who are working for the betterment of the lot of the poor, that when the time comes you do not hesitate to show that honour to one of the working class which you have shown in the past to some of the greatest men not only of this city but of the country at large.

Aldermen and Councillors! You know that I belong to a particular Party. But I assure you that the moment I occupied this chair, I ceased to be a party-man. As Mayor I am above Party. You have elected me to adjudicate upon the problems which will come up for discussion in this House. I assure you that I shall try to do justice to those problems to the limit of my capacity. But I know my shortcomings and limitations. I am not only new to this *guddi*, but I am a newcomer to the Corporation as well. Therefore at every step I shall require the guidance of experienced Councillors. Without their wholehearted co-operation, without their enlightened guidance, it would not be possible for me to make any headway. I am, therefore, very much encouraged and heartened to find that almost all sections of the House have promised to help me in the discharge of my duties.

Aldermen and Councillors! A political issue was sought to be raised. This is not the proper forum for discussing the different political ideals and ideologies of the different Parties. We have come here for a different purpose altogether, *i.e.*, to bring the amenities of civic life to the door of all, irrespective of the rich or the poor.

Aldermen and Councillors! As I told you in the beginning, I have been brought up in the slums and bustees of Calcutta and perhaps you will recall that the first day when I entered this Chamber and when Mr. Anandi Lal Poddar was elected Mayor, I addressed the House and the burden of my address was the problem of the bustees. In this second city of the British Empire, in this city of Palaces, it is disgraceful to find filthy bustees and slums by the thousand. The movement for the improvement of the bustees initiated by me during the Mayoralty of Mr. Poddar produced some result and we were able to draw the attention of the then Governor, Mr. R. G. Casey. He was very kind to go round the bustees accompanied by the then Mayor, Mr. Poddar, the then Chief Minister, Khwaja Sir Nazimuddin and myself. I was surprised to find that the Governor was so energetic, so enthusiastic, so much interested to see the miserable condition of the bustee-dwellers. We discussed the problem with him on the spot and once he inquired of me, "Mr. Usman, what is the way out of it?" I suggested certain remedial measures. He was glad of those suggestions and he assured us on the spot that he would do all he could to ameliorate the condition of these people and next day you must have seen a very short but very encouraging and hopeful statement that within the next 6 months the citizens would be entitled to

ask of the Governor what he had done for the betterment of the condition of these people. He had to go away and now another Governor has come and, am very glad, that he was once a Railway porter in England. I am sure he knows where the shoe pinches and now the promise, the word of honour, given to the citizens by Mr. Casey should be fulfilled by the present Governor.

Aldermen and Councillors! The problem of the bustees is such a serious and complicated problem that in spite of our best efforts we shall not be able to solve it unless the Governor and the Ministry come forward to help us in solving it. We hope that the popular Ministry which has been recently installed will help us in solving this problem.

Aldermen and Councillors! I assure you that the present Ministry tried its level best to form a Coalition Government in Bengal. Bengal, as you know, is the worst sufferer from the war and its aftermath. The war has told upon its life. It requires reconstruction. The League Ministry composed as it is of a single Party was anxious from before to secure the association of other Parties in order to tackle best the problems that Bengal presents to-day. Therefore, in all seriousness and with all the sincerity that he commands, Mr. Suhrawardy wanted to enter into a coalition with the Congress Party. I do not wish to go into the causes which led to the breakdown of the negotiations, but this much I can assure you that it was not due to any lack of sincerity on the part of the Premier. It was due to the fact that high politics intervened and the result was that the coalition was not brought about. Nevertheless, I assure you that the Ministry is trying to do all it can for the reconstruction of Bengal. The question which might be agitating the minds of many citizens of Calcutta, especially friends who belong to the Congress Camp, is the question of the release of political prisoners. So far as I am aware, the Premier himself is very much alive to this question and from what I have been able to gather, the very first thing which he is going to do is to order the release of the political prisoners, especially those who have been kept in detention without any trial and as to the rest of them, their cases are being expedited.

Aldermen and Councillors! I wish to impress upon you that for the purpose of solving the various problems which we are beset with, we need to create a harmonious atmosphere. The smooth administration of the city depends not only on the Corporation but also on Government and unless there is harmony between the Government and the Corporation, no problem can be solved satisfactorily. I cherish the hope that during my term of office harmonious relations will be maintained between these two bodies, to the good of the citizens. At the same time, I do assure you that I shall zealously guard the rights and privileges of the Aldermen and Councillors of the Corporation. From my very boyhood I have taken pride in this unique self-governing institution, the Corporation of Calcutta, and it shall be my best endeavour, with your support and co-operation, to see that there was no undue interference with our civic rights and privileges which our forbears acquired after great sacrifices (Prolonged Applause).

Aldermen and Councillors! You have brought new hope, new light, new encouragement to the people of this country by bringing about a coalition between the Congress and the Muslim League in this House. When similar coalition was achieved the first time, I had a talk with Mr. (now Netaji) Subhas Chandra Bose and at the time we agreed that a beginning should be made with the Calcutta Corporation. We agreed that in those troublous times, if a rapproachement was brought about between Muslims and Hindus, it would be a beacon-light not only for Bengal but for the whole of India. To-day people all over the country are awaiting the outcome of the momentous deliberations of the British Cabinet Mission in India, with bated breath and deep anxiety. Whatever the outcome, let Hindus and Muslims make a firm determination to march shoulder to shoulder, and solve their own problems (Applause). God forbid, if the Cabinet Mission fails, our frail barque may be violently tossed about by strong waves from all directions, but with that courage, with that determination we can steer it clear of those waves and bring it to the haven of safety.

Aldermen and Councillors! Mr. Ismail who is a very great exponent of the cause of labour has told you about the pitiable condition in which the labourers live. I want to assure all the labourers

not only in the employ of the Corporation but in different factories and workshops, that they will have all the help and co-operation from the Mayor and they must regard him as one of them because he has spent 25 years of his life in the midst of wage-earners.

Aldermen and Councillors! I am conscious of the tremendous responsibility that you have laid upon my weak shoulders. I am at a loss to know how to discharge this onerous responsibility. I confess that I do not possess that wealth of experience which you possess; but I have brought with me deep devotion to what I consider to be my duty and I assure you that you will not find me lacking in endeavour and industry in tackling the problems of the city. With your help, co-operation and guidance I may, perhaps, be able to solve the crying problems of the city. If at the end of my term I shall not have brought the amenities of civic life to the doors of the poorer section of the people, I shall consider myself a failure. But I am full of hope and I want to assure the poorer sections of the city that they will receive at my hands all the help that I can render.

Aldermen and Councillors! I am indeed very glad that you have elected such a nice gentleman as Mr. Naresh Nath Mookerjee as Deputy Mayor (Applause). When I entered this Chamber the first time I was struck by his manners, his demeanour, his address, his bearing and last but not least, his features (Laughter). You will notice a strong contrast between us. On one side you will find a man who is most particular about his dress; on the other side you will find a man who never cares for his dress. Sometimes I feel that by electing him as Deputy Mayor you have done some injustice to him, because before his vivid brilliant personality I might pale into insignificance. But I am proud to think that in him I have a Deputy who is a man of honour, a man of intigrity, a man of determination and a gentleman to the finger nails. I have no doubt that he will help me to the limit of his capacity. One other contrast I have forgotten and that is that whereas our esteemed Deputy Mayor comes of a wealthy family, your Mayor is a pauper. But let me tell you that according to the precepts of my religion there is no difference, no inequity between man and man. My religion has struck a balance between Capital and Labour, between the rich and the poor, and by the happy choice that you have made in your Deputy Mayor, you have created that atmosphere not only in this House but in the city, which we all desire. When I spoke of ameliorating the condition of the poor, I did not mean to say that this would be done at the expense of the well-to-do people. On the other hand, my ideal is to raise the poor to the level of those who are enjoying to the full all the amenities of civic life.

Aldermen and Councillors! I once more thank you for the great honour you have done me this evening and I once again express my hope that you will always help me in my endeavour to conduct the deliberations of the House in the manner expected of me (Prolonged Applause).

CORPORATION FREE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Result Of The Final Examination, 1945

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CENTRE—RANI BHOWANI H. E. SCHOOL.

C. F. P. School at 1/2, Marhatta Ditch Lane

Roll No.	Names of Pupils.	Divisions.
93	Sm. Shanti Devi Gupta	II E
99	,, Manti Devi	II E
100	Biswanath Saha	II E

C. F. P. School at 17, Dalimtola Lane

101	Narendra Nath Das	II E
102	Banshidhari Chakravorty	II E
103	Santosh Kumar Dutta	II E
104	Chittaranjan Das	II
106	Manmatha Nath Gorai	I E
269	Sk. Panchu	II E

C. F. P. School (Girls) at 11/B, Gouri Bari Lane

107	Sm. Priti Mandal	II E
108	,, Jyotirmoyee De	II
109	,, Bela Bose	II E
110	,, Mira Das	II
111	,, Renu Das	II
112	,, Nilima Seal	II E
113	,, Puspa Banerjee	II E
114	,, Basanti Chakravorty	II E
115	,, Sova Bhattacharjee	II
116	,, Usha Bhattacharjee	II
117	,, Rekha Ghose	I E

C. F. P. School (Morning) at 30 Sitalatala Lane

120	Tinkari Das	II
121	Hrishikesh Ghose	II E
226	Jagannath Das	II
267	Dalim Kumar Das	II E

C. F. P. School (Girls) 14, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane

122	Sm. Sova Chatterjee	I E
123	,, Lily Sen Gupta	II E
124	,, Latika Dey	II E
125	,, Jyotsna Mitter	II E
126	,, Shanti Karmakar	II E
127	,, Swarna Chakravorty	II E
128	,, Asima Nayak	II E
129	,, Kanaklata Mandal	II

C. F. P. School at 10/24, Gouribari Lane

130	Nandalal Pramanick	II E
131	Prem Chand Seal	II E
132	Subhendra Nath Seal	II E
133	Sambhu Nath Dutta	II E
134	Madhusudan Ghose	II E
135	Sourendra Mohan Das	II E

C. F. P. School at 44, Muraripukur Road

137	Rama Nath Adhikari	II E
138	Sunil Kumar Kolay	II
140	Balai Chandra Mandal	II E
143	Sm. Renu Bala Dey	II E

C. F. P. School at 44, Canal West Road

Roll No.	Names of Pupils.	Divisions.
144	Ajit Kumar Das	II E
145	Monoharlal Addy	II E
147	Hira Lal Pal	II E
148	Sushil Kumar Das	II E
149	Ram Chandra Pramanik	II E
150	Sambhu Nath Das	II E
151	Sunil Kumar Pal	II E
270	Sk. Abdur Rahman	II E

C. F. P. School at 11B, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane

153	Mahendra Lal Bhaji	II E
154	Sukumar Ghose	II E
156	Nakuleswar Samajdar	II E
	Achyut Kr. Kunar	I E
159	Gopal Chandra Das	II E
160	Sambhu Nath Chandra	II
161	Sambhu Ch. Sadhukhan	II E
163	Dinabandhu Singha	II E
164	Biswanath Dutta	II E
165	Sukumar Basu Choudhury	II
166	Panchanan Indra	II E
167	Biswa Nath Ghatak	II
264	Nani Gopal Santra	II E
271	Bhajanlal Chitrakar	II E
272	Quazi Azaharlul Haque	II E

C. F. P. School (Girls) at 29/1, Chore Bagan Lane

169	Sm. Sudharani Mitra	II
170	,, Malina Biswas	II
171	,, Nandamayee Dutta	II
172	,, Pratima Devi	II
176	,, Jamuna Pal	II

C. F. P. School (Girls) at 19, Simla Street

179	Sm. Sibani Bhattacharjee	II E
180	,, Mira Dey	II E
183	,, Madhuri Sen Gupta	II E

C. F. P. School at 13/14, Advaita Mullick Lane

184	Haramohan Dey	II E
185	Taruntapan Dey	I E
187	Rabindra nath Majumdar	II E
189	Gopal Lal Burman	II E

C. F. P. School (Girls) at 59, Amherst Street

190	Sm. Lila Lahiri	II E
192	,, Sova Lahiri	II E
193	,, Subhadra Khan	II E
194	,, Anna Dutta	II E
195	,, Puspa Dutta	II E
196	,, Gita Roy Choudhury	II E
198	,, Kamala Chakravarty	II E
201	,, Gouri Rani Ghose	II E
203	,, Durgarani Das	II E
204	,, Bina Das Gupta	II
205	Panchu Karmakar	II E

Roll No.	Names of Pupils.	Divisions.
C. P. P. School at 1, *Sukea Street*		
206	Ashit Prakash Basu	II E
207	Asim Kr. Roy	II E
208	Madan Mohan Das	II
210	Susanta Mukherjee	II E
211	Sukumar Roy Chowdhury	II
212	Panchanan Halder	II E
213	Kumaresh Ch. Pal	II
214	Kali Pada Das	II E
215	Ajit Kumar Nandan	II E
216	Bimalendu Das	II E
217	Paritosh Payne	II E
218	Ajit Kr. Ghose	II
219	Adaitya Ranjan Mitra	II E
221	Bidyut Kanti Nag	II E
223	Subrata Dutta	II E
224	Bibhuti Bhusan Pal	II E
225	Paresh Chandra Ghose	II E
226	Gunendra Nath Nandi	II E
228	Ramapada Adhikary	II E
230	Birendra Nath Santra	II E
C. P. P. School at 12, *Chorebagan Lane*		
232	Kartik Singha	II
235	Kailash Prasad	II
236	Jagadish Singh	II
C. P. P. School (Boys) at 10, *Simla Street*		
237	Dilip Kumar Pal	II E
238	Jogjiban Bal	II
239	Kalipada Das	II E
240	Ananda Pada Devnath	II E
241	Rabindra Nath Nandy	II
242	Bhairab Chandra Dey	II E
243	Abani Mohan Basu	II E
244	Manaranjan Mazumdar	II E
C. P. P. School at 166, *Keshab Chandra Sen Street*		
248	Mahabir Sahu	II
259	Lakshmi Narayan Ram	II
260	Nagina Ram	II
C. P. P. School at 69*B*, *Amherst Row*		
249	Kali Prasad	II E
250	Basant Lal	I E
251	Trilaki Prasad	II E
252	Lakhi Narain	II
253	Harihar Prasad	II E
254	Panchuram Bania	II E
257	Rambali Kahar	II E
258	Shivaprasad Kahar	II
C. P. P. School at 44, *Motilal Sen Lane*		
274	Sk. Ashraf Ali	II E
C. P. P. School at 5, *Fakir Chand Mitter Street*		
276	Md. Hashem	II E
278	Badruddin	II
279	Abdul Jabbar	II E
280	Mir Quasar Ali	II
C. P. P. School at 235/*B*, *Manicktola Main Road*		
282	Gholam Mohammad	II
283	Ishlahuddin Ahmed Khan	II E
284	Amanuddin Ansari	II
285	Ahmed Ali	II

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	Names of Pupils.	*Division.*
	CENTRE—ISLAMIA HIGH SCHOOL	
C. F. P. School at 2, Shamsul Huda Road		
109	Ghulam Mohiuddin	II E
110	Nur Hossain	II E
C. F. P. School at 10/B, Patwar Bagan Lane		
114	Mir Moazzam Hossain	II E
116	Md. Yaqub Khan	II
117	Meheruddin Ahmed	II
C. F. P. School at 57, Durga Charan Doctor Road		
119	Kameluddin	II E
120	Sk. Nuruddin	II E
C. F. P. School at 105, Beliaghata Main Road		
121	Md. Nazrul Bari	II E
C. F. P. School at 14A, Gora Chand Lane		
123	Sharafat Ali	II E
125	Syed Shah Md. Reza	II
126	Syed Nayar Hossain	II
127	Qazi G. H. Zainul Abedin	II
129	Md. Moshin	II
C. F. P. School at 46, Narikeldanga Main Road		
142	*Sunil Kumar Bhattacharyee*	II
C. F. P. School at 83, Linton Street		
143	Sisir Kumar Addy	II E
144	Sushil Kumar Sen	II E
145	Ashutosh Bhattacharjee	II E
146	Narendra Nath Chowdhury	II E
C. F. P. School at 57, Durga Charan Doctor Road		
147	Dhirendra Chandra Chakravarty	II E
148	Tarak Nath Nandi	I E
149	Monesh Mohan Shee	II E
150	Birendra Kumar Mukherjee	II E
C. F. P. School at 105, Beliaghata Main Road		
151	Jagadish Chandra Sarkar	I E
152	Jatindra Chandra Das	II E
153	Nirmal Chandra Mandal	II E
157	Nirmal Chandra Ghose	II E
158	Pashupati Nath Gaurey	II E
159	Jatindra Nath Roy	II
160	Naba Kumar Bag	II
162	Dilip Kumar Mukherjee	II E
163	Sushil Khasnabis	II E
164	Gouranga Pada Kundu	II
C. F. P. School at 24/2, Pottery Road		
166	Naresh Chandra Ghose	II E
167	Bishnupada Das	II
168	Nitol Chandra Karmakar	II
171	Sambhu Chandra Sadhukhan	II
C. F. P. School at 56, Surah 1st Lane		
172	Probodh Kumar Mandal	II
173	Ramrup Chakravarty	II
175	Bhupendra Nath Roy	II
176	Pannalal Mandal	II
178	Gouranga Biswas	II E
181	Ganesh Chandra Das	II

	Names of Pupils.	*Division.*
C. F. P. School at 75, Dr. Suresh Sircar Road		
184	Ramendra Nath Patra	II E
185	Rabindra Nath Das	II
202	Ajit Kumar Sen Gupta	I E
203	Tripti Ranjan Gupta	II E
	CENTRE—ANJUMAN GIRLS' M. E. SCHOOL	
C. F. P. School at 40, Beniapukur Lane		
43	Rashita Khatoon	I E
44	Johan Ara Begum	I E
C. F. P. School at 75, Dr. Durga Charan Road		
45	Gita Sen	II E
46	Sefali Masik	II E
47	Bani Mukherjee	II
48	Aparna Dutt	II E
49	Manjulekha Dassi	II E
50	Mayarani Poddar	II
51	Saileswari Kumar	II E
52	Sadhya Barman	II
53	Chaya Pal	II
C. F. P. School at 56, Surah 1st Lane		
55	Arati Bhattacharjee	II
56	Sunita Rakshit	II
58	Sabita Chowdhuri	II
59	Dipti Ganguli	II
C. F. P. School at 40, Beniapukur Lane		
60	Gita Devi	I
61	Kuranemoni Halder	II
62	Sabita Halder	II
64	Amita Dutt	II
66	Belarani Sircar	II E
C. F. P. School at 25, Narikendanga Main Road		
68	Renu Karmakar	II
69	Belarani Chakravarty	II E
70	Nilima Mukherjee	I E
	CENTRE—ST. BARNABAS HIGH SCHOOL	
C. F. P. School, 19/1, Mansatala Lane		
40	Salil Kumar Das	II E
41	Sunit Kumar Das	I E
42	Manaranjan Sharma	II E
43	Moni Mohan Saha	II E
44	Arabinda Dutta	II E
45	Gopal Chandra Das	I E
46	Patik Chandra Karmakar	II E
47	Dhrubatosh Roy	II E
48	Ardhendu Kumar Ghose	II E
49	Rathindra Mohan Das	II E
50	Bimala Kumar Bhattacharji	II
51	Nirmal Kumar Banerji	II
52	Biswanath Datta	II E
53	Phani Bhusan Bhattacharjee	II
54	Biswanath Prasad Saha	II E
55	Panchu Gopal Das	II E
56	Rammohan De	II E
57	Bansidhar Sarkar	II
59	Chinmoy Mohan Ghosh	II E
60	Amal Kumar Basu	II

	Names of Pupils.	Division.
Sussex Trust Model School.		
61	Jugal Mohan Sadhukhan	II E
62	Samarendra Nath Porel	II
63	Rajnarayan Singh	II
65	Asim Kumar Sen	II E
66	Manik Lal Ghosh	II E
67	Sunil Kumar Bagchi	II E
68	Pijushkanti Neogy	II
69	Santosh Kumar Das	II E
70	Himangshu Kumar Das	II E
71	Manikratan Das	II E
72	Sudhir Kumar Mitra	II E
218	Md. Ibu Sadiq	II
C. F. P. School at 4/3, Bhukailash Road		
75	Jaharlal Laha	II E
76	Bholanath Mandal	II E
C. F. P. School at 7/1, Moyerpore Road (Girls) (Formerly at 5, Govinda Addy Road)		
78	Reba Roy	II E
79	Hasi Chakravorty	I E
80	Arati Lata Roy	I
81	Asima Addy	II
82	Puspalata Addy	II
83	Kanak Dutta	II E
84	Anu Das	II
85	Binapani Bhattacharjee	II E
86	Sudha Roy	II E
87	Jyotirmoyee Dutt	II
90	Renu Bala De	II E
91	Renu Adhikary	II E
92	Arati Mondal	II E
93	Nihar Payne	II E
C. F. P. School at 7/1, Moyerpore Road (Boys)		
97	Pashupati Bhattacharjee	I E
98	Pravat Kumar Sen	II
99	Sivapada Chowdhury	II
101	Santi Sekhar De	I E
104	Amal Kumar Ghose	II E
105	Sunil Kumar Das	II E
106	Biswa Nath Jha	I E
107	Sanat Kumar Kundu	II
108	Nepal Chandra De	II E
109	Samarendra Dutt	II
110	Rabindra Nath Dutt	II
C. F. P. School at 13/1, Nepal Bhattacharjee Street		
95	Sambhu Kumar Roy	II E
111	Ajit Kumar De	II E
112	Amarnath Bhattacharjee	I E
117	Dasarathi Roy	II E
118	Gurudas Chakravorty	II E
121	Madan Mohan Nath	II
123	Nripendra Nath Sarkar	II
124	Nirmal Chandra Das	II E
125	Narayan Chandra Chakravorty	II E
127	Panchanan Bhattacharjee	II E
132	Ranjit Kumar Sinha	II E
133	Tarapada Ghosh	II E
134	Subodh Kumar Sen	II E
135	Tarapada Chatterji	II E
136	Chinmoy Bhattacharjee	II E
C. F. P. School at 36, Chetla Central Road		
137	Ramdas Sahu	II
138	Hiralal Tewary	II
140	Durga Prosad Tewary	II
142	Biswanath Jha	II

	Names of Pupils.	Division.
C. F. P. School at 83, Alipore Road.		
143	Aswini Kumar Haldait	II E
144	Paresh Nath Addy	II E
145	Santosh Kumar Chatterjee	II E
146	Monomohan Roy	II
150	Kalachand Addy	II E
C. F. P. School at 1, C, Shah Nagar Road		
151	Shyama Prasad Chakravarty	II E
152	Naru Gopal Mukherjee	II E
153	Mihir Kumar Chakravarty	I E
154	Nikhil Ranjan Chakravarty	II E
155	Satyananda Chatterjee	I E
156	Padmabala Pal	II
157	Gitarani Chakravorty	I E
158	Gitarani Mukherjee	II E
159	Nilima Chakravorty	II E
160	Sunita Banerjee	I E
C. F. P. School at 11/C, Sankar Bose Road (Girls) (Formerly at 11/2, Sabjibagan Lane)		
162	Rekha Datta	II
165	Anjali Chowdhury	II
C. F. P. School at 11C, Sankar Bose Road (Boys)		
176	Rabindra Nath Bose	II E
177	Nemai Chand Dutt	II E
178	Manaranjan Basuli	II E
179	Ajoy Kumar Banerjee	II E
180	Satyendra Nath Das	II E
183	Bimal Kumar Pal	II
184	Gour Chandra Roy Chowdhury	II E
205	Krishna Chandra Haldar	II
C. F. P. School at 10, Mominpur Road (H. B.) (Now at 52, Braunfield Road)		
166	Anil Kumar Bhattacharjee	II E
168	Sohan Singh	II E
169	Krishna Kumar Chakravorty	II E
170	Bholanath De	II E
171	Ramendra Nath Das	II E
172	Kartic Chandra Bag	II E
175	Gopal Chandra Das	II E
C. F. P. School at 21/B, Mominpore Road		
223	Nasiruddin Ahmed	II E
224	Mir Akkas Ali	II
233	Md. Anwar Ali	II E
C. F. P. School at 39/1, Manohatola Lane		
188	Bhowani Prasad	II
189	Jhawri Sah	II E
190	Jugol Kisore Agarwal	II E
191	Krishna Prasad Sah	II E
192	Sitaram Saw	II E
193	Madan Prosad Saw	I E
194	Jamahir Saw	II E
195	Binadeswari Patwirk	II E
196	Ramanath	II
197	Gyarsi Prosad	II E
202	Chandraket Sah	II E
203	Shed Lal	II E
C. F. P. School at 16, Mohan Chand Road		
226	Md. Yusuf	II E
C. F. P. School at 9/B, Mohammedan Burial Ground Lane		
230	A. K. M. Md. Siddiqui Rahaman	II E
231	Abdur Rahman	II E

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Centre—Calcutta Mission H. E. School.

C. F. P. School at 13/1, Rash Behari Avenue

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Division.
1	Sayarani Mukherji	I
2	Mukutrani Bhattacharjee	I
3	Gaitri Ganguli	I
4	Pratima De	II
5	Nalini Banerjee	I

C. F. P. School at 6A and 6B, Raja Basanta Roy Road

6	Shefalika Koley	I E
7	Rani Mitra	II E
8	Gouri Dasi	II
9	Mahamaya Addy	II
10	Amala Basu	II
11	Asharani Dasi	II
12	Bela Devi Banerji	II
15	Chhayarani Basu	II E
16	Alaka Seal	II
17	Chhaya Dey	II

C. F. P. School at 57/A & B, Paddapukur Road

18	Kumar Chandra Mukherjee	II E
19	Nanda Lal Saha	II E
20	Madan Mohan Dhara	II E
21	Gobinda Chandra Roy	II E
22	Anil Kumar Nath	II
23	Hirendra Nath Ghose	II

C. F. P. Girls' School at 8, Suburban School Road

24	Dipali Das Gupta	II E
25	Chhaya Devi	II E
26	Roma Devi	II
29	Shefalika Devi	I E
30	Bimapani Ganguli	II E
31	Dhriti Roy	II
32	Ashimarani Basu	II

C. F. P. Boys' School at 8, Suburban School Road

34	Sukumar Das	II
35	Paritosh Das Gupta	II E
36	Niranjan Sen Gupta	II E
37	Dilip Kumar Ghatak	II E
38	Sachindra Nath Mukherji	I E
40	Phani Bhusan Ghose	I E
42	Anil Kumar Ghose	I E
44	Prasanta Kumar Mukherji	I E
45	Saroj Kumar Chatterji	II
46	Ganesh Chandra Sarkar	II E
47	Saroj Kumar Chatterji	II E
48	Krishnadhan Chandra	I E
49	Shyam Sunday Paul	II
50	Nirmal Kumar Mukherji	I E
51	Sarat Kumar Mukherji	II E
52	Bela Devi Bhattacharjee	I E
53	[illegible]	II E
54	[illegible]	II E
55	[illegible]	I E

C. F. P. School at 33L, Kalighat Road (G)

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Division.
59	Anjali Dey	II
60	Kamala Das	II
61	Anjali Banerji	II
64	Mira Bhattacharjee	II
65	Basumati Chakravorty	II

C. F. P. School at 33D and E, Kalighat Road (B)

67	Kumar Prasad Banerji	II
68	Satya Charan Chakravarty	I E
69	Surendra Nath Chakravorty	II E
72	Bijoy Kumar De	II
74	Ram Gopal Dutt	II
76	Himadri Kumar Das Gupta	II E
81	Bijoy Ratan Sarkar	II E
82	Sachindra Nath Sarkar	II E
83	Niranjan Prosad Shaw	II
84	Ranjit Kumar Das	II

C. F. P. School at 4/C, Rakhal Mukherjee Rd. (G)

85	Bithika Mazumdar	I E
86	Madhabi Mazumdar	II
88	Rekha Bose	II E
89	Mira Kundu	I E
90	Shova De	II E
91	Namita Banerjee	II E
92	Anita Chakravorty	II E
93	Mira Bose	II
94	Jyotsna Paul	II E
95	Sivarani Devi	II E

C. F. P. School at 4/C, Rakhal Mukherjee Rd. (B)

143	Ajit Kumar Dutta	I E
146	Benoy Krishna Sarkar	II E
180	Kanai Lal Nasker	II
181	Madhab Das Kundu	II
187	Kanupriya Goswami	II

C. F. P. School at 5/1, Cornfield Road

96	Kamala Devi	I E
97	Anjali Roy	I E
98	Gitarani De	I E
99	Mira Kayal	I E
100	Angur Kana Paul	I E
101	Rekharani Ganguli	II E
102	Tarakdasi Chowdhuri	II
103	Radharani Chanda	II E

C. F. P. School at 2/1, Monoharpukur 2nd Lane

104	Mohitosh Chatterjee	II
105	Bhabatosh Chatterji	II
106	Boddhadev Nath	II E
107	Paresh Nath Nath	II
108	Shyamapada Bhattacharjee	II E
109	Harihar Chakravorty	I E
110	Sakhi Chand Tanti	II E

C. F. P. School at 16A and B, Park Road

111	Sudhir Kumar Paul	II E
112	Prasanta Kumar Mukherjee	I E
113	Sundar Lal Paul	I E

CENTRE—CALCUTTA GIRLS' TRAINING SCHOOL, 30, Beadon Street (Girls)

C. F. P. School at 16A and B, Fern Road

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Division.
114	Biswanath Mukherji	II E
115	Paresh Chandra Adhikary	II E
116	Shib Sanker Chatterji	II E
117	Bimal Chandra Ghose	I E
119	Sushital Adhikary	II E
120	Purna Ranjan Chatterjee	II E
121	Nepal Chand Ganguly	II E
122	Sambhu Nath Roy Chowdhury	I E
123	Avimanna Dey	II E
124	Joy Chand Mullick	II E
125	Nripendra Narayan Nandy	II E
126	Madan Mohan Samanta	II E
127	Bhutnath Paul	II E
128	Dhirendra Mohan Adhikary	I E
129	Bankim Chandra Das	I E
130	Nirmal Paul	II E
131	Kanai Lal Ghose	II E
134	Abdul Quader	II E

C. F. P. School at 2/B, Panditia Road

132	Binapani Dasi	II E
133	Bela Rani Datta	II E
134	Saraswati Dasi	II E
135	Labangalata De	II E
136	Gita Munshi	II E
137	Jogomaya Sen	II E
139	Renu Bala Chandra	II E
141	Sandha Rani De	II E
142	Kamala Bala Bhattacharjee	II E

C. F. P. School at 7/1, Moyerpore Road (G)

165	Nurjahan Begum	II E

CENTRE—SHYAMBAZAR A. V. SCHOOL

C. F. P. School at 9, Nritya Gopal Chatterji Lane.

97	Anjali Chatterji	I
98	Mira Kundu	I
99	Arati Basu	I
100	Anjali Sen Gupta	II
101	Nilima Mitter	II
102	Tara Mukherji	II

C. F. P. School at 6, Tarini Charan Ghose Lane.

103	Nityananda Ray	II E
104	Sambhu Nath Ray	II E
105	Kanai Lal Seal	II E
106	Shivnarayan Dey	II E
107	Bholanath Ghose	II

C. F. P. School at 4, Ramkanta Sen Lane

108	Harendra Kumar Palit	II E
109	Pannalal Das	I E

C. F. P. School at 5/C, Jagannath Sut Lane

110	Durga Das	I E
111	Labanya Singha	I E
112	Sephali Byasack	I E
113	Padma Ghose	I E
114	Usha Chakravarty	I E
115	Purnima Dutta	II E
116	Anita Pal	II E
117	Prava Dutta	II E

C. F. P. School at 23/A, Beniatola Street (Boys)

118	Panchu Gopal Saha	II E
119	Dulal Chandra Bhar	II E
120	Sukumar Chatterjee	II E
123	Satya Priya Mukherjee	II E
124	Amitava Ganguli	II

138	Jyotsna Ray	I
139	Gita Pal	I
140	Sulekha Ganguli	II

C. F. P. School at 21/A, Banamali Chatterjee Street

126	Rebarani Ghose	II E
127	Gouri Devi	II E
128	Mayarani Devi	II E
129	Renuka Devi	II E
130	Mira Bhar	II
131	Binapani Ghose	II E
133	Sonali Mitter	II E
134	Tara Devi	II
135	Hasi Dutta	II E
136	Banimoyee Samanta	II
137	Amiyarani Das	II

C. F. P. School at 13, Gulu Ostagar Lane

142	Kartic Chandra Basu	I E
143	Bishnu Charan Sen	II
144	Pannalal Biswas	II E
146	Jaydeb Das	II E
147	Rabindra Nath Ghose	II E
148	Gopal Chandra Pal	II E
149	Narayan Chandra Das	II E
150	Ramkamal Pal	I E

C. F. P. School at 12, Raja Raj Kissen Street

151	Jayanti Das	II E
152	Doli Banerji	II E
153	Amita Dey	II E
154	Pratima Sen	II E
155	Belarani Kar	II E
156	Sefali Bhar	II E
157	Debarani Dey	II E

C. F. P. School at 7, Biswakosh Lane

158	Nibaran Chandra Chowdhury	I E
160	Bhabesh Chandra Gupta	II E
162	Mantoo Lal Das	II E
163	Gouri Bala Ghose	II E
166	Pratima Rani Sur	II

C. F. P. School at 42A, Banamali Sircar Street

167	Chhabi Rani Pal	II E
168	Sanatan Kumar Chatterjee	II E
169	Saroj Kumar Datta	II E
170	Bimal Kumar Mukherji	II E
171	Jayanti Kumar Sen	II E

C. F. P. School at 21E, Joymitter Street

172	Subal Chandra Dutta	II
173	Sadhu Charan Seal	II
174	Narayan Chandra Ray	I E
175	Nilmoni Dhan Dutta	II E
176	Hemanta Kumar Sen	II E
177	Kashi Nath Ray	I E
178	Nagendra Chandra Dey	II E
179	Kala Chand Dutta	II E
180	Madan Chand Dawn	II E
181	Haripada Das	II E
182	Kumar Kumar Dey	II E
183	Krishna Bilas Misra	II E
184	Kanak Nath Pal	II
185	Bishnu Pada Ray	II E
186	Rash Behari Mitra	II E
187	Purnendu Kumar Chakravarty	II E
188	Sukhdev Das	II E

CENTRE—SHYAMBAZAR A. V. SCHOOL

C. F. P. School at 1, Nilmoni Mitter Row

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Division.
[illegible]	Ram Ch. Das Adhikary	II E
[illegible]	Rabindra Nath Guha	II E
[illegible]	Saral Kumar Sanyal	I E

C. F. P. School at 4/1A, Kasiswar Chatterji Lane

194	Narayan Ch. Bardhan	II E
196	Parimal Kumar Dawn	II
197	Some Nath Datta	II
198	Sailendra Kumar Das	II
199	Khageah Ch. Seth	II
200	Mohan Lal Saha	II
201	Nemai Krishna Chatterji	II E
202	Nemai Chand Dey	II
205	Nirmal Kumar Das	II
206	Purnendu Sekhar Mukherji	II E
207	Paresh Ch. Mandal	II E
271	Habibar Rahman	II

C. F. P. School at 23, Nandaram Sen Street

208	Nityananda Bysack	II E
209	Lakshmi Narayan Das	II E
210	Maniklal Kanjilal	II E
211	Krishna Pada Bhattacharjee	II E
212	Maniklal Bhattacharji	II E
213	Baidya Nath Roy	II E
214	Krishnadhan Dawn	II E
215	Samar Krishna Dutta	II E
216	Chittaranjan Banerji	II E
218	Jatirmoyee Devi	II E

C. F. P. School at 3A, Sham Sq. East

219	Nilmoni Dutta	II E
220	Gobinda Ch. Ghose	II E
221	Benoy Bhusan Bhattacharji	II E
222	Indu Bhusan Das	II E
223	Ajit Kumar Basu	II E
224	Sanat Kumar Bhattacharji	II E
225	Sitanshu Sekhar Ghose	II E
226	Ranjit Bhattacharjee	II E
227	Sambhu Nath Paul	II E

C. F. P. School at 20/1B, Brindaban Bysack Street

229	Kartik Ch. Sen	II E
230	Balaram Bysack	II E
231	Biswanath Pal	II E
232	Gopi Nath Dey	II
233	Dwijendra Nath Mitter	II E
234	Sailendra Kumar Dey	II
235	Sunil Kr. Dey	I
236	Mohan Chand Sen	II E
237	Gour Chandra Saha	II E
238	Arun Kumar Chattopadhyay	II E
239	Satya Brata Bhattacharjee	II E
240	Hari Sadhan Mukherjee	I E
241	Nakuleswar Sen Gupta	I E
242	Chittaranjan Roy	II E
243	Biswanath Das	II

C. F. P. School at 25, Gun Foundry [illegible]

251	Deonandan Tewari	II E
252	Behari Tripurari Saran	II
253	Kali Charan	II
254	[illegible] Show	II
255	[illegible]	II E
257	[illegible]	II E
258	[illegible]	II E
259	[illegible]	II E
260	[illegible]	II E

C. F. P. School at 29, Lock Gate Road

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Division.
259	Bholanath Jaishwara	II

C. F. P. School at 8H, Joy Mitter Street

260	Hari Narayan Sah	II E
261	Bhagwandas Singh	II E
262	Panchu Gopal Sah	II E
265	Ram Nawmi	II E

C. F. P. School at 95/B, Belgachia Road

273	Shamsuddin Ahmed	II E
276	Abdul Halim	II
282	Abdus Samad	II E
284	Firoze Ahmed	II E

C. F. P. School at 46, Harish Neogy Road

285	Ali Hossain	II E

CENTRE—METROPOLITAN H. E. SCHOOL (BOWBAZAR)

Rajrajeswary Model C. F. P. School (Girls)

91	Minati Gupta	I
92	Tara Roy	I
93	Geeta Mukherjee	I
94	Krishna Boral	II
95	Raj Lakshmi Palit	I
96	Chhabi Roy Chowdhury	II
99	Kanika Bardhan	II
100	Tripti Mitra	II
101	Ava Boral	I
102	Sulata Saha	II
103	Sabita Bhattacharjee	II
104	Shima Das	II
105	Aparna Chakravorty	I
106	Puspa Datta	II
107	Shani Bose	II
108	Maya Ghose	II
109	Ava Das	II
110	Sephali Chatterjee	II

C. F. P. School at 34, Wellington Street

111	Asoke Kumar Ghosh	II E
112	Naresh Ch. Mallick	II E
114	Sachindra Kumar Das	II
115	Baidyanath Dutt	II
118	Santi Pada Roy	LE
119	Joy Gopal Saha	II E
121	Abani Bhusan Dhar	II E
123	Dilip Kumar Roy Chowdhury	IL
124	Bishnu Pada Pal	II
125	Anil Kanta Barua	II E
126	Sreedam Chandra Saha	II E
127	Purna Chandra De	II
280	Abdul Jabbar	II

C. F. P. School at 8, Netai Babu Lane

128	Nakuleswar Banerjee	II
129	Madan Chandra Bhunia	II
130	Sudhir Kumar Dutta	II
131	Madhu Sudhan Dey	II E
133	Dhirendra Nath Bera	II E
275	Bambhu Nath Roja	II E

S. B. Day Model C. F. P. School (Boys)

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Division.
124	Pradip Kr. De Chowdhury	I E
125	Nikhil Kumar Ghose	II E
126	Subas Chandra Mukherjee	II E
127	Abhoypada Sen	I E
128	Bikash Chandra Mukherjee	II E
129	Nandalal Dutt	II E
140	Paresh Chandra Sarkar	II E
141	Kalyan Kumar Chakravorty	II E
142	Probodh Ch. De	II
143	Malay Kanti Poddar	II
144	Swaraj Kumar Nag	II E
145	Manaranjan Chakravorty	II E

C. F. P. Girls' School at 16A, Sreenath Das Lane—

146	Malati Bala Dutta	II
147	Jharna Devi	II
148	Pratima Dutta	II E
149	Purnima Basu	II E
150	Suptirani Mitra	II E
151	Rekhalata Nag	II E
152	Minati Chandra	II E
153	Sovarani Das	II
154	Krishna Binode Ghosh	I E

C. F. P. School at 55, Srigopal Mullick Lane

156	Govinda Chandra Das	II
157	Sisir Kumar Addy	II
158	Anil Kumar Pal	II E
159	Balaram Karmakar	II E
160	Dulal Chandra Pal	II E
161	Krishna Kumar Das	II
164	Nirada Kumar Nandy	II E
165	Lakshmikripa Bhattacharjee	II
166	Dulal Kumar Mukherjee	II E
169	Chintamoni Das	II

C. F. P. School at 16, Nur Mohammad Lane

170	Rabindra Kumar Banerjee	I E
171	Kartik Chandra Chowdhury	I E
172	Kalidas Bagchi	I E
173	Dhirendra Nath Chakravorty	I E
174	Tarak Das Chakravorty	I E
175	Bejoy Kumar Chatterjee	I E
176	Hari Sadhan Roy	I E
177	Shibsankar Das	I E
179	Amar Nath Kundu	I E
180	Babu Lal Saha	II E

C. F. P. School at 35/3/2, Baniatola Lane

181	Subhas Chandra Mallick	II E
183	Sudhanya Kumar Sen Gupta	II E
185	Asiranjan Bhattacharjee	II E
184	Pravat Kumar Mukherjee	II
185	Aditya Kumar Ganguly	II E
186	Thakurdas Bhattacharjee	II E
187	Jogo Chandra Bose	II
188	Rajendra Nath Nandy	II E
189	Sunil Kumar Das	II
190	Sarmista Kumari Dutta	II
191	Nanigopal Chandra Dutt	II
192	Hira Lal Chandra	II

C. F. P. School at 35, Shibkrishna Dutt Lane

193	Baby Dutta	II E
195	Sumita Saha	II E
196	Bharati Bandhu	II

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Division.
198	Durga Nandi	I E
197	Mamita Das	I
198	Gita Guha	II E
199	Gayatri Pal	II E
200	Anima Chakravorty	II
201	Chhaya Dutt	II
202	Mira Banerjee	II E
203	Annadamoyee Roy	II
204	Maya Pal	II
205	Priti Lala	II
206	Renuka Chatterjee	II E
207	Chaina Mazumdar	II
209	Monika Dutt	II
211	Violet Saha	II

C. F. P. School at 37 and 39, Dr. Jagabandhu Lane

214	Lakshmi Roy	II
215	Juthika Banerjee	I E
216	Mira Chandra	II
217	Durga Bose	II
220	Gouri Moitra	II E
221	Mira Das	II
222	Namita Biswas	II E

C. F. P. School at 73, Sitaram Ghose Street

223	Sabita Daw	II E
224	Ujjala Mukherjee	II
225	Anima Chatterjee	I E
226	Basanti Dutt	II
227	Karuna Daw	II
228	Ila Nandy	II E
229	Himani Banerjee	II
230	Ivarani Basu	II E
231	Sabita Basu	I E
232	Urmila Bhattacharjee	II E
233	Pratima Guha	II
234	Bakul Banerjee	I E
235	Gitarani Chatterjee	II E

C. F. P. School at 50, Mirzapore Street

238	Mohini Mohan Kar	I E
239	Gopal Chandra Bhattacharjee	II E
240	Balai Chandra Chakravorty	I E
241	Bimal Kumar Haldar	II E
242	Ananta Kumar Dé	II E
243	Sunil Kumar Dhar	I E
244	Aman Chandra Banerjee	I E

C. F. P. School at 50, Mirzapore Street

235	Md. Abdul Gaffur	II E
236	A. K. M. Sadeqal Islam	II E
237	Nurul Lajan Khan	II E
238	Ashraf Ali Mian	II E

C. F. P. School at 5, Ojuda Raja Lane

245	Jagadish Chandra Roy	II E
246	Lokenath Narayan Das	II E
247	Gopal Chandra Bhattacharjee	II E
248	Bhabendra Nath Chowdhury	II
249	Annapurna Mukherjee	II
251	Kanai Chandra Biswas	II
252	Jagadish Ch. Chakravorty	II E

C. F. P. School at 105, Bowbazar Street

253	Narayan Sankar Sharma	II E
257	Rita Pal	II E
258	Debasree	II

CENTRE—METROPOLITAN H. E. SCHOOL (BOWBAZAR)

S. B. Dey Model C. F. P. School

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Division.
272	Nemai Chand Dey	II E
273	Saroj Kumar Dutt	I E
274	Ramendra Nath Pal	II E
275	Narayan Das Biswas	II E

C. F. P. School at 45, Taltala Lane

281	Fazal Ahmed	II
282	Zahoor Ahmed	II E

C. F. P. School at 19, Temple Street

293	Sk. Khairat Ali	II E

CENTRE—SREE DIDOO MAHESWARY PRIMARY VIDYALAYA

C. F. P. School at 2, Beadon Square (H. G.) I

152	Sm. Niva Rani Pal	II E
154	Sm Kamala Das	II E
155	Sm. Anima Bhattacharjee	II
156	Sm Nilima Das	II E
157	Sm. Chhayarani Seal	II E
158	Sm. Anima Bysack	II
159	Sm. Avarani Sircar	II E
160	Sm. Renuka Mitra	II E
161	Sm. Prativa Dhar	I E
162	Sm. Karuna Chatterjee	II E
163		II E

C. F. P. School at 194, Cross Street

164	Man Singh	II E
168	Basudeo Shah	II

C. F. School at 8/B, Ganga Narayan Dutt Lane

169	Dhrubatara Biswas	I E
170	Tarak Nath Biswas	I
171	Santosh Kumar Pal	II
172	Pratap Kumar Sett	II E
173	Prafulla Kumar Das	II
174	Kali Pada Dey	II E
175	Narayan Chandra Sarkar	II E
176	Amulya Ratan Mallick	II
177	Pulin Behari Chatterjee	II
178	Narendra Kumar Roy	II

C. F. P. School at 9, Sikdarpara Lane

Roll No.	Names of pupils.	Divisio
179	Sm. Anjali Dey	II E
180	Sm. Chhabirani Das	II E
181	Sm Mira Sen	I E
182	Sm. Annapurna Saha	II E
183	Sm Kamala Dey	II E
184	Sm Prabhabati Ghose	II E
185	Sm. Gita Bose	II E

C. F. P. Model School at 9, Burtola Street

186	Sree Gopal Poddar	II E
187	Badri Prasad Ruiya	II E
189	Bhagwat Singh	II E
190	Satya Narayan Daga	II E
191	Mahendra Nath Chowbey	II E
192	Satya Narayan Agarwal	II E
193	Ramjilal Sharma	II
195	Ganga Singh	II E
196	Ramavatar Agarwal	II E
197	Rajendra Prosad Gupta	II E
198	Atma Ram Saruf	II E
199	Satyanarayan Gupta	II E
200	Radheshyam Garadia	II
201	Raj Kumar Prasad	II
203	Damodar Kadia	II E
205	Dhanapati Rai Sharma	II
208	Sheo Kr. Ganduriwala	II E
209	Ram Balar Khemka	II E
210	Sambhu Prasad	II E
211	Satyanarayan Kedia	II E
213	Hari Krishna Mahata	II E
214	Shib Sankar Lal	II
216	Nanda Kishore Baguria	II E
217	Mohan Lal Bhowaniwala	II E
220	Mahabir Prosad Sharma	II
221	Sitaram Sureka	II
222	Sm. Sanat Devi	II
223	Sitaram Chowdhury	II E
224	Sm. Chhabi Devi	II
225	Murarilal Saraf	II E
227	Dharam Chand Jain	II
228	Purusottamlal Sarma	II E
229	Jugol Kisore Behari	II E
230	Hariram Kedia	II E
232	Giridhari Lal Brahmin	II E
235	Shiba Kumar Jalan	II
240	Mahabir Pr. Lakkar	II E
242	Sibaratan Khemka	II E
246	Chhote Lal	II
247	Rameswarlal Kandoi	II E